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Senator Cathy Giessel
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MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 25, 2016

TO: Senator Mia Costello
Chair, Senate Labor and Commerce Committee

FROM: Senator Cathy Giessel 

RE: Request for Committee Hearing, Senate Bill 201, Pharmacy Board & Employees;
Drug Distribution/Manufacturing

I respectfully request that **Senate Bill 201** "Pharmacy Board & Employees; Drug Distribution/Manufacturing" be scheduled for a hearing before the Senate Labor and Commerce Committee at your earliest convenience.

Senate Bill 201 seeks to create a more secure drug supply chain in Alaska by allowing for licensing and inspection of whole-sale drug distributors located outside of the state. This legislation is critical to bring Alaska into compliance with the Drug Quality Security Act (DQSA).

Attached you will find:

1. SB 201
2. SB 201 Sponsor Statement
3. SB 201 Sectional Analysis
4. SB 201 Supporting Documents (forthcoming)
5. SB 201 Letters of Support (forthcoming)

Please contact Jane Conway, 465-4843, in my office if you need any further information.

Chair Senate Resources Committee | Vice-Chair Labor & Commerce

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