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Honorable Dan Quayle
Office of the Vice President
Room S-212
The Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Mr. Vice President:

Please accept the attached report, submitted in accordance with Section 1201(1) of the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act (ANILCA), P.L. 96-487. The report was approved on a 12 to 1 vote by the Alaska Land Use Council at its meeting of November 2, 1989. (Appendix II of the attached report contains the formal motion for adoption and the official agency voting record). The Federal Co-Chairman, however, will be submitting a separate report.


Section 1201(1) of ANILCA reads:

Unless extended by the Congress, the Council shall terminate ten years after the date of enactment of this Act. No later than one year prior to its termination date, the Co-Chairmen shall submit in writing to the Congress a report on the accomplishments of the Council together with their recommendations as to whether the Council should be extended or any other recommendations for legislation or other action which they determine should be taken following termination of the Council to continue carrying out the purposes for which the Council was established.

The Alaska Land Use Council believes there is a continuing need for a body that can foster cooperation and coordination between the major State, Federal and Native land and resource managers in Alaska. The Council therefore recommends that Congress re-authorize the Alaska Land Use Council subject to certain modifications which require Congressional action.

Thank you for your attention regarding the future of the Council. If you have any questions about the attached report, please feel free to contact either of us.

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Identical letter sent to the Speaker of the House.

cc: Alaska Land Use Council
Land Use Advisors Committee
Chairman & Ranking Member of House Interior Committee
Chairman & Ranking Member of the Senate Energy Committee
Senator Ted Stevens
Senator Frank Murkowski
Representative Don Young