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The Honorable Representative Peggy Wilson    [Representative.Peggy.Wilson@akleg.gov](mailto:Representative.Peggy.Wilson@akleg.gov)  
House Transportation Committee  
State Capitol Room 406  
Juneau, Alaska 99801

Re: HB 314 Passenger Vehicle Rental Tax

Chairperson Wilson,

I am writing to you in support of House Bill 314.

- We provide workforce and expertise to Alaska businesses. Through consulting, staffing and engineering services we enable independent operators to explore and produce Alaskan resources.
- I support this bill because it clarifies the intent of the original legislation.
  - The bill clarifies the original intent of the legislature when the Rental Car Tax was passed.
  - The intent of the lawmakers was a tax directed at tourist activity to support tourism related expenditures. The intent was not to further increase the cost of doing business in Alaska.
- If this bill is not passed, the result will be a pass through tax to the patrons of my business and an increase to my operating cost to administer the tax.

Thank you for your time and consideration of my comments regarding this House Bill 314. If you have any questions regarding my support, please contact me at 279-6900.

Best regards.

Will McKenzie, Controller

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