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Senator Chris Birch Senate Resources Committee State Capitol Room 205 Juneau AK, 99801

RE: Mr. Orville Huntington's appointment to the Board of Game

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Dear Chairman Birch,

The Alaska Professional Hunters Association (APHA) supports the appointment of Mr. Orville Huntington to the Alaska Board of Game.

The APHA believes it is important to have mix of different voices and viewpoints on the Board of Game. While the decisions that the Board makes affect all Alaskans, they often have the greatest impact on rural areas, for this reason we feel it is particularly critical to have a strong rural voice. We feel that Mr. Huntington will bring that voice to Board deliberations.

Finding qualified, fair minded people who are willing to serve on the Board of Game is challenging, and we appreciate that Mr. Huntington is willing to serve. We look forward to getting to know him through the process.

The APHA respectfully asks that you support the appointment of Mr. Huntington to the Board of Game.

Thank you for your consideration,

Sam Rohrer President, APHA