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# Carr Sees Increased Tourism

By 1975, Alaska could have 185,000 tourists annually who would spend \$75 million within Alaska and generate 4,000 jobs.

This forecast was made today by Larry Carr, Democratic candidate for governor, in a position paper entitled: The Great Promise of Tourism.

Carr said tourism is a highly labor-intensive industry, capable of absorbing large numbers of workers who can be trained at relatively low cost within Ala-

ska.

In his study, Carr advocates development of a large new visitor complex at Mt. McKinley Park, the use of tourist facilities in the off-season for community

and educational use, special air fares and training programs.

He said that with state assistance, the industry in Alaska could grow at a rate of 10 per cent a year.