April 7, 2009

Dear House Fisheries Committee:

I would like to voice my support for Mr. Brent Johnson for a seat on the Alaska Board of Fisheries.

He has been a member on a number of boards and commissions such as The Kenai Soldoma F&G Advisory Committee, Cook Inlet Aquaculture Association and Kenai Peninsula Fishermen's Association, which greatly enhance his depth of knowledge required of a Board of Fish member. All these positions require a commitment and solid base of experience and he has served long terms showing that commitment.

I believe he would make an excellent choice and would be an asset to the Board of Fish and to the State of Alaska.

Sincerely,

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cc: Sen. Stedman Rep. Wilson