

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 40

Relating to a request that pink salmon be declared eligible for distribution under the Food for Peace program.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska:

WHEREAS the economy of many of Alaska's coastal communities and the well-being of its citizens have been, and continue to be dependent upon the existence of a healthy fishing industry; and

WHEREAS the necessary harvest of increasingly large runs of pink salmon in recent years has resulted in a large annual inventory carry-over by the industry; and

WHEREAS such a surplus has a depressing effect upon the industry generally and particularly with regard to the price received by Alaska fishermen for their catch; and

WHEREAS the Eighty-eighth Congress, First Session, did declare surplus

fisheries products to be eligible for inclusion in the Food for Peace program, thereby making available a source of high protein foods to the undernourished peoples of friendly foreign nations;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Third Legislature, Second Session, assembled, that the appropriate officials of the Federal Government be respectfully urged to declare pink salmon eligible for disposition to friendly foreign countries under the Food for Peace program; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the President of the United States of America, the Honorable Lyndon B. Johnson; the Secretary of the Interior, the Honorable Stewart L. Udall; Director, Food for Peace program, the Honorable Richard W. Reuter; and to members of Alaska's congressional delegation.

Passed by the Senate February 1, 1964.

Passed by the House February 24, 1964.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 46

Expressing support for the national civil rights legislation pending in Congress.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska:

WHEREAS the President of the United States has called upon the Congress to complete action on the Administration-sponsored civil rights legislation; and

WHEREAS the pending legislation has been before the Congress for more than a year; and

WHEREAS it is the general consensus of the Nation that civil rights legislation is essential to our progress and survival as a Nation and our standing as the leader of the free world;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Congress is urgently requested to take final action on the major civil rights legislation now pending before it at the earliest possible date; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Honorable Lyndon B. Johnson, President of the United States; and the Honorable Carl Hayden, President pro Tempore of the Senate; the Honorable John W. McCormack, Speaker of the House of Representatives; the Honorable Robert F. Kennedy, Attorney General of the United States; and the members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

Passed by the Senate March 23, 1964.

Passed by the House March 21, 1964.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 53

Relating to the expanded use of Alaska as a troop training center and an area for missile activity.

Be it Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska:

WHEREAS the strategic location and