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Special Committee On Foreign Trade

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Juneau, Alaska 99811
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MEMORANDUM

TO: House Foreign Trade Committee Members who participated in the delegation to the Soviet Far East

FROM: Representative George Jackson Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade

DATE: November 16, 1989

SUBJECT: Disclosure of Soviet travel

Enclosed is a memorandum for your reference of what you must disclose to the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics regarding our recent trip to the Soviet Union.

Please disclose this information as soon as possible.

We are planning a teleconference sometime during the first week of December to discuss follow up for the trip. If you will out of town, or if you have any questions regarding the trip, please contact Heather at 561-6154.

Thank you.

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Rep. George Jacko, Jr.

MEMORANDUM

TO: Senator Pat Pourchot, Chairman
Select Committee on Legislative Ethics

FROM: Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade

DATE: October 31, 1989

SUBJECT: Disclosure of Travel Pursuant to AS 24.60.080 (d)

Pursuant to AS 24.60.080(d), I wish to disclose a gift of travel primarily for the purpose of obtaining information on matters of legislative concern.

As Chairman of the House Special Committee on Foreign Trade, I lead a committee delegation to the Soviet Far East for two weeks. All travel, food, lodging and miscellaneous costs for this delegation were paid in full from September 22 to October 6 by our Soviet hosts: The Executive Committees of Magadan Oblast, Primorskii Krai and Khabarovsk Krai, respectively. The value of this trip is difficult to estimate, and exceeded \$100.



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November 16, 1989

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Anchorage, Alaska 99510

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M E M O R A N D U M

TO: All Members, House Foreign Trade Delegation
to the Soviet Far East, Japan and South Korea

FROM: Representative George Jacko, Jr. *GL*
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade

DATE: November 17, 1989

SUBJECT: Slides and Photographs

I would greatly appreciate if you could please forward any slides or negatives of our recent Pacific Rim trip to my office in Anchorage. Black and white negatives would be extremely useful.

I will need the slides for approximately 2 weeks in order to edit and reproduce them to create a committee file of our recent trip, and will return them as soon as possible.

I would also appreciate copies of any coverage in your local newspapers regarding our trip.

Thank you for your assistance. Please pouch the material to the Anchorage LIO at 3111 "C" Street, Anchorage, Alaska 99503 at your earliest possible convenience.

Please contact Heather at 561-6154 with any questions.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. K.S. Yang
Alaska State Representative to Korea

FROM: Heather Bradner, Assistant
House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
Representative George Jacko, Jr., Chairman

DATE: November 16, 1989

SUBJECT: Recent Trip to Korea

Greetings from Alaska to all! Representative Jacko and I would like to thank all of you for your assistance during our recent visit. The trip was a very valuable experience for all committee members.

I would like to just check one thing with you. For the purposes of disclosure to the Legislative Ethics Committee, I need to find out if any of the breakfasts/lunches/tours etc...that were hosted for the delegation exceeded the value of U.S. \$100.00 per individual.

Could you please estimate if any of the events I have marked on the following page may have exceeded US \$100.00/per person/per event.

Thank you.

DRAFT ITINERARY FOR
Alaska Legislature Representatives
October 10-12, 1989

Oct. 10 (Tue)

12:30	Arrive at Seoul by Northwest #61 Check in the Lotte Hotel
15:00-16:30	Full briefing by the State Seoul Office
16:40-17:00	Visit the Oregon State Seoul Office
19:00	Dinner hosted by Mr. T. I. Kim, President of Suneel Shipping Co., Ltd. ← ?

Oct. 11 (Wed)

07:20	Leave the Lotte Hotel
08:00	Arrive the Inter-Continental Hotel Breakfast meeting with Ambassador Richard L. Walker (Magnolia Rm. 2nd Fl.) ← ?
10:00	Meeting with Mr. Hwan-Kyu Lew, Executive Director for International Activities, the Korea National Tourism Corporation
11:00	Meeting with Hyundai Corporation
12:00	Lunch at the Hotel
13:30	City Tour & Shopping
19:00	Dinner at the Korea House ← ?

Oct. 12 (Thur)

04:40	Depart the Lotte Hotel for Noryangjin Fishery Market
05:00	Tour to the Fishery Market
06:30	Depart for the Lotte Hotel
07:00	Breakfast hosted by Mr. Kim ← ?
09:00	Meeting with Ms. Camille E. Sailer, Esp., Commercial Officer, the U.S. Embassy
13:00	Depart for the Airport
16:55	Depart to Tokyo by NW 060



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TO: Mr. Kaz Hayashi, AK St Rep to Japan
ATTN: Ms. Greta Anderson and Ms. Kimiko Muguruma

FROM: Heather Bradner, Assistant
Foreign Trade Committee
Rep. George Jacko, Chairman

DATE: November 16, 1989

SUBJECT: Recent trip to Tokyo

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ALASKA STATE OFFICE TOKYO JAPAN

ATTACHMENT A

LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION TO TOKYO, JAPAN -- OCTOBER 6 thru OCTOBER 9, 1989

ALASKA STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FOREIGN TRADE COMMITTEE
Rep. George Jacko, Jr., Chairman; Rep. Bill Hudson, Rep. Mike Davis;
Rep. Virginia Collins; Rep. Johnny Ellis; Ms. Heather Bradner - Cmt. Asst.

