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The Honorable Steve Thompson
Co-Chair, House Finance Committee
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Re: FY 2017 Capital Budget Amendments

Dear Finance Committee Co-Chairs,

Enclosed, please find proposed amendments to the FY2016 supplemental capital and FY2017 capital budget.

There are two FY2017 capital requests. The first is for the Department of Corrections to update the Time Accounting System and the Victim Information Notification System to implement changes in the Omnibus Criminal Law and Procedure bill (SB 91). The second project is to implement a new system to take advantage of the revised Medicaid Tribal claiming policy change that will allow the State to be reimbursed 100 percent for services provided to Alaska Natives by a non-tribal provider. This project will enable all providers to report the eligible services through the Health Information Exchange (HIE) and will be eligible for a 90% federal match.

The FY2016 supplemental request is for a reappropriation to the Department of Administration to assist the Alaska Energy Authority (AEA), the Alaska Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC), and the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority (AIDEA) in their efforts relating to Administrative Order 281 to develop a plan to streamline and focus the state's economic development corporations. This funding and existing Alaska Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC), and the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority (AIDEA) is necessary for the analysis.

Thank you for your consideration of these budget amendments.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Pat Pitney".

Pat Pitney
Director

Enclosures

cc: David Teal, Director, Legislative Finance Division