

tions is to deny to domestic air carriers the benefits of revenues which would accrue from travel within and beyond Alaska; and

WHEREAS the removal of these restrictions would contribute to the economy through increased expenditures for travel and for other purposes, thereby easing the existing dollar drain;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the Legislature does strongly protest the aforesaid restrictions as inimical to the interests of the United States, the State of Alaska, and the domestic air carrier industry, and does endorse and support the

efforts of the State Administration in urging the Civil Aeronautics Board to rescind said restrictions; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Honorable John F. Kennedy, President of the United States of America; the Honorable Dean Rusk, Secretary of State; the Honorable Alan Boyd, Chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Board; the Honorable Luther Hodges, Secretary of Commerce; the Honorable Voit Gilmore, Director of the U. S. Travel Service, Department of Commerce; and to the Alaska delegation in Congress.

Passed by the House February 7, 1962.

Passed by the Senate February 15, 1962.

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 45

Relating to federal grants and loans for academic facilities.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled:

WHEREAS legislation for matching grants and loans for academic facilities is now under consideration by the Congress of the United States; and

WHEREAS the public and nonprofit institutions of higher learning of Alaska face extraordinary growth problems to provide minimum essential classrooms, laboratories, library, offices, and other instructional and research facilities; and

WHEREAS, according to U. S. Bureau of Census projections, Alaska's college age population in the ages of 18 to 21 years will increase during the period 1962 to 1978 from a present 18,262 to a total of 72,241; and

WHEREAS federal grants for public and nonprofit institutions of higher learning academic facilities will greatly aid and facilitate the rapid growth of such institutions; and

WHEREAS it is estimated that the pub-

lic and nonprofit institutions of higher learning of Alaska would receive a minimum of 10 million dollars during the 1960's for academic facilities under the proposed legislation, which would greatly aid Alaska in providing to its young people the opportunity to acquire knowledge and develop skills necessary for success in today's complex society;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the Congress of the United States be respectfully urged to enact the "College Academic Facilities and Scholarship Act," H.R. 8900; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Honorable John F. Kennedy, President of the United States; the Honorable Lyndon B. Johnson, Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate; the Honorable John W. McCormack, Speaker of the House of Representatives; the Honorable A. Ribicoff, Secretary of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and the members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

Passed by the House February 23, 1962.

Passed by the Senate March 7, 1962.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 52

Relating to a request by the Air National Guard for aircraft.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the

State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled:

WHEREAS the Alaska Air National

Guard is now equipped with 10 C-123J transport aircraft; and

WHEREAS the Alaska Air National Guard has requested, through state and federal channels, that three of the C-123J aircraft be replaced by three C-130 aircraft equipped with ski landing gear; and

WHEREAS it is the mission of the Alaska Air National Guard, in support of the Alaska Air Command, to rescue the sick and the needy, and to conform to the mobilization requirements of the Alaska Air Command; and

WHEREAS the high-speed, long-range C-130 aircraft are needed to more effectively accomplish this mission; and

WHEREAS the official request for three C-130 aircraft has been approved by the Governor and the Adjutant General of Alaska, and has been sent through the Alaska Air Command to the headquarters

of the United States Air Force and the National Guard Bureau in Washington;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the State of Alaska requests the Honorable Eugene M. Zuckert, Secretary of the Air Force, to consider this request favorably, and to expedite the delivery of the needed aircraft; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Honorable Eugene M. Zuckert, Secretary of the Air Force; General Curtis E. LeMay, Chief of Staff of the Air Force; Major General Donald W. McGowan, Chief of the National Guard Bureau; Major General W. W. Bowman, Commander in Chief of the Alaska Air Command; and the members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

Passed by the House March 3, 1962.

Passed by the Senate March 16, 1962.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 54

Relating to improving the reindeer breed strain on St. Lawrence Island.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled:

WHEREAS the villages of Gambell and Savoonga, in 1960, formed village companies to revive the reindeer industry on St. Lawrence Island; and

WHEREAS the reindeer stock on St. Lawrence Island has been inbreeding for many years, with the result that the stock is of inferior quality, making the commendable efforts of the villages of Gambell and Savoonga difficult; and

WHEREAS the Bureau of Indian Affairs, which administers the Federal Reindeer Reservation on St. Lawrence Island, provides the residents of St. Lawrence Island with technical and financial assistance to help them develop their own reindeer herds; and

WHEREAS fine reindeer breeding stock is available on Nunivak Island, where there is an excess of reindeer, from the

Sigfried Ankongak reindeer herd at Golovin, and from the John Kakaruk reindeer herd and other herds on the mainland of Northwestern Alaska, which, if crossed with the herds on St. Lawrence Island, would improve the quality of the St. Lawrence herds:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the Department of the Interior, through the Bureau of Indian Affairs, be respectfully urged to select sufficient reindeer stock from one or more of the herds mentioned above and use them to improve the strain of reindeer on St. Lawrence Island; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Honorable Stewart L. Udall, Secretary of the Interior; the Honorable Philleo Nash, Commissioner of Indian Affairs; the Honorable Robert L. Bennett, Area Director, Bureau of Indian Affairs; and the Alaska delegation in Congress.

Passed by the House March 20, 1962.

Passed by the Senate March 30, 1962.