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**Senator Charlie Huggins**  
**Alaska State Senate**  
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**Juneau, AK 99801**


**Dear Senator Huggins:**

SCI Alaska Chapter supports your effort to establish some common sense rules for the guiding profession here in Alaska. SB 190, if enacted, will allow registered and master guides who have contracted hunts to have reasonable opportunities to hire all help required to put on a professionally based hunt for their clients.

SCI Alaska Chapter is a leader in the hunter-conservationist community here in Alaska and is focused on 4 main mission areas. Those are: Hunter Advocacy, Conservation of Wildlife, Humanitarian Services and Education. The Chapter's annual Hunting Expo and Sportsman's Banquet is the largest gathering of hunters in Alaska and is privileged to be the home of the Governor's Conservationist of the Year Award. We are also particularly proud of our commitment to our military, police and firefighters on American Heroes Night which takes place on Friday evening.

We want to thank you for introducing this legislation and will be working with your fellow Senators to encourage its passage in the near future.

Sincerely,

  
**Gary Gearhart**  
**President**

cc: **Senator Mike Dunleavy, Chair Senate Labor & Commerce**  
**Senator Peter Micciche, Co- Chair Senate Labor & Commerce**  
**Senator Johnny Ellis**  
**Senator Donny Olson**  
**Senator Bert Stedman**

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