

Löki Tobin

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Sent: Wednesday, May 8, 2019 6:15 PM
To: Löki Tobin
Cc: Penny Gage
Subject: Re: Insurance Bill/ Penny Gage

Waqaa (Hello in Yup'ik), Löki.

I am writing a written testimony in favor of SB 106. In May 2018, I was a victim of theft, from my vehicle. My truck was not stolen though my drivers side window was broken and valuable items were taken. Amongst those items included a iPhone 7 Plus (worth \$1,100), a coach bag, name brand makeup and several valuable items which altogether was worth over \$2,500 dollars. I do own a condo which includes insurance for lost/theft of valuables so I figured it would be a good idea to submit a claim since items lost were significant and went beyond my deductible of \$1,000. I went ahead and completed necessary forms with having a chance to speak to my insurance agent though what they failed to inform me is that if I were to submit a claim that I would be at risk for losing insurance on my home, and it would be on record for 5 years. I learned of this from my auto insurance company so I called my home insurance to reverse my claim and shared my concern of not knowing the consequences I would subject to. I wasn't happy with home insurance provider though I remained with them as they are a lot more affordable than my auto insurance provider. Long story short I am appalled of the limitations set by insurance companies as life sometimes happen. We should not have to go without insurance and the ability to protect ourselves. I am in support of SB 106.

Quyana!

Ella Tonuchuk

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On May 8, 2019, at 10:52 AM, Löki Tobin <Loki.Tobin@akleg.gov> wrote:

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