NORTH AND WEST ALASKA COOPERATIVE ECOSYSTEM STUDIES UNIT

AMENDMENT THREE TO COOPERATIVE and JOINT VENTURE AGREEMENT

between

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Bureau of Land Management
U.S. Geological Survey
National Park Service
Minerals Management Service

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
U.S. Forest Service
Natural Resources Conservation Service

and

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA SYSTEM (HOST) (UA-Anchorage, UA-Fairbanks, UA-Southeast)

University of New Hampshire Alaska SeaLife Center

Adding the

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

With the exception of the changes below, all terms and conditions of the North and West Alaska CESU agreement apply to this Amendment, and this Amendment is hereby made part of the agreement.

ARTICLE I. BACKGROUND AND OBJECTIVES

- A.1. The US Fish and Wildlife Service is included in the North and West Alaska CESU as a Federal Agency partner under Agreement # 701817K403.
- I. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (hereinafter call USFWS) working with others, is responsible for conserving, protecting, and enhancing fish, wildlife, plants and their habitats for the continuing benefit of the American people through Federal programs related to migratory birds, endangered species, interjurisdictional fish and marine mammals, and inland sport fisheries. In accordance with 16 U.S.C. 742f, the USFWS is authorized to enter into this cooperative agreement to continue the North and West Alaska CESU to assist in providing research, technical assistance and education.

ARTICLE III. TERM OF AGREEMENT

- A.1. The effective date of the North and West Alaska CESU Cooperative and Joint Venture Agreement is 8 August 2003.
- A.2. The effective date of this amendment to the North and West Alaska CESU Cooperative and Joint Venture Agreement shall be determined from the date of the last signature.

ARTICLE IV. KEY OFFICIALS

A.5. The technical representative for the USFWS is as follows:

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ARTICLE V. AWARD

B.1. Upon signature of all parties to this amendment, FWS will commit \$10,000 in funds to the Host University in furtherance of the agreement, to be authorized by a purchase order issued to enable USFWS to join.

The following authorizing signatures are attached to this amendment:

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

- A. Bureau of Land Management
- B. U.S. Geological Survey
- C. National Park Service
- D. Minerals Management Service
- E. U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

- F. USDA Forest Service
- G. Natural Resources Conservation Service
- H. UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA SYSTEM
- I. University of New Hampshire
- J. Alaska SeaLife Center

ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES (cont.) A. Bureau of Land Management [Print Name]: [Print Title]: [Print Name]: [Print Title]:

B. U.S. Geological Survey

Sherri Ly Bredesen

Contracting Officer

ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES (cont.) C. National Park Service [Print Name]: [Print Title]:

D. Minerals Management Service

Print Title]: mms ESP Chief Scientist

E. U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

[Print Name]:
Regional Director

12 19 2006 Date

ARTICLE XIV. AMENDMENT AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES (cont.) F. USDA Forest Service [Print Name]: [Print Title]:

G. Natural Resources Conservation Service

Kevin Brown
Deputy Chief for Management

H. University of Alaska System

[Print Name]: Craig Dorman
[Print Title]: Vice President for Academic Affairs and Research

1. University of New Hampshire

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Print Name]: John D. Aber

Date

[Print Title]: Vice President for Research and Public Service

J. Alaska SeaLife Center

Print Name]: Tylan Shrock

Print Title/I: Executive Director