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From: Rep. Kurt Olson

Sent: Tuesday, March 15, 2011 1:12 PM

To: Konrad Jackson

Subject: FW: HB 24 (Extend Regulatory Commission of Alaska Sunset)

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From: Michael O'Meara [mailto:mikeo@horizonsatellite.com]

Sent: Monday, March 14, 2011 9:09 PM To: Rep. Kurt Olson; Rep. Craig Johnson

Cc: Rep. Paul Seaton

Subject: HB 24 (Extend Regulatory Commission of Alaska Sunset)

Dear Representatives Olsen and Johson:

I serve as spokesman for the HEA Members Forum, an ad hoc group of some 300 Homer Electric Association members. Unfortunately, due to prior commitments, I will be unable to participate in the Labor and Commerce Committee meeting on HB 24 (Extend Regulatory Commission of Alaska

Sunset) scheduled for Wednesday, March 16 at 3:15 PM. Our experience has shown the RCA to be the main agency looking out for utility ratepayers interests. Members Forum participants concur with the October 16, 2010 Legislative Budget and Audit Committee report findings that the RCA fulfills an important public need and should be extended through June 30, 2019. Consequently we urge passage of HB 24. Please circulate this message to members of your Labor and Commerce Committee.

Many thanks for considering our concerns.

Sincerely,

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