Friday--October 6, 1989

14:05 Arr Niigata Int'l Airport & Transfer to Niigata Train Station via taxi
Depart Niigata Station via Shinkansen - Bullet Train
Arrive Ueno Station, Tokyo (about two hours travel time)
Transfer to Ginza Tokyu Hotel (9 singles reserved: Ginza Tokyu Hotel
PH: (03) 541-2411; maps, sightseeing tours avlbl from receptionist)

Saturday--October 7, 1989

(Two depart from Narita Airport to Return to Anchorage: 21:30 SAS flight)

10:30 Depart hotel for Alaska State Tokyo Office (Rep. Jacko,
Rep. Hudson, Rep. Davis, Rep. Collins, Rep. Ellis and Ms. Bradner)
11:00-13:30 Tokyo Office briefing, Tourism Office Briefing and lunch ←

Hotel Okura

Sunday--October 8, 1989

Free

Monday--October 9, 1989

4:30 Depart Hotel for Tsukiji Fish Market
5:00 -10:00 Tsukiji Fish Market Tour, Breakfast → Sushi ←
11:00-12:00 Hotel/Lunch
12:00 To Tokyo State Office
13:00-16:00 Mr. Satake, President, Overseas Fishery Cooperative Foundation
(OFCF); Mr. Nagahata, Int'l Section, Japan Fisheries Agency,
Ministry of Fisheries, Forests & Agriculture: Topics, AK/OFCF
relationship, US/Japan relationships, (industry and political)
16:20-17:00 Mr. Junzo Sasaki, President and Mr. Takeuchi, Managing Director,
Nichiro Gyogyo Co., Ltd.: Topic, Japanese Market & Distribution
System
17:30-19:30 Reception hosted by OFCF at ANA Hotel: Attendees, Japan Fisheries
Agency, Japan Fisheries Assoc., Executives of Fisheries Import Co.



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November 16, 1989

"Letters from the people"
The Anchorage Daily News
P.O. Box 14-9001
Anchorage, Alaska 99514-9001

To the Editor:

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The Aleutian Eagle
3933 Geneva Place
Anchorage, Alaska 99508

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Bristol BayTimes & Dutch Harbor Fisherman
P.O. Box 1129
Dillingham, Alaska 99576

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411 West 4th Avenue
Anchorage, Alaska 99510-4480

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November 17, 1989

Mr. Yuri Dubinin
Soviet Ambassador to the United States
Embassy of the U.S.S.R.
1125 16th Street, NW
Washington, D.C., 20036

Dear Mr. Dubinin:

As Chairman of the House Foreign Trade Committee of the Alaska State Legislature, I am writing to express my great concern over the recent news that Bering Air's charter flight service between Nome and Provideniya may be discontinued due to the reimposition of a requirement to carry a Soviet navigator each flight.

This is disheartening news for both Alaskans and Soviets. The Foreign Trade Committee just completed an extensive trip throughout the Soviet Far East, and the message is clear and strong on both sides of the Bering Strait that convenient, affordable and dependable communication and transportation is absolutely vital before trade and commerce between our two nations can follow.

I cannot emphasize enough how important this flight service has been to Alaskans seeking to advance trade, culture and scientific exchanges. I urge reconsideration of the reason for stopping this service so that we will not lose this truly incredible and miraculous but above all vital link with our Soviet neighbors.

Sincerely,

George Jacko, Jr.
Representative George Jacko, Jr.
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cc: Governor Steve Cowper, State of Alaska
All Members, House Foreign Trade Committee



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MEMORANDUM

TO: All Members, House Foreign Trade Committee
FROM: Representative George Jacko, Jr., Chairman
DATE: November 16, 1989
SUBJECT: Foreign Trade Meeting

The House Special Committee on Foreign Trade will meet December 8th from 10:00 to 12:00 p.m. on the 5th floor of the Anchorage Legislative Information Office.

The purpose of this meeting is to examine draft resolutions the Foreign Trade Committee may introduce next session, as well discuss additional ideas resulting from our trip. It is a work session only, and members may participate via teleconference. The bridge number to call collect is 562-2882.

Please call Heather at 561-6154 if you will be on teleconference, or if you have any questions regarding our recent trip.

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November 27, 1989

A handwritten signature, likely of George Jacko, Jr., consisting of stylized initials and a surname.

Mr. Ron P. Philemonoff
Chairman of the Board
The Tanadgusix Corporation
1500 West 33rd Avenue, Suite 220
Anchorage, Alaska 99503

Dear Ron:

Enclosed are photographs from my September visit to St. Paul for the Pribilof Island Joint Management Board Meeting.

Thank you for showing me around your beautiful island. I really enjoyed my stay, and hope you enjoy these photographs.

As you know, Representative Jacko will be in St. Paul in early December, and can discuss with you in person any issues regarding the Joint Management Board.

Again, thank you for the opportunity to attend this past meeting. Please stay in touch regarding future meetings.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature of Heather Bradner in cursive script.

Heather Bradner
Legislative aide to Representative George Jacko, Jr.

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Handwritten initials "GJ" in dark ink.

November 27, 1989

Elekonida Mandregan
9499 Brayton Dr., Sp. 236
Anchorage, Alaska 99507

Dear Ella:

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cc: Sam Cotten, Speaker
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TO: Ginna Brelsford
Office of International Trade

FROM: Heather Bradner
House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
Representative George Jacko, Jr., Chairman

DATE: December 5, 1989

SUBJECT: Soviet Far East

As the Legislature will reconvene shortly in January, I would like to know if the Administration is planning to introduce any legislation or funding requests regarding Alaska - Soviet Far East relations.

For your information, enclosed is list of legislation the House Special Committee on Foreign Trade may introduce next session. Your commentary is welcome.

Thank you.

PROPOSED COMMITTEE LEGISLATION

A. Discuss rough drafts of following resolutions:

1. Support 1 year waiver on Jackson-Vanik Amendment
2. Recommend a U.S./U.S.S.R. Summit in Alaska
3. Aleut Natives: Participation in Native Visa Free Travel Agreement?
4. Urge the U.S. State Department to open an ~~Alaskan~~ office in Alaska

B. Research and discuss additional ideas for resolutions:

1. Urge renegotiation of Bilateral Maritime Treaty
2. Express continued support for air routes between Alaska and Soviet Far East (* The Committee passed a resolution supporting AK-SFE Flights in 1987 - see enclosures)
3. Eliminate 14 day advance notice requirement for Soviet vessels calling on American ports

C. Other suggestions?

1. Administration
2. Senate

5. Urge Soviet Consulate to open office in Alaska

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John R. Mercurief, Mayor
City of Saint Paul
Pouch 1
St. Paul Island, Alaska 99660

Dear Mayor Mercurief:

I would like to draw your attention to a recent agreement signed between the United States and the Soviet Union enabling visa free travel between Natives of Alaska and the Soviet Far East.

