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## JOINT RESOLUTION

Relating to fisheries research projects in the Bering Sea, Norton Sound and Kuskokwim Bay areas.

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

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

WHEREAS the continued development of commercial fisheries serves to strengthen the economy of Alaska and provides job opportunities for our citizens;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Bureau of Commercial Fisheries of the U. S. Department of the Interior is requested to make a study of the feasibility of commercial ground fishing in the Bering Sea, Norton Sound, and Kuskokwim Bay areas and to indicate the job possibilities that this fishing would offer the people in these areas.

COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Stanley A. Cain, Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks; the Honorable Donald L. McKernan, Director of the Bureau of Commercial Fisheries; and to the Honorable E. L. Bartlett and the Honorable Ernest Gruening, U. S. Senators, and the Honorable Howard W. Pollock, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.