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Mark Davis, Director  
Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing  
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Dear Mr. Davis:

Terry Schoenthal, of the Alaska Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects, has indicated to me that he met with you and John Walsh on October 10, 2008 and discussed legislation to change the board composition of the Board of Registration for Architect, Engineers and Land Surveyors (AELS Board). Specifically, an omnibus bill was discussed which would include legislation to change the temporary landscape architect seat on the board to a permanent, voting seat.

The AELS Board, at its August 2007 meeting voted in favor of making this change. Therefore, this letter is written to express the AELS Board's support of the Society of Landscape Architect's efforts to pass legislation changing the temporary landscape architect seat on the board to a permanent, voting seat.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss this matter.

Regards,

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