This agreement has already been signed and will be implemented this spring. Under the terms of the agreements, however, only Natives in the Bering Strait region with blood, linguistic or cultural similarities are eligible for the new travel rights.

However, because the Aleut people also have strong geographic, cultural and historic ties to Natives in the Soviet Far East, I am requesting their consideration in any future agreement.

Enclosed is a draft resolution requesting the United States and Soviet governments to include the Aleut people under future Native visa free travel agreements. I would appreciate your and the city council's review, commentary and improvement of this document.

Please contact me if I can provide any further information.

Sincerely,

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Max Malavansky, Mayor
City of St. George
P.O. Box 929
St. George Island, Alaska 99591-0929

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Enclosure

DISTRICT 26: ADAK, AKUTAN, ALEKNAGIK, ATKA, BELKOFSKI, CLARK'S POINT, COLD BAY, DILLINGHAM, DUTCH HARBOR, EGEGIK, EKUK, EKWOK, FALSE PASS, IGIUGIG, ILIAMNA, KING COVE, KING SALMON, KOKHANOK, KOLIGANEK, LEVELOCK, MANOKOTAK, NAKNEK, NELSON LAGOON, NEWHALEN, NEW STUYAHOK, NIKOLSKI, NONDALTON, PEDRO BAY, PILE BAY, PILOT POINT, POPE & VANOI, PORT ALSWORTH, PORT HEIDEN, PORT MOLLER, PORTAGE CREEK, SAND POINT, SOUTH NAKNEK, SQUAW HARBOR, ST. GEORGE, ST. PAUL, TOGIAC, TWIN HILLS, UGASHIK, UNALASKA

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Chairman, Tanadgusix Corporation
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Sincerely,

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Gina Marie Lindsey, Executive Director
Anchorage International Airport System
P.O. Box 190649
Anchorage, Alaska 99519-0649

Dear Gina Marie:

Thank you for meeting with Representative Finkelstein and I yesterday regarding the Anchorage International Airport System. The tour to the Federal Express facilities and Duty Free Shoppers Limited was a very valuable and interesting experience. I would like to thank Mr. Mark Butler for his commendable tour throughout the area.

Please do not hesitate to contact me in the future if I can provide any assistance. I look forward to working with you next session on increasing Alaska's foreign trade, tourism and transportation opportunities.

With best wishes for the Holidays,

Sincerely,

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade

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December 15, 1989

Brian Bell, Senior Manager
Federal Express Alaska
4001 West International Airport Road
Anchorage, Alaska 99502

Dear Brian:

I would like to thank you for the opportunity to visit your Federal Express facilities in Anchorage. You have an impressive operation.

As a state legislator concerned with the development and future of Alaska, I would like to thank Federal Express for their contribution to our economy. I appreciated the opportunity to view firsthand your exciting operations.

I would also like to thank and commend Lona for her valuable and interesting tour of the Federal Express airport facilities.

I wish your company continued success here in Alaska, and best wishes for the Holiday season.

Sincerely,

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
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December 15, 1989

Kenton T. Eldridge, Division President
Alaska Division, Duty Free Shoppers Limited Partnership
Anchorage International Airport
P.O. Box 190205
Anchorage, Alaska 99519-0205

Dear Mr. Eldridge:

I am sorry I did not have the chance to meet you yesterday during our tour to Duty Free Shoppers Limited. I was quite impressed with your operation, and it's contribution to the the Alaskan economy.

I would also like to thank and commend Mr. Gus Robinson for his excellent tour throughout the area.

With best wishes for the Holidays,

Sincerely,

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
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Rep. George Jacko, Jr.

MEMORANDUM

TO: Senator Pat Pourchot, Chairman
Select Committee on Legislative Ethics

FROM: Heather Bradner *HB*
Legislative Assistant to Representative George Jacko

DATE: December 18, 1989

SUBJECT: Disclosure of Travel Pursuant to AS 24.60.080 (d)

Pursuant to AS.24.60.080(d), I wish to disclose a gift of travel primarily for the purpose of obtaining information on matters of legislative concern.

On September 11 - 13, 1989 I travelled to St. Paul to attend a meeting of the Pribilof Island Joint Management Board. Air travel was donated by Peninsula Airways, Reeve Aleutian Air and the City of St. Paul. The total value of this air travel exceeded \$100.00. Food and lodging were donated the Tanadgusik Corporation, and exceeded the value of \$100.00.

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On November 2-10, 1989 I travelled to the communities of Dillingham, Togiak, Manokotak, New Stuyahok, Koliganek and Ekwok. The air travel was donated by Mark Air, and the value of the flights exceeded \$100.00.

To Mr. Hayashi,

I would like to thank you for all of your help and assistance during our trip to Tokyo this October. We appreciated learning more about your office and operations, and about Alaska's trade relationship with Japan.

Please extend our gratitude to Ms. Greta Anderson-Goto, Ms. Muguruma, and Ms. Kuroda.

With best wishes to all of you for the upcoming decade.
On behalf of the members of the Foreign Trade Committee,

Thank you,


Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade

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Enclosed are some photographs we hope you enjoy!

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BY

TO: Mr. Kazanuga Hayashi
Alaska State Representative to Japan
1-40 4-Chome,
Toranomom
Minato-ku TOKYO 105
JAPAN

Mr. Abe,

I would like to thank you for meeting with us during our trip to Tokyo this October. Your presentation was very interesting and valuable. As members of the Foreign Trade Committee, we are very interested in tourism between Japan and Alaska.

Please extend our thanks to Ms. Hiromi Mita. With best wishes to both of you for the upcoming decade.

On behalf of the members of the Foreign Trade Committee,

Thank you,

George Jacko Jr.

