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To: Sen. Matt Claman <Sen.Matt.Claman@akleg.gov>
Subject: HB 93

Good morning Senator Claman, thank you for all you do for the State of Alaska. I hope you can help me on this issue. As an Alaska Resident since 1982, I had a 30 + year career as a fishery biologist in Southeast Alaska. I worked for the Northern Southeast Aquaculture Association and at the Auke Bay Lab. I understand the issue that HB93 is trying to address and I to support the idea, I hate to see people abusing the resources of our great state, I had a long a career trying to maintain and develop those resources thru fishery research and salmon hatchery enhancement. Unfortunately myself and many of the people I worked with are unintended, (I hope) victims. I have owned a home in Juneau since 1993, it is my residence, I vote in Alaska, pay taxes in Alaska, register my vehicle s in Alaska and it's my only permanent and consistent residence. As is the case with many Alaskan s my age and older, we have aging parents, and medical issues and winter vacation plans outside Alaska, which makes us ineligible for the PFD. I have infrequently qualified in the last few years. I'm fine with that. However I am an Alaska resident, property owner, taxpayer, and fully intend to remain so. I hope that perhaps you and you colleagues can construct a solution that protects long time Alaska residents such as my self from losing the resident status that is so important to us. I greatly value the states fishery and game resources and have a decades long history of careful and prudent use. I have taken great pains to buy out of state licenses when I hunt or fish outside of Alaska and gave been happy to do so. I'm hoping you and other senators can craft a solution to help the many Alaskan residents in my position. Perhaps language recognizing a permanent residence, length of residency etc. I can be reached at [REDACTED]

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Thanks so much ,
John E. Joyce