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March 13, 2015

RE: SB 6 Ending Daylight Savings

To Whom It May Concern:

The Juneau Charter Boat Operators Association (JCBOA) represents charter fishing and nature viewing operators in the Juneau area. We are writing you to express our grave concerns about SB 6 ending Daylight Savings in Alaska. We simply cannot support this bill.

We feel that this bill a hindrance to the furtherance of commerce! The shorter daylight hours that would result in the summer months would inhibit our member's ability to conduct business in the evening and therefore create lost revenue opportunities. Simply put...this would gravely harm the tourism economy in not just Southeast Alaska but in the entire state!

We strongly encourage you to not support SB 6 ending Daylight Savings and protect our economy. Thank you for your efforts in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Kevin Burchfield".

J. Kevin Burchfield
President