

February 19th, 2021

The Honorable DeLena Johnson
Room Number 405, State Capitol
Juneau, AK

RE: House Bill 3

Dear DeLena Johnson:

My name is Sean Martin and **I am writing in support** of HB 3. I am a Systems Engineer working in the IT industry and have an interest in HB 3 to amend section 1. AS 26.23.900(2) to include cybersecurity as event in the definition to trigger disaster.

I believe by providing the State of Alaska the ability to declare an emergency, the affected parties' gains access to state resources and assistance from cybersecurity experts to assist them in responding to their cybersecurity incidents that affect state resources.

The HB 3 will allow the State of Alaska to be focused on preparing for, responding to, and preventing cybersecurity attacks to assist local governments as they battle cybersecurity events.

Sincerely,

Sean Martin

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