

# STATE OF ALASKA

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Senator Gary Stevens  
Senate President, Alaska State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 111  
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Re: House Bill 227

January 31, 2010

Dear Representative Mike Chenault and Senator Gary Stevens,

The Alaska Board of Fisheries supports the language providing for resource protection found in House Bill 227 which would establish a fishing and hunting reserve in the Holitna River Basin. This action is consistent with the Board of Fisheries responsibilities in the conservation and development of fishery resources in the state.

Thank you for your interest in the conservation and development of Alaska's fisheries resources.

Sincerely,



Vince Webster  
Chairman, Alaska Board of Fisheries

cc: Governor Sean Parnell  
Denby Lloyd, Commissioner, Department of Fish and Game  
Representative Herron, Sponsor  
Representative Neuman, Sponsor