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade

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TO: Mr. Kojiro Abe, Japan Representative
Alaska State Division of Tourism
5FL Yamakatsu Bldg., 1-40 Toranomom 4-Chome
Minato-Ku, Tokyo 105, JAPAN

To Mr. Hiroyasu Itoh,

I would like to thank you for the excellent and very interesting tour you provided us to the Tokyo Central Wholesale Market, Tsukiji, when we were in Tokyo this October.

As legislators for the State of Alaska, fisheries is an area of great interest and importance to us. We greatly appreciated your hospitality.

Please extend our gratitude to Mr. Osuga and Mr. Koga. With best wishes to each of you during the upcoming decade, and our behalf of members of the Committee,
Thank you,

George Jacko Jr.

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade

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Enclosed are some photographs we hope you enjoy. Could you please give the sushi bar the extra copies with our thanks and appreciation? Thank you.

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TO: Mr. Hiroyasu Itoh, Managing Director
Frozen and Processed Fish Dept.
Chuo Gyorui Co., Ltd.
Tokyo Central Wholesale Market
2-1, Tsukiji 5-Chome, Chuo-Ku, Tokyo 104, JAPAN

December 19, 1989

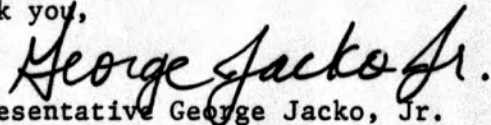
Mr. Satake,

I would like to thank you for meeting with our delegation during our recent trip to Tokyo. It was a pleasure and an honor to meet you.

We appreciated the opportunity to discuss fisheries issues with Mr. Morikawa, Mr. Tsukahara, Mr. Ogushi, and Mr. Takagi. Please extend our appreciation to them.

With best wishes to you for the upcoming decade. On behalf of the members of the committee,

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "George Jacko Jr.".

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Chairman, Special Committee on Foreign Trade
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TO: Mr. Goroku Satake, President
Overseas Fishery Cooperation Foundation
Akasaka Twin Tower
17-22, Akasaka 2,
Minato-Ku, Tokyo, JAPAN

Mr. Daishiro Nagahata,

I would like to thank you for the briefing you provided members of my delegation during our recent trip to Tokyo. We are very appreciative of your hospitality.

With best wishes to you during the upcoming decade. On behalf of the Committee,

Thank you,

George Jacko Jr.

Reoresentative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, Special Committee on Foreign Trade
Alaska State Legislature

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TO: Mr. Daishiro Nagahata, Deputy Director
International Affairs Division
Fisheries Agency
Government of Japan
1-2-1 Kasumigaseki
Chiyoda-Ku Tokyo, JAPAN

Dear Mr. Sasaki,

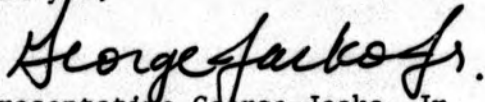
I would like to thank you for meeting with our delegation during our recent trip to Tokyo. It was a pleasure to meet you.

We appreciated the opportunity to learn more about your company and the important trade relationship you maintain with Alaska.

Please extend our gratitude to Mr. Takeuchi, Mr. Nenohi, Mr. Fukunaga, Mr..Suzuki, and Mr. Urano who also attended the meeting.

With best wishes for the upcoming decade. On behalf of members of the Committee,

Thank you,

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Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
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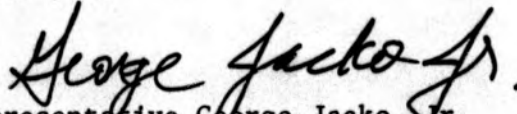
TO: Mr. Junzo Sasaki, President
Nichiro Gyogyo Kaisha, Ltd.
Shin-Yurakucho Bldg.
12-1, Yuraku-Cho 1-Chome
Chiyoda-Ku, Tokyo 100, JAPAN

Mr. Kim,

I would like to thank you for your hospitality during our recent trip to Seoul this October. It was a pleasure and an honor to meet you.

With best of wishes to you for the upcoming decade, and on behalf of members of the committee,

Thank you,

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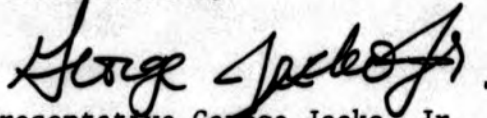
TO: Mr. Tae-Il Kim, Presidnet
Sun Eel Shipping Co., Ltd.
C.P.O. Box 4532
Seoul, KOREA

Mr. Lew,

I would like to thank you for meeting with my delegation during our recent visit to Seoul this October. It was a pleasure to meet you.

We look forward to the growing tourism relationship between Korea and Alaska, and appreciate the Korea National Tourism Corporation's involvement and interest in this relationship.

With best wishes to you for the upcoming decade. On behalf of members of the committee,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "George Jacko, Jr.", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
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Mr. Hwan-Kyu Lew, Vice-President for Marketing
Korea National Tourism Corporation
KNTC Bldg.
10, Ta-Dong Chung-Ku
Seoul, Korea
C.P.O. Box 903

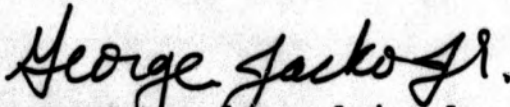
Dear Ambassador Walker,

I would like to thank you for meeting with my delegation during our recent visit to Seoul this October.

We appreciated the opportunity to discuss the growing Alaskan-Korean trade relationship.

With best wishes for the upcoming decade, and on behalf of members of the committee,

Thank you,

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Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
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TRAVEL OF INTEREST

STATE DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON

TO: Richard Walker
James F. Byrnes Professor and
Ambassador-in-Residence
Institute of International Studies
University of South Carolina

Columbia, South Carolina, 29208

Dear Ms. Sailer,

I would like to thank you for meeting with my delegation during our recent visit to Seoul this October.

We appreciated your overview of issues affecting the Alaskan-Korean and American-Korean trade relationship.

