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Dear Representative Gattis

Thank you very much for your service in Juneau this session and for assisting the aviation industry with various issues.

Warbelow's Air Ventures is a certificated Part 135 Air Carrier. We are based in Fairbanks and provide daily passenger to 11 villages --- ranging as far north as Anaktuvuk Pass, as far west as Tanana, and as far east as Central. Additionally, we provide on-demand charter service to communities throughout Alaska. And finally, we provide air transportation for tour packages that involve visits to Barrow, polar bear viewing in Kaktovik, aurora viewing at Coldfoot, flightseeing in Denali, and other village excursions.

We support HB 167 and respectfully request the House Transportation Committee approve this measure and forward to the full Legislature for adoption. HB 167 updates the existing state statues to present day industry standards and provides a practical solution for air carriers while protecting passenger safety and security.

If you have any questions or would like additional perspective on this issue I'd be happy to provide it.

Best Regards

Matt Atkinson

Warbelow's Air Ventures / Air Arctic

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