

Arctic Solar Ventures, LLC | Anchorage, AK 99501

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Dear Honorable Representative Tammie Wilson,

Arctic Solar Ventures, LLC is a newly formed project development company that is focused on developing high latitude solar projects. The passage of HB 78 (the Alaska Competitive Energy Act of 2015) is critically important to the future of private investment in Alaska. Without the proposed changes to incremental avoided costs that are included in HB 78, the energy market in Alaska is not favorable to private investment, nor is it competitive with outside markets for the placement of private capital.

As a new clean energy business in Alaska, the passage of HB 78 would be a positive competitive change, and promote new private investment in Alaska. We strongly support the passage of HB 78.

Thank you for your work on this important legislation.

Best Regards,  
Steve

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Trimble", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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