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The Honorable Representative Prax
Alaska House of Representatives
State Capitol Room 108
Juneau, Alaska 99801
Representative.Mike.Prax@akleg.gov

Re: CSHB 96 – Licensing: Drugs/Devices for Home Dialysis – Letter of Support (Removal of opposition)

Dear Representative Prax,

The Board of Pharmacy (“board”) previously opposed HB 96, an Act relating to licensing and registration requirements for certain wholesale drug distributors; and providing for an effective date. During its April 21, 2023, meeting the board discussed CSHB 96 and voted unanimously to SUPPORT the amended language as it provides clarification to address the previous reasons for board opposition.

The board appreciated the opportunity to provide input with the goal to decrease barriers to access for critically needed dialysis products while maintaining public safety.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ashley Schaber".

Ashley Schaber, PharmD, MBA, BCPS (Chair)
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