With best wishes to you for the upcoming decade. On behalf of members of the committee,

Thank you,

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Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
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SPECIAL DELIVERY

TO: Ms. Camille E. Sailer, Esq.
Commercial Officer
Embassy of the United States of America
SEOUL, KOREA

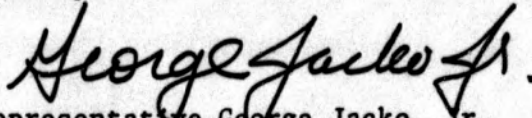
Mr. Lee,

I would like to thank you for meeting with my delegation during our recent visit to Seoul. It was a pleasure to meet you.

We appreciated the chance to learn the role of other state offices in Korea, and found your perspective and expertise very valuable.

With best wishes to you for the upcoming decade. On behalf of members of the committee,

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "George Jacko Jr.", written in dark ink.

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
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TO: Lee, Doo-Yong, Director
State of Missouri
Korea Liaison Office
Rm 1606, Kyobo Bldg.
#1, 1-Ka, Chongno, Chongno-Ku
Seoul, KOREA

Mr. Keun-Man Suh and Mr. Kwang Hun,

I would just like to thank you for meeting with my delegaion during our recent visit to Seoul this October.

We received a copy of the news article from our interview, and we are appreciative of your interest and attention to the growing trade relationship between Alaska and Korea.

With best wishes to you for the upcoming decade, and on behalf of members of the committee,

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "George Jacko, Jr.", written in dark ink.

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
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TO: General Manager Keun-Man Suh and Reporter Kwang Han
Fishermen's Paper
1365-21, Socho-Dong
Socho-Ku, Seoul, KOREA



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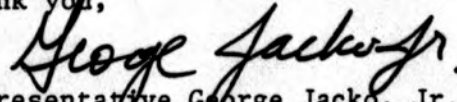
Mr. Yang,

I would like to thank you for all your help and assistance during our recent trip to Seoul this October. We appreciated learning more about your office and operations, and about Alaska's growing trade relationship with Korea.

Please extend our gratitude to Mr. Kim and Ms. Kim for their excellent assistance.

With best wishes to you for the upcoming decade. On behalf of members of the Foreign Trade Committee,

Thank you,

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Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
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TO: Mr. K.S. Yang, Alaska State Representative for Korea
Alaska State Office Seoul Korea
Kyobo Bldg., Suite 2112
1, 1-Ka, Chongro, Chongro-Wu
Seoul 110-714, KOREA

Dear Mr. Kim,

I would like to thank you for meeting with my delegation during our recent visit to Seoul this October.

We found the tour of the fishery market fascinating, and we are hopeful opportunities for Alaska - Korea trade will increase.

Please extend our gratitude to your employees as well for their assistance.

With best wishes to you for the upcoming decade, and on behalf of members of the committee,

Thank you,

George Jacko, Jr.

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
Alaska State Legislature

*Mr. Kim,
I have contacted DEC (Department
of Environmental Conservation regarding
your request. They indicated the problem
seems solved as they have not
heard from anyone on this
since September
Please let me
know if you
need any
further
assistance -
Thank
you
again,
George*

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TO: Mr. Y.D. Kim, President
Sam Poong Fisheries
New Star Trading Company
16-1. Noryangjin-Dong, Dongjak-Ku
Seoul, KOREA

Ambassador Walker,

I would like to thank you for meeting with my delegation during our visit to Seoul this October.

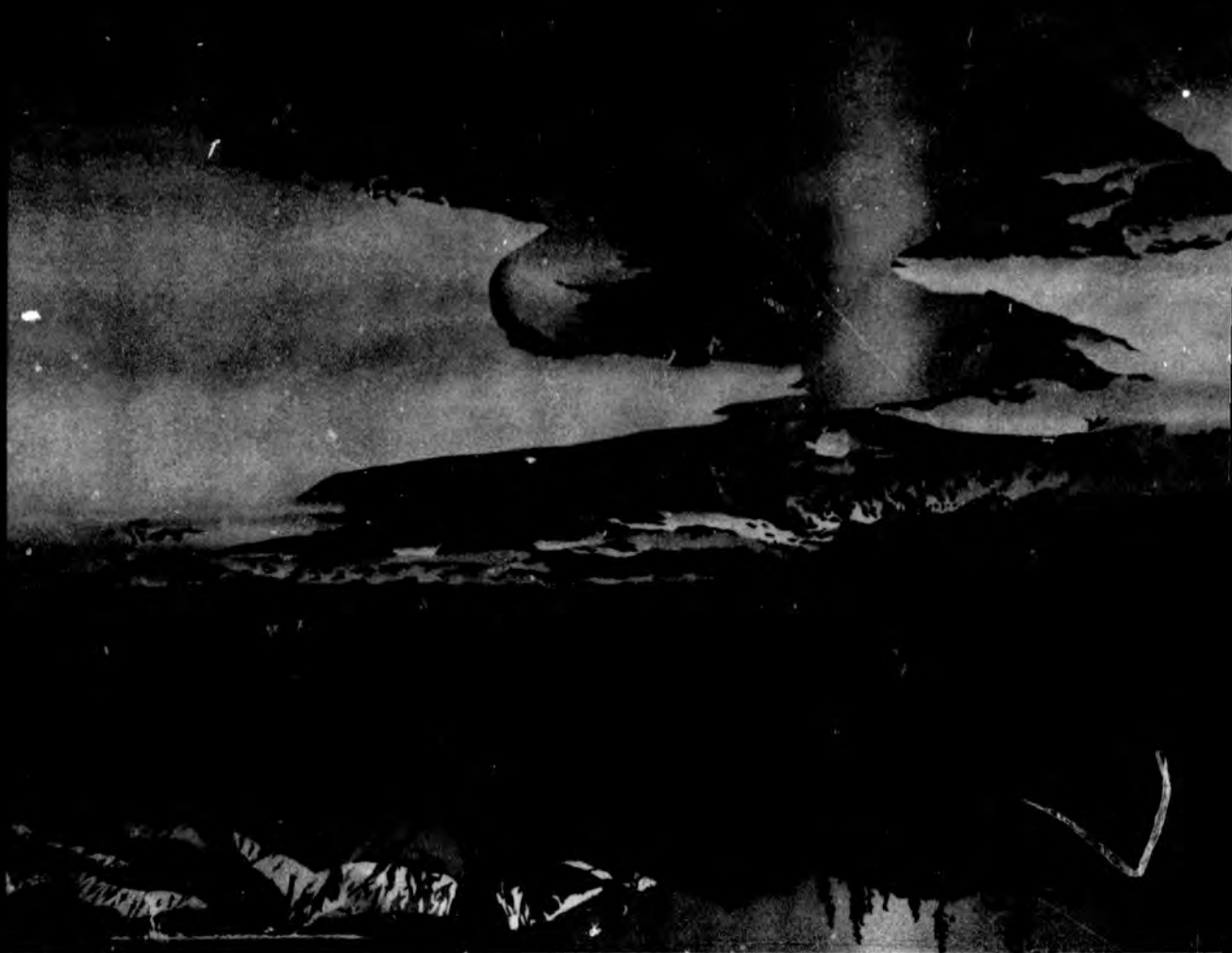
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Thank you,

