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MEMORANDUM

Date: February 19, 2007

To: Representative Kohring, Chair
House Special Committee on Oil and Gas

From: Suzi Lowell 
Chief Clerk

Subject: Governor's Appointment

The Speaker referred the following Governor's appointment to the House Special Committee on Oil and Gas and the Resources Committee:

Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

Ms. Cathy P. Foerster - Anchorage

Appointed: 3/23/2005 Reappointed: 1/23/2007 Term Expires: 3/1/2013

The Referral for Confirmation page, resume, and signature page are attached for your use.

Attachments as noted.



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Action Date: April 12, 2007
(Same date as on the accompanying signature page)

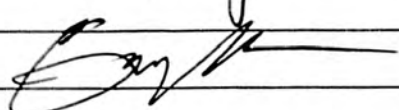
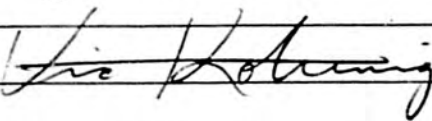
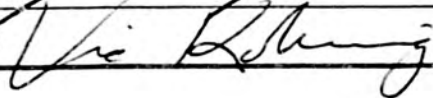
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CONFIRMATION COMMITTEE REPORT

Action date: April 12, 2007

The **House Special Committee on Oil and Gas** has reviewed the qualifications of the following Governor's appointee(s) as shown on the attached Referral for Confirmation form(s) and recommends that the name(s) be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

This does not reflect intent by any of the members to vote for or against this individual during any further sessions for the purposes of confirmation.

Signature:	Printed Last Name
	DOOGAN
	RANKIN
	Lehning
	OLSON
	KAWASAKI
Chair: 	Lehning

Please attach appointee Referral for Confirmation form(s) and return to the Chief Clerk's office.

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Cathy P Foerster

Summary of qualifications

Strong problem-solving and people skills, intelligence, and integrity. 25+ years of broad petroleum industry experience from technical to management, from research to operations, and from the Gulf of Mexico to the North Slope of Alaska.

Education

1973 - 1977 University of Texas Austin, Texas
Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering with Highest Honors

Professional experience

2002 - Present PRA
Reservoir Engineer: Provide technical consulting on a variety of projects, including Kuparuk exploration evaluation for Pioneer Resources, Facilities Access study for DNR, and Lisburne redevelopment study for BP.

2000 - 2001 BP
Director, BP Energy Center: Managed construction and final design details, stressing safety, cost containment, and quality control. Coordinated development of energy education displays and presentations. Collaborated with community leaders, non-profits, and educators.

1999 - 2000 ARCO Alaska, Inc.
Government Relations Director: Represented ARCO's interests as lobbyist before Alaska state legislators and other public officials.

1994 - 1998 ARCO Alaska, Inc.
Planning and New Field Development Supervisor: Supervised engineers and geoscientists in developing new satellite fields on the North Slope of Alaska. Managed long range plan, budget, reserves reports, and performance analyses.

1992 - 1994 ARCO Alaska, Inc.
Production Superintendent: Managed non-rig wellwork and drillsite support operations with over \$100 million annual budget for the Eastern Operating Area of Prudhoe Bay Field.

1989 - 1992 ARCO Exploration & Production Technology, Inc.
Research Director: Managed production engineering research and technical support efforts of engineers and scientists in well stimulation, rock mechanics, reservoir geochemistry, artificial lift, and profile modification. Served as liaison between R&D staff and operations clients. Represented ARCO's interests in various research consortia.

1987 - 1989 ARCO Oil & Gas Co.
Reservoir Coordinator: Served as technical liaison between executives in company headquarters and technical personnel in operating districts on financial evaluations, engineering and exploration project proposals, competitor analyses, and acquisition evaluations.

1982 - 1987 ARCO Oil & Gas Co.
Area Engineer: Led various production and reservoir engineering groups that developed and managed onshore South Texas and offshore Gulf of Mexico fields. Interacted extensively with Texas oil and gas regulatory agency officials.

1979 - 1982 ARCO Oil & Gas Co.
Operations Engineer: Developed and managed various oil and gas fields onshore in South Texas.

1978 - 1979 Exxon Gas System, Inc.
Facilities Engineer: Provided facilities engineering support for an intra-state gas pipeline system

1977 - 1978 Exxon Company USA
Reservoir Engineer: Performed reservoir and surveillance engineering for oil and gas fields onshore in South Texas

Objective

Employment using my oil & gas, problem-solving, and business management skills and experience

References

Provided upon request