

Sen. Chris Birch

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Sent: Friday, January 25, 2019 11:28 AM
To: Sen. Chris Birch
Subject: Nomination of Jason Brune as DEC Commissioner

Dear Senator Birch,

I am a long time Alaskan with a great fondness for this state in which I live and I am writing to oppose Jason Brune for the job of DEC Commissioner.

Jason Brune worked for Anglo American, an international mining firm with a poor track record for serving community and environment, in government relations and public affairs. Someone advocating for corporate interests as opposed to environmental interests should not be placed in the position of watchdog.

This is pure logic. You would not place a would-be thief in charge of security.

There are many people well qualified for this position that would approach their work from a place of neutrality rather than a strong pro-development agenda. He won't serve wise and prudent development of our natural resources.

Thank you for your attention.

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