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Shannon,

Thank You for producing a regulation change that would require that domestic sheep and goats be tested for and clear of *Mycoplasma ovipneumoniae* prior to import to Alaska.

I do not hunt these animals myself but I have several friends that do and I would be personally disappointed to see a huge decline in these animals. I do believe we need to protect our animals from this disease which can be done economically.

In that vein I support the following changes to the regulation change as follows:

Movi testing of all domestic sheep and goats regardless of age prior to import into Alaska.  
Movi testing through AAVLD accredited diagnostic laboratories.  
Add Movi to the Reportable Disease List and requiring same-day reporting.

Thank You for your consideration of my request

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