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
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Byron Birdsall is a landscape watercolorist... a man who likes to play with shapes. His watercolors are distillations of reality, scenes reduced to their basics, with the integrity of the subject intact. Birdsall is an artist who has lived and painted in Alaska for two decades. This extraordinarily popular artist has been featured in many national publications including *American Artist* in 1981.

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December 20, 1989

Mr. Greg Shaw
Baynes Communications Inc.
16 Wareham
Ottawa, Ontario CANADA K2H-6P8

Dear Mr. Shaw:

As Chairman of the Foreign Trade Committee in the Alaska State House of Representatives, I am very interested in your publication INFOFISH. Your address was referred by Alaska Information and Research Services.

Please send me a copy of your magazine, if possible. Fisheries are very important to the State of Alaska, and your publication may be a valuable resource.

You may send information to the following address before January 1, 1990:

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
3111 "C" Street, Suite 250
Anchorage, Alaska 99503
Phone: (907)-561-6154
Fax: (907)-562-4376

After January 1, 1990 please send the information to the following address:

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
P.O. Box V
Juneau, Alaska 99811
Phone: (907)-465-4942
Fax: (907)-463-5661

Sincerely,

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Committee on Foreign Trade

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Special Committee On Foreign Trade

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December 4, 1989

Tamara Brandt Cook, Director
Legislative Legal Counsel
P.O. Box Y
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Dear Ms. Cook:

The House Special Committee on Foreign Trade recently completed a trip to the Soviet Far East. As a result of this trip, the Committee would like to introduce several joint resolutions regarding Alaska - Pacific Rim Affairs. Following is a brief description of each proposed resolution. Enclosed is additional reference and back-up material that will prove helpful.

I. The first resolution will encourage the U.S. Department of State to reinstate Most-Favored Nation Status for the Soviet Union.

II. The second resolution shall encourage Alaska to be the site of a future summit meeting.

III. The third resolution shall encourage the U.S. government to include the Aleut people among the Native enable to travel between the Soviet Far East and Alaska in the Native Visa Free Travel Agreement.

Please call Heather at 561-6154 if you have any questions. If possible, I would request a basic draft these resolutions as soon as possible, as the Foreign Trade Committee plans to meet this Friday, December 8 to consider possible legislation.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade

Enclosure

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M E M O R A N D U M

TO: All House Foreign Trade Committee Members

FROM: Representative George Jacko, Jr., Chairman
House Special Committee on Foreign Trade

DATE: January 12, 1990

SUBJECT: Committee Meeting

There will be a meeting of the House Special Committee on Foreign Trade, Monday, January 22, in the House Resources Committee Room (C-124) from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

The purpose of this meeting will be to discuss our recent trip to the Soviet Far East and the five committee resolutions pending introduction.

Please contact my office at 465-4942 if you have any questions or if you will be unable to attend this meeting.



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Special Committee On Foreign Trade

M E M O R A N D U M

TO: Irene Cashen, Chief Clerk
FROM: Representative George Jacko, Jr.
DATE: January 12, 1990
SUBJECT: House Special Committee on Foreign Trade

There will be a meeting of the House Special Committee on Foreign Trade, Monday, January 22, in the House Resources Committee Room (C-124) from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.

The purpose of this meeting will be to discuss our recent trip to the Soviet Far East and the five committee resolutions pending introduction, which deal with Alaska-Soviet Far East relations. They are as follows:

- HJR Encourage the repeal of federal legislation entitled under the Jackson-Vanik Amendment
- HJR Encourage Aleut Natives to be included in the future Native-visa free agreement between the USA and USSR
- HJR Encourage the Soviet Consulate to open an office in Anchorage and the American Consulate to open an office in the Soviet Far East
- HJR Encourage Alaska as a future site for a summit between the USA and the USSR
- HJR Encourage the federal governments of both the USSR and USA that the transportation and communication links between Alaska and the Soviet Far East are vital to our state and need to be facilitated

Please contact my office at 465-4942 if you have any questions.



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January 16, 1990

Valerii Fiodorovich Lutsenko
Chairman of the Executive Committee of Primorskii Region
Soviet People's Deputy
22 Leninskaya Street
Vladivostok, USSR

Dear Chairman Lutsenko:

On behalf of the Foreign Trade Committee of the Alaska State Legislature, I send warm greetings to you via the assistant to your trade advisor, Alexandre Konontchouk, who recently visited our state capital in Juneau.

It was an honor and a great pleasure to receive Mr. Konontchouk as a representative of Primorskii Kraii in the Alaska State Legislature. We appreciated the opportunity to once again discuss trade and business potential between our two regions.

Mr. Konontchouk presented an excellent briefing to the Legislature. As a result of his visit, I can assure you of greater interest among Alaska's law and policy makers to develop relations between our two regions, particularly through the Northern Regions Conference.

