

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

BY THE HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE

Introduced: 4/30/15

Referred:

A RESOLUTION

1 **Authorizing a recess by the House of Representatives or Senate for a period of more**
2 **than three days.**

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

4 **WHEREAS** the legislature was called into the First Special Session of the Twenty-
5 Ninth Alaska State Legislature on April 27, 2015, by the Governor; and

6 **WHEREAS**, during the next few weeks, the finance committees of each house will be
7 conducting extensive hearings on the state operating and capital budgets and other subjects
8 included in the Governor's proclamation; and

9 **WHEREAS**, during the periods the finance committees of each house are conducting
10 hearings, the presence of the full membership of the Senate or House of Representatives is not
11 required and daily floor sessions will take time away from careful consideration by the
12 committees of the subjects included in the Governor's April 27, 2015, proclamation; and

13 **WHEREAS** art. II, sec. 10, Constitution of the State of Alaska, provides that neither
14 house may adjourn or recess for longer than three days unless the other house concurs; and

15 **WHEREAS** Rule 52, Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, provides that
16 adoption of a concurrent resolution by a majority vote of the full membership of each house

1 constitutes concurrence;

2 **BE IT RESOLVED** by the Alaska State Legislature that the Senate or the House of
3 Representatives may be in recess for more than three days during the First Special Session of
4 the Twenty-Ninth Alaska State Legislature called by the Governor on April 27, 2015, and that
5 each house concurs in this recess; and be it

6 **FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Alaska State Legislature that the finance committees
7 of each house continue to meet on the subjects in the Governor's April 27, 2015, proclamation
8 during a recess of both houses of the legislature until May 12, 2015.