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## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 59

Commending Alaska Supreme Court Chief Justice Buell A. Nesbett.

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**BE IT RESOLVED**

**BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

WHEREAS Buell A. Nesbett, Chief Justice of the Alaska Supreme Court, has served honorably and well in that position since the Court's inception in 1959; and

WHEREAS, as the Alaska Supreme Court's first and only Chief Justice, Buell Nesbett was instrumental in preparing the court rules and laying the other necessary ground work for the building and growth of the state court system; and

WHEREAS, under the Chief Justice's careful guidance, his objective of making Alaska's court system one of the finest in the United States has been achieved; and

WHEREAS all Alaskans were shocked and saddened by the unfortunate airplane accident which hastened Chief Justice Nesbett's retirement from the bench; and

WHEREAS Chief Justice Nesbett's hard and often trying work and his devotion to duty are in the highest tradition of public service;

BE IT RESOLVED that Alaska Supreme Court Chief Justice Buell A. Nesbett has the commendation and best wishes of the Alaska Legislature as he steps down from the bench after more than a decade of dedicated service to Alaska.

A COPY of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable Buell A. Nesbett.