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The Honorable Mark Neuman The Honorable Steve Thompson Co-Chairs of House Finance Committee State Capitol Building Juneau, AK 99801-1182

Dear Representatives Neuman and Thompson,

Thank you for the opportunity to present an Overview of the Department of Labor and Workforce Development to your House Finance Committee on January 28, 2016. Provided below are responses to inquiries raised during the meeting.

The committee asked how the workers' compensation funds received their monies and when these rates were last reviewed. Enclosed is a document that provides information for each fund.

The committee also requested an update on tax credit donations for the year. The Alaska Vocational Technical Center has received \$100.0 in tax credit donations to date in FY2016 from three corporations.

Please let me know if you have further questions. I welcome the opportunity to speak with you on these or any other topics related to the department.

Sincerely,

Heidi Drygas Commissioner

Enclosure