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STATEMENT

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Statement by Jeremiah Millen, Field Representative for Alaska Wilderness League, on the appointment by Interior Secretary Ken Salazar of Pat Pourchot to be Special Assistant for Alaska Affairs:

“Pat Pourchot is a terrific choice for Special Assistant for Alaska Affairs at the Department of the Interior. His diverse background and experience will bring a balanced approach to the management of public lands in Alaska. As a dedicated public servant, Pat has been effective at bringing folks together to reach common goals. Alaska Wilderness League welcomes this announcement and congratulates Mr. Pourchot on his appointment. We look forward to working with him and the staff at DOI in the future.”

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