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Senator Cathy Giessel
State Capitol Room 427
Juneau, Alaska 99801
RE: Support of SB 94

Dear Senator Giessel,

As a practicing Pharmacist in Alaska, I thank for your support for introducing SB 94 ,
"An Act relating to the Board of Pharmacy;....." is the result of collaboration between
the Alaska Board of Pharmacy and the Alaska Pharmacists Association (AKPhA) to
modernize pharmacy practice statutes.

As you are aware SB 94 will update pharmacy practice statutes to:

- Streamline the licensure process while improving public safety
- Align pharmacy statutes with other AK boards' and other states' statutes
- Increase access to epinephrine auto-injectors, medication delivery devices for anaphylaxis emergencies
- Ensure the Board of Pharmacy powers and duties support the Drug Supply Chain and Security Act (DSCSA) related to manufacturers, out-of-state pharmacies, and internet pharmacies to ensure Alaskans receive safe medications

Thank you again for introducing this bill which will allow the Board of Pharmacy to continue to meet its mission in promoting, preserving, and protecting Alaskans' public health, safety, and welfare. I whole heartedly support this legislation.

Sincerely,

Barry Christensen, RPh
Owner

