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(AMENDED) BILL HEARING REQUEST

TO:

Rep. Dan Saddler, Co-chair, and Rep. Eric Feige, Co-chair

House Resources Committee

FROM: Rep. Mike Hawker

Mike

DATE: Jan.

Jan. 28, 2013

RE:

House Bill 4, Instate Gasline Development Corp

I request that a Sponsor Substitute for House Bill 4 be scheduled for a hearing, pending referral, at your earliest convenience after Jan. 29, 2013.

House Bill 4 establishes AGDC as an independent public corporation of the state, charged with developing, financing, constructing and operating instate natural gas pipelines that deliver gas to Fairbanks, Southcentral, and other communities where possible, at the lowest possible costs.

Specifically, House Bill 4 directs AGDC to implement a plan for an instate natural gas pipeline; creates a regulatory framework for a contract carrier pipeline; repositions the Alaska Natural Gas Development Authority as a gas marketing subsidiary of AGDC; and provides AGDC tools to accomplish its mission, including the ability to hold certain information confidential; to issue revenue bonds backed only by investor commitments; and to pursue development of additional instate natural gas pipelines in the future.

A sponsor statement, a copy of the bill, and a sectional will be forwarded to your offices as soon as possible.

Please feel free to contact me, or my legislative aide Rena Delbridge, at 465-4949 for any additional information, or to request additional background materials.