From: Sally McLaughlin

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To: Rep. Geran Tarr < Rep.Geran.Tarr@akleg.gov>

Subject: HB27

Dear Representative Tarr,

I am writing to express my full support for the passage of the Toxic Free Firefighters and Children Act. PFAS have become one of the biggest threats facing all members of society, and flame retardants especially affect our vulnerable children and our first responders who come in direct contact with these dangerous chemicals. Flame retardants in furniture, carpeting, children's clothing, etc are extremely detrimental to the health of our firefighters, our children and our environment.

Please adopt the same fortitude that the Anchorage Assembly showed in passing their version and allow us to have a unified stance throughout Alaska. Let Alaska be the leaders for the rest of the nation!

Thank you for your consideration.

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