



February 27, 2017

Representative Adam Wool, Vice Chair
House Labor and Commerce Committee
State Capitol, Room 412
Juneau AK, 99801

Re: House Bill 132 Transportation Network Companies - SUPPORT

Dear Representative Wool:

The American Insurance Association (AIA), National Association of Mutual Insurance Companies (NAMIC), and the Property Casualty Insurers Association of America (PCI) are writing in support of HB 132. We believe that HB 132 (like SB 14) aligns Alaska with the National Conference of Insurance Legislators (NCOIL) model legislation on transportation network companies (TNC).

The NCOIL model provides clarity on insurance issues and affords the most protection for consumers whenever a TNC operates in Alaska. In particular, we appreciate your efforts in ensuring that coverage for underinsured and uninsured is included, clarifying insurance disclosure, and removing language that could have led to confusing coverage interpretation.

If you need further assistance on the insurance aspects of HB 132 or have additional questions, feel free to contact anyone of us: Armand Feliciano, ACIC Vice President (PCI / 916-205-2519/ armand.feliciano@pciaa.net), Christian Rataj, Senior Director (NAMIC/ 303-907-0587/ crataj@namic.org), or Katherine Pettibone, Vice President (AIA/ 916-442-7617/ kpettibone@aiadc.org).