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First Day

Pursuant to the Governor's proclamations the House was called to order by Speaker Porter at 2:09 p.m.

Roll call showed 31 members present. Representatives Berkowitz and Green had been previously excused from a call of the House today. Representative Kookesh was absent and his presence was noted later. Representatives Moses and Whitaker were absent.

Representative James moved and asked unanimous consent that the following members be excused from a call of the House. There being no objection, the members were excused as noted:

Representative Halcro - until 3:00 p.m., plane time, today

Representative Harris - until 9:30 p.m., plane time, tonight

Representative Kapsner - until 3:30 p.m., plane time, today

Representative Meyer - from today to noon, plane time, June 25, 2002

The invocation was offered by Representative Hudson, Chaplain Designee. Representative Davies moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Heavenly Father,

Once again we are here seeking Your Divine intervention in our actions this week as we meet to do the people's business.

We ask that You re-instill us with a higher sense of duty, trust for each other, and ability to take timely but proper actions.

Help us to think clearly, act decisively, to get this work done. Dear Father, we ask that You provide for our safe and speedy return home.

Lord, above all else, make Your light of goodness and charity shine upon this body today and throughout the deliberations of this special session.

We ask these things in the Name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative James.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative James moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the fourth and fifth legislative days of the Second Special Session be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following Governor's proclamation, dated June 17, 2002, was read:

"Under the authority of art. II, sec. 9, and art. III, sec. 17, of the Alaska Constitution, and in the public interest, I am supplementing my proclamation of May 21, 2002 [page 3935], calling the Twenty-Second Legislature of the State of Alaska into its third special session on June 24, 2002, with the following subject:

an appropriation to provide financing for services for veterans in the Alaska Pioneers' and Veterans' Home.

This proclamation supplements my proclamation of May 21, 2002.

Done by,
/s/
Tony Knowles
Governor"

An Administrative Order dated May 24, 2002, with an accompanying letter was received and is on file in the Chief Clerk's office.

A Declaration of Disaster Emergency dated May 29, 2002, with an accompanying letter was received and is on file in the Chief Clerk's office.

A Declaration of Disaster Emergency dated May 31, 2002, with an accompanying letter was received and is on file in the Chief Clerk's office. The Declaration and letter had been copied to the Finance Committee.

SB 161

The following letter, dated June 20, 2002, was received:

"Dear Speaker Porter:

Under the authority of art. II, sec. 15 of the Alaska Constitution, I have vetoed the following bill:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 161(JUD)
(efd am H)

"An Act relating to the withholding of salary of justices, judges, and magistrates; relating to prompt decisions by justices, judges, and magistrates; relating to judicial retention elections for judicial officers; and providing for an effective date."

This bill would further restrict the time available to a judge to complete the judge's case work. The method chosen by the legislature to enforce the time limit effectively evades the protection from legislative interference afforded to judicial salaries by the Alaska Constitution.

This bill would also require that election materials be prepared to advise voters when a justice or judge has exceeded the statutory time limit. This would further an unconstitutional means of exercising power over the independent judiciary and should not become a part of our statutory law.

While I believe that it is desirable to encourage prompt judicial decisions