I understand you will be participating in the Northern Regions Conference hosted by the Governor's Office of International Trade this September. I am very pleased you will attend, and look forward to your visit. Please let me know if there is anything I can do to assist you.

I will be contacting you soon regarding the protocol the Foreign Trade Committee presented to you during our recent visit. As you recall, this protocol invited two delegates from Primorskii Kraii to attend the Northern Regions Conference in reciprocity for hosting our delegation last September. For your reference, I have enclosed an additional copy.

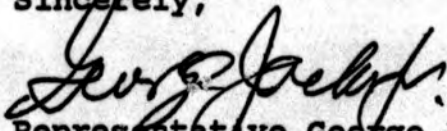
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Most importantly, I would like to extend my deep appreciation for your hospitality during our recent visit. We will always remember the kind people and beautiful scenery of Primorskii Kraii, and the successful trip we achieved there. We look forward to the opportunity to show you our state.

Please accept this gift, a book entitled Juneau Portrait. Although published in 1982 I feel this book still captures the beauty of our capital city, which I hope you will have the opportunity to visit in the near future.

With best wishes for the new year,

Sincerely,



Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Special Committee on Foreign Trade
Alaska State Legislature

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Enclosure

cc: Sam Cotten, Speaker of the House of Representatives
Ginna Brelsford, Governor's Office of International Trade



Alaska State Legislature
Foreign Trade Committee

Representative
GEORGE JACKO, Jr.
Chairman

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Juneau, Alaska
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Whereas members of this delegation consisting of the Alaska State Legislature, The Governor's Office of International Trade, the City of Unalaska are visiting the Soviet Far East regions of Magadan Oblast, Kamchatka Krai, Primorskii Krai, and Khabarovsk Krai;

Whereas the Executive Committees of these regions have graciously accepted to host this Alaskan delegation;

Whereas the purpose of this visit is to establish an exchange of policy and law makers between Alaska and the Soviet Far East;

Whereas it is the responsibility of the policy and law makers in our respective territories to be informed and fully aware of developments between our regions; and to evaluate these developments;

Whereas a clear and full understanding of our regions is essential to the continued success and development of the Alaska-Soviet Far East relationship;

Therefore be it resolved that the Alaska delegation hereby invites TWO members of each region of the Soviet Far East to visit the entire region of Alaska;

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Be it further resolved that upon arrival in Alaska all hosting and travel costs of this delegation will be paid in full for a visit of similar duration of time. This commitment is being made with the understanding that the Soviet delegation be no more than 9 people.

Be it further resolved that the return visit take place within the months of June to January, 1990, and that the Alaska Delegation highly recommends and extends an invitation to the Soviet Far East delegation to visit Alaska on the 14-21 of September for the Northern Regions Conference and for the state political campaigns.

Witnessed hereby on the date of _____ by the parties:

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
Chairman, House Foreign Trade Committee
Alaska State Legislature

Valerii Fiodorovich Lutsenko
Chairman of the Executive Committee of Primorskii Region

Vyacheslav Ivanovich Kobets, Chairman
Executive Committee Magadan Oblast

Nikolai Alekseevich Sinetov, Chairman of the Kamchatka Oblispolkom

Nikolai n. Daniluk, Chairman of the Khabarovsk Kraispolkom

ПРОТОКОЛ ОБМЕНА АЛЯСКА - СОВЕТСКИЙ ДАЛЬНИЙ ВОСТОК

Поскольку члены этой делегации, представляющие Законодательное Собрание штата Аляска, офис международной торговли губернатора штата, город Уналайска посещают регионы Советского Дальнего Востока: Магаданскую область, Приморский край и Хабаровский край;

Поскольку исполнительные комитеты этих регионов любезно согласились принять эту делегацию штата Аляска;

Поскольку целью этого визита является установление обмена политическими и законодательными деятелями между Аляской и Советским Дальним Востоком;

Поскольку это является ответственностью политических и законодательных деятелей в наших соответствующих территориях информированно и полно представлять развитие между нашими регионами и оценивать это развитие;

Поскольку ясное и полное понимание наших регионов существенно для продолжения успеха и развития отношений Аляска-Советский Дальний Восток;

Поэтому решено, что делегация Аляски настоящим приглашает трех представителей от каждого региона Советского Дальнего Востока посетить весь регион Аляски;

Кроме того решено, что всё пребывание и поездки этой делегации будут полностью оплачены для визита подобной продолжительности во времени. Это обязательство сделано с пониманием, что советская делегация будет состоять из не более 9 человек.

Далее решено, что обратный визит состоится в промежутке с июня 1990 года по январь 1991 года и что делегация Аляски весьма рекомендует и продлевает приглашение делегации Советского Дальнего Востока посетить Аляску 14-21 сентября 1990 года во время Конференции северных регионов и политических выборов в штате.

Заверено таким образом сторонам

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Dear members of the Nakhodka City Council,

I send you warm greetings from Alaska through Mr. Alexandre Konouchouk, assistant to the trade advisor to the governor of Primorskii Krai, who recently visited the Alaska Legislature in Juneau, our state capital city.

I would like to thank you and Ms. Tatiana for your very warm hospitality and assistance during our delegation's recent visit to your beautiful city. Our meetings with you were very valuable, we are hopeful relations between Alaska and Primorskii Krai will continue to grow.

On behalf of the entire committee, I wish all of you best wishes during the upcoming decade.

Sincerely,

Representative George Jacko, Jr., Chairman
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Mr. Nikolay Antonyuk,

I send you warm greetings from Alaska through Mr. Alexandre Kononchoiuk, assistant to the trade advisor for the governor of Primorski Krai, who recently visited our state capital.

I would like to thank you for meetings with us during our recent visit to Vladivostok. We found the meeting with you very interesting and very valuable. I am hopeful such meetings as these will help advance our cooperation in the fields of fisheries and marine resources of the North Pacific, which we both share.

On behalf of the entire committee, best wishes for this year and the upcoming decade.

Sincerely,

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Novikov,

I send you warm greetings from Alaska with the return of Mr. Alexandre Konouchouk, assistant to the trade advisor for the government of Primorski Krai, who recently visited the Legislature in our state capital city.

