BEFORE THE ALASKA PUBLIC OFFICES COMMISSION

ALASKA PUBLIC INTEREST RESEARCH GROUP & 907 INITIATIVE,)))
Complainants,) Case No. 22-01-CD
v.))
BRETT HUBER, STRATEGIC SYNERGIES, et al.,)))
Respondents.)

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

The Alaska Public Offices Commission Staff ("APOC Staff") hereby requests an extension of time to complete its investigation and issue its investigation report. Under the Administrative Procedure Act, AS 44.62.580, an agency can grant continuances for good cause. Here, there is good cause for an extension because, despite its requests, Respondent, A Stronger Alaska, has refused to adequately respond to staff's requests for information while carrying out its investigation pursuant to AS 15.13.045. Because A Stronger Alaska has refused to respond to staff's requests, unless presented with a subpoena, and because the Commission has not yet ruled on staff's Motion for Issuance of Subpoena Duces Tecum, staff is unable to complete its investigation.

Pursuant to 2 AAC 50.875(c), "when the staff completes an investigation, but no later than 30 days after accepting a complaint, staff shall prepare an investigation report." Here, A Stronger Alaska's refusal to cooperate with staff in its investigation makes it impossible for staff to complete its investigation and prepare its investigation report in the time required. As such, and for good cause shown, staff requests an extension of 30

days from the date that A Stronger Alaska responds to staff's requests for information, to prepare its investigation report.

Dated: October 7, 2022.

ALASKA PUBLIC OFFICES COMMISSION

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