



February 2, 2015

Honorable Representative Charisse Millett  
State Capitol Room 204  
Juneau AK, 99801

**RE: Letter of Support- House Bill 35 Great Alaska Earthquake Remembrance Day**

Dear Representative Millett:

The Property Casualty Insurers Association of America (PCI) is a national property casualty trade association comprised of over 1,000 member companies, representing the broadest cross-section of insurers of any national trade association. In Alaska, PCI members write 32.8 percent of personal auto insurance, 11.6 percent of homeowners insurance, 17.4 percent of commercial multi-peril business insurance, and 14.3 percent of private workers compensation insurance.

On behalf of PCI we are in support of HB 35, an act that would establish March 27 as the Great Alaska Earthquake Remembrance Day to honor people who died as a result of the most powerful earthquake in North America. The Great Alaska Earthquake Remembrance Day is an important reminder that a devastating earthquake can strike with little or no warning and the need for the appropriate insurance coverage. The standard homeowner's insurance policy does not provide coverage for earthquake damage, and thus homeowners should consider earthquake insurance to protect themselves from such catastrophes.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me directly at (916) 440-1117 or email at [armand.feliciano@pciaa.net](mailto:armand.feliciano@pciaa.net).

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Armand Feliciano", is positioned below the "Respectfully Submitted," text. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Armand Feliciano  
ACIC Vice President

Cc: Kristopher Knauss, The Knauss Group (PCI lobbyist)