I would like to thank you and all the members of the Pacific Research Institute of Fisheries and Oceanography for meetings with our delegation during our recent visit to Vladivostok. It was a very valuable and interesting meeting, and we enjoyed your tremendous museum exhibit. I am hopeful research between our two states will be increasingly cooperative and successful as a result of meetings such as ours.

On behalf of the entire delegation, thank you and best wishes for

the upcoming new decade.

Sincerely, Representative George Jacko, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Victor Ilyichev,

I send you warm greetings from Alaska with Mr. Alexandre Konouchouk, assistant to the trade advisor to the governor of Primorski Krai, who recently visited the Alaska Legislature in our state capitol.

I would like to thank you for your warm hospitality and assistance during our recent visit to Vladivostok. The meeting was very interesting and valuable, and we hope to foster scientific, academic and research ties between our two states. Thank you very much for the the valuable book entitled "Where Science Blossoms". On behalf of the entire committee, I wish you best wishes for the upcoming year,

Sincerely,

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Dear Mr. Robkanov,

I send you warm greetings from Alaska with the return of Mr. Alexandre Konouchouk, assistant to the trade advisor to the Governor of Primorski Krai, who recently visited our state capital in Juneau.

I would like to thank you for your warm hospitality and assistance during our recent visit to Vladivostok. We particularly enjoyed the lunch on the ship, and thank you for the tremendous opportunity to view the port of Vladivostok. We are hopeful relations between our two regions will only grow and improve due to exchanges such as these.

With best wishes for the upcoming decade,

Sincerely, Representative George Jacko, Jr.
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Mr. Alexandre Kononchouk, Assistant to the Trade Advisor for
Primorski Krai, who recently visited our state capital in
Juneau.

I would like to thank you for your assistance and warm hospitality
during our stay in your beautiful region. We found our meetings
with you very interesting and quite valuable. We are hopeful
relations between Alaska and Primorski Krai will continue to grow.
With best wishes to each of you for the upcoming new decade,

Sincerely,

Representative George Jacko, Jr.
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Dear Mr. Degtyarev,

It is with great pleasure I send greetings to you through Mr. Kononchouk who recently visited us here in Juneau, our state capital.

On behalf of the entire committee, I wish to thank you for all of your help and assistance during our recent visit to your region. We have many good memories of Primorski-Krai and are hopeful relations between our two states will grow.

With best wishes for the new year,

Sincerely,

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Dear Mr. Taran,

I bring you warm greetings from Alaska via the return of Mr. Alexandre Konouchouk who recently visited our state capital in Juneau.

I would like to thank you for your assistance and warm hospitality during our recent visit to your beautiful region.

I am hopeful relations between Alaska and Primorskii Kraii will continue to grow.

With best wishes for the upcoming year,

Sincerely,

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Re: Alaska-Soviet Foundation

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Dear Representative Jacko:

It's been marvelous to observe the enthusiasm of most Alaskans for closer ties with people in the Soviet Union. And I certainly hope we can continue in that direction.

However, after working on and observing efforts to establish exchanges and constructive working relationships with the Soviets, I have become convinced that availability of adequate long-term funding is critical to success. Too often, cooperation is foundering on our inability to reciprocate Soviet support for educational, scientific, cultural, and other exchanges. Sometimes, the lack of money for this purpose is plainly embarrassing. In other instances, exchanges have had to be deferred or canceled due to unavailability of funds on the Alaska side.

I am enclosing the outline of a proposal to create and endow the Alaska-Soviet Foundation to help deal with the situation. To provide stability, continuity, and accountability, the Foundation would be lodged within the University of Alaska. It would, however, function independently under its own board.

This should be viewed as a state and not a University proposal. Though housed within the University, the Foundation is to be a separate public corporation. It should not be considered part of the UA budget.

The Foundation proposal is not in conflict with the proposed legislation for an Alaska-Soviet Far East Commission. In fact, both proposals were reviewed and endorsed by the Governor's Alaska-Soviet Far East Working Group, of which I am a member.

I hope you look upon this proposal with favor and will help bring the Alaska-Soviet Foundation into reality. I'll be happy to work with you and others toward that end.

I expect to be in the Soviet Far East and Siberia over the next several weeks. However, I would be ready to discuss the proposal after returning, around February 10, and could come to Juneau toward the end of next month and beginning of March, especially if hearings were scheduled on this and other Soviet-related proposals.

Thanks for your consideration, and best personal regards.


Vic Fischer

ALASKA-SOVIET FOUNDATION (ASF)Proposal

Establish and fund the Alaska-Soviet Foundation as a free-standing, non-profit public corporation, housed within the University of Alaska, to facilitate relations and interaction between Alaska and the Soviet Union.

Purpose

- * Promote contacts and exchanges between Alaska and the Soviet Union to create better understanding and better relations between our respective peoples and institutions through financial, logistical, educational, informational, and other support.
- * Provide for continuity of support and for objective, non-political management.
- * Obtain matching, non-state financial support.

Approach

- * Alaska-Soviet Foundation (ASF) is established by state law within the University of Alaska.
- * University administers ASF on a statewide basis, guided by a foundation board appointed by the Governor and the University President. The board sets policies and procedures, allocates funds, and authorizes grants.
- * State appropriates \$4.5 million for ASF; matching funds are raised from private foundations, corporations, federal, and other non-state sources. The state appropriation and matching funds constitute an endowment. Only endowment income generated by matched endowment principal may be used for current ASF expenditures. Income not expended is part of the endowment.
- * Activities funded through ASF could include:
 - * helping underwrite Alaska/US costs of Soviet visits and visitors
 - * assisting student and faculty exchanges at both pre- and post-secondary levels
 - * facilitating and coordinating educational, cultural, scientific, communication, information exchange, and other interaction
 - * stimulating Russian language instruction
 - * monitoring social-economic-political situation
 - * providing matching/challenge grants to stimulate use of non-state funds