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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT ANCHORAGE

ALASKA BUILDING, INC., an Alaskan corporation,

Plaintiff,

v.

716 WEST FOURTH AVENUE, LLC, and LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS AGENCY,

Defendants.

Case No.: 3AN-15-05969CI

LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS AGENCY'S NOTICE THAT PLAINTIFF'S PREMATURE MOTION CONCERNING REP. HAWKER'S EMAILS IS MOOT

On December 10, counsel for the plaintiff ("ABI") first alerted the Legislative Affairs Agency ("LAA") that it wished to seek discovery of certain emails that are not in LAA's possession, custody, or control. In that email, ABI asked whether Rep. Mike Hawker would request copies of certain materials from his Internet Service Provider. Two business days later, ABI filed a motion asking the Court to order Rep. Hawker to make this request to his Internet Service Provider. ABI provides no legal support for this

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request, noting only that it is precluded from seeking the information directly by a federal statute. ABI offers no authority for the proposition that any defendant – let alone a non-party – should be forced to seek additional materials from an Internet Service Provider when those materials are not in his possession, custody, or control.

This motion was premature and unnecessary. While LAA disputes that this extraordinary measure is required or appropriate, or has any impact on the pending summary judgment motion, Rep. Hawker is willing to request copies of e-mails that are not in his possession, custody, or control from January 1, 2013 to October 1, 2013 from his Internet Service Provider. Plaintiff's motion is moot.

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