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STATE OF ALASKA Division of Elections Office of the Lieutenant Governor

April 3, 2013

The Honorable Bob Lynn, Chair House State Affairs Committee State Capitol, Room 108 Juneau, AK 99801

Dear Representative Lynn:

During the House State Affairs Committee hearing on March 14, 2013, I mentioned the division was participating in a 21 cross-state check of voter registration records. I indicated I would provide statistics as soon as they were available.

The Alaska Division of Elections participated in the cross-state match with 21 states, comparing Alaska's 513,126 voter records with participating states, for a total comparison of 84,877,703 registration records.

Of the 25,405 Alaska records identified as possible duplicates, further comparison found that 11,472 records had a more current voter registration date outside of Alaska. These voters have been sent notices to confirm the match and request they cancel their registration in Alaska.

The remaining 13,933 records are more current in Alaska. The state with a matching record will contact those voters to request a cancellation in their state.

The comparison of voter history found 14 potential cases of individuals actually voting in both Alaska and another state during the 2012 General Election. The Division is waiting to receive voter history documents from other states to make a definite determination of whether these individuals actually voted in more than one state, or if there was an error in recording voter history. After the research is completed, the names of any voters that voted in more than one state will be turned over to the Department of Law for prosecution.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Gail Fenumiai

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cc: House State Affairs Committee Members

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