

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 5

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

THIRTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE

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Referred: Today's Calendar

A RESOLUTION

1 **Establishing a House Special Committee on Arctic Policy, Economic Development, and**
2 **Tourism.**

3 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:**

4 **WHEREAS** the strategic location of the state places the state on the forefront of
5 Arctic policy; and

6 **WHEREAS** economic development is of vital importance to the economy of the state;
7 and

8 **WHEREAS** tourism is of increasing importance to the economy of the state; and

9 **WHEREAS** the legislature should remain well informed about the business climate of
10 the state; and

11 **WHEREAS** the state must promote business opportunities in the state;

12 **BE IT RESOLVED** by the House of Representatives that a House Special Committee
13 on Arctic Policy, Economic Development, and Tourism is established to study tourism, Arctic
14 policy, and opportunities for future economic development of the state's resources; and be it

15 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall
16 determine the number of representatives to be members of the committee and shall appoint

1 the members and designate a member or members to chair the committee; and be it
2 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the House Special Committee on Arctic Policy,
3 Economic Development, and Tourism may meet during and between sessions of the Thirty-
4 Third Alaska State Legislature and is terminated on the convening of the First Regular
5 Session of the Thirty-Fourth Alaska State Legislature.