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Mr. Grey Mitchell Director, Workers' Compensation and Labor Standards and Safety Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development

Director Mitchell,

Pursuant to Alaska Statute 23.10.065 the Alaska minimum wage is to be adjusted annually for inflation using the Consumer Price Index for all urban consumers for the Anchorage metropolitan area (Anchorage CPI-U) for the proceeding January-December calendar year.

The Anchorage CPI-U increased 3.0 percent in 2018, rising from 218.873 to 225.545. As a result, the minimum wage will rise from \$9.89 to \$10.19 effective January 1, 2020.

Cordially,

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