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## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 17

Requesting navigational aids in certain areas of Alaska.

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

WHEREAS there are areas of the state that currently have either inadequate or no navigational aids; and

WHEREAS persons who have to operate boats in waters of the state that do not contain navigational aids risk not only great property damage, but the loss of life; and

WHEREAS navigational aids not only protect the citizens of Alaska but provide an economic impetus to areas where water transportation is possible;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Alaska State Legislature that the United States Coast Guard is respectfully requested to install suitable and necessary navigational aids in the mouths of the Kongiganak and Kwigillingok Rivers, and in the south, middle and north mouths of the Yukon River.

COPIES of this Resolution shall be sent to the Honorable John A. Volpe, Secretary of the Department of Transportation; Admiral Willard J. Smith, Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard; Rear Admiral R. E. Hammond, Commander, 17th Coast Guard District; and to the Honorable Ted Stevens and the Honorable Mike Gravel, U. S. Senators, and the Honorable Nick Begich, U. S. Representative, members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.