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Governor Mike Dunleavy  
STATE OF ALASKA

December 16, 2020

The Honorable Cathy Giessel  
Senate President  
Alaska State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 111  
Juneau, AK 99801-1182

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Dear President Giessel:

This letter confirms my Administration's position that Executive Branch Department heads and Boards and Commissions appointees to Executive Branch Boards, who have not received a confirmation vote, continue to serve under valid appointments. I am also exercising my constitutional authority under the Alaska Constitution, Article III, Section 27 to continue their appointments.

By February 3, 2021, I will present the names of those previously appointed under Article III, but not confirmed, along with any new appointments, to the 32nd Alaska State Legislature so they may consider the appointments through the normal confirmation process.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mike Dunleavy".

Mike Dunleavy  
Governor