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Mr. Bud Cribley State Director Bureau of Land Management 222 West 7th Avenue, #13 Anchorage, AK 99513-7504

RE: Suspended RDI Applications

AA-85443 (Chilkat Lake & Clear Creek)

AA-85444 (Chilkat River)

AA-85445 (Klehini River)

AA-85447 (Tsirku River)

FF-94614 (Nabesna River)

FF-94615 (Chisana River)

Dear Mr. Cribley:

The above referenced Bureau of Land Management (BLM) case files are applications from the State of Alaska (State) for Recordable Disclaimers of Interest (RDI) for rivers in Alaska. All the applications are currently in suspended status.

The State of Alaska hereby requests that RDI case files AA-85443, AA-85444, AA-85445 and AA-85447 be removed from suspended status and withdrawn from consideration. In making this request, the State reserves the right to submit a new application for an RDI on any or all of these rivers in the future.

The State also requests that case files FF-94614 and FF-94615 be moved from suspended status to active status. The State will provide the BLM with a supplemental revised application for the Nabesna and Chisana Rivers as soon as additional information can be compiled.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Edmund Fogels

Deputy Commissioner

cc:

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