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Cook Inlet Regional Citizens Advisory Council
Attn: Mr. Michael Munger, Executive Director
910 Highland Avenue
Kenai, Alaska 99611-8033

Dear Mr. Munger:

After review of the certification package submitted by the Cook Inlet Regional Citizens Advisory Council (CIRCAC), I certify the CIRCAC as an alternative voluntary advisory group permitted under Subsection 5002(o) of the Oil Pollution Terminal and Oil Tanker Environmental Oversight and Monitoring Act of 1990. This re-certification terminates August 31, 2010.

Under the guidelines established by the Coast Guard in 2002, this re-certification fell under the streamlined inspection process and as such only substantive changes were reported by your office and public comment was not sought by the Coast Guard.

My staff and I look forward to continued work with you on our common goal of improving the safe and environmentally sound transportation of oil in Cook Inlet and surrounding communities.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "C. Colvin".

CHRISTOPHER C. COLVIN
Rear Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard
Commander, Seventeenth Coast Guard District

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