

February 8, 2016

The Honorable Sam Kito Alaska State House of Representatives State Capitol Rm. 422 120 4th Street, Mail Stop 3100 Juneau AK 99801-1182

Dear Representative Kito:

On behalf of the Alaska Peace Officers Association (APOA), I would like to thank you for introducing House Bill 280 "An Act relating to new defined benefit tiers in the public employees' retirement system and the teachers' retirement system; providing certain employees an opportunity to choose between the defined benefit and defined contribution plans of the public employees' retirement system and the teachers' retirement system; and providing for an effective date."

The APOA Board of Directors recently reviewed this proposed legislation and unanimously supports this bill in its current form. Please contact the APOA business office in Anchorage at 277-0515, if there is anything our organization can do to assist in the passage of this bill.

Sincerely,

Brad Johnson State President

Alaska Peace Officers Association

Cc: Representatives Munoz, Lynn, Stutes, and LeDoux

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