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A Service-Related Disabled-Veteran Small Business

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Representative Carl Gotto Chairman, House Military & Veterans' Affairs Special Committee 600 E. Railroad Ave. Wasilla, AK 99654

Re: House Joint Resolution 16

Dear Rep. Gotto:

The purpose of this letter is to confirm that DV Contracting Services, Inc. ("DVCS") fully supports House Joint Resolution 16. DVCS is a Service Disabled-Veteran Owned-Small Business that is registered with both CCR and ORCA and is a licensed general contractor that is headquartered in Alaska. DVCS is fully qualified and available to perform heavy civil, structural, and marine construction in Alaska. My father, Bob West, who is the majority owner of DVCS, is a service related disabled veteran, having lost his leg to a land mine in the Korean War. HJR 16 is important because it is our understanding that the 3% goal for SDVOB's is not being met in Alaska, and it has been our direct experience that very few agencies are setting aside construction projects for SDVOB participation in Alaska. We request that you do whatever is necessary to change that situation as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

DV Contracting Services, Inc.

Brad West, President