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To: [Sen. Anna MacKinnon](#)
Subject: Pass HB233 without changes
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Dear Anna MacKinnon,

I am a graduate student at Alaska Pacific University and a resident of Alaska living in Anchorage. The tax credit has played a big part of my education, I would not be able to attend graduate school without it. From the tax credit I have been able to analyze and conduct research from imagery the state has collected but has not have the time to analyze. I am reaching out to you to voice my concerns since changing the bill or rejecting it negatively impacts me.

- Pass HB233 to extend the ETC program. It is critical to education and research in AK fisheries.
- Do not change the credit schedule. The proposed changes will substantially reduce the efficacy of the program and risk losing millions in industry funding for education and research in AK fisheries.
- The ETC program is bringing millions into AK education system. It's working, don't break it.

Thank you,
Victoria Batter