

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 22

Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Alaska in the First Legislature, First Session Assembled:

WHEREAS, the Honorable Hugh J. Wade, Secretary of the State of Alaska, has served as Acting Governor of the state throughout the important, formative and demanding days of the First Session of the First State Legislature; and

WHEREAS, this tremendous burden of responsibility was thrust upon him soon after taking office due to the illness of Governor William A. Egan; and

WHEREAS, the Acting Governor has responded to the challenges and responsibilities of this demanding assignment with a commendable display of leadership and cooperation in his relations with the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, it is the conviction of the House that the Acting Governor has carried out his responsibilities in conformity with the mandate of the people manifested in the election of Governor Egan;

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the State of Alaska in the First Session of the First Legislature assembled that by means of this resolution the highest appreciation be and hereby is expressed to Acting Governor Hugh J. Wade for the high caliber of his leadership and cooperation in his official relations with the First State Legislature; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution be delivered to the Honorable Hugh J. Wade, Acting Governor of Alaska.

Passed by the House April 15, 1959.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 23

Be it Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Alaska in the First Legislature, First Session Assembled:

WHEREAS, legislating is a vital and technical business affecting the interests of all citizens of the state; and

WHEREAS, the citizen is dependent mainly on the straight news coverage of the fast-moving and intricate legislative process if he is to keep himself informed and alert; and

WHEREAS, public reporting of legislative activities is in itself a technical and demanding task demanding alert-

ness, completeness and accuracy; and

WHEREAS, the First Session of the First State Legislature has enjoyed unprecedented coverage of its problems and work through comprehensive and conscientious news wire service coverage;

BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the First Legislature, First Session assembled, that the representatives in Juneau of the Associated Press and United Press International be and hereby are commended for the excellence of their coverage of the First State Legislature.

Passed by the House April 16, 1959.