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Among the recent activities of the ACEcoalition in support of the AK/BC Intertie are the following:

- Numerous interviews given to various news organizations both in Alaska and British Columbia, most notably *The Vancouver Sun's* Scott Simpson that led to a front page business section article in the January 13, 2010 edition of the Sun and carried by Canadian newswires
- Meeting with the British Columbia Transmission Corporation "BCTC", Doug Little Vice President Customer & Strategy Development on January 20, 2010 that led to an understanding of the timeline involved in decisions involving capacity on the Northwest Transmission Line as proposed.
- Meeting in the Alaska Governor's office scheduled with Mike Nizich and Gene Therriault to brief them on the BCTC position and elicit support to ask for United States federal help in increasing the capacity of the NTL.
- Met with Representative Wilson on January 25, 2010. Representative Wilson committed to assist in expediting the ACEcoalition paperwork through DCCED. She has also expressed her desire to help increase the capacity of the NTL
- Both in Juneau on January 25, 2010 and in Ketchikan on January 29, 2010 we have

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legislators that have expressed their interest in increasing the capacity on the NTL.

- ACEcoalition has made direct contact with Representative Don Young's office and Senator Lisa Murkowski asking for assistance in developing a strategy to increase the capacity of the NTL by double circuiting the transmission line.
- ACEcoalition has applied for membership to Southeast Conference and will be making a presentation at SE Conference's mid-session meeting in March.
- Early in March ACEcoalition will be sending representatives to Washington, DC to promote the development of our renewable energy opportunities with the simple investment in infrastructure connecting Alaska to the North American Grid system

The Board of Directors of ACEcoalition wish to be as open and available as possible to the public. To assist in achieving this goal all ACEcoalition minutes will be posted on our website as soon as practical after approval by the Board. ACEcoalition will additionally archive recorded meetings audio.

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