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TO: Alaska Board of Game Members

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SUBJECT: Agenda Change Request to consider changes to 5 AAC 92.033 – Permit for Science, Education, Propogative, or Public Safety Purposes

The Alaska Department of Fish and Game (department) receives several requests each year for taking of game for educational purposes. Recently the department received a request to harvest a moose with the intent of using the animal at a cultural event associated with a native corporation shareholder meeting in Washington. Though we have been advised that the current wording of the regulation does not prohibit this, it is unclear to the department if this type of activity is within the intent of the Board of Game (Board). To clarify the intent of the Board, the department requests that 5 AAC 92.033 be included in the agenda for the 2012 Statewide Board of Game meeting in Anchorage.