

IN THE SENATE

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

Relating to nomination of Mr. Don
Ferguson for the state heroism
medal.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

WHEREAS the Governor is authorized by law to award a state medal for heroism to a citizen of the state in recognition of a valorous and heroic deed performed by him in the saving of a life or in the service of the state or his community or on behalf of other persons; and

WHEREAS Mr. Don Ferguson, a bush pilot of Kotzebue, last fall made three perilous landings in a float plane, in the face of high winds and waves of four feet in height, to rescue two men from an overturned boat on Hotham Inlet; and

WHEREAS Mr. Don Ferguson's admirable feat of bravery and meritorious service commends itself to the attention and respect of all his fellow citizens;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislature submits to the Governor the name of Mr. Don Ferguson as a nominee for the state medal for heroism in view of his heroic act and meritorious service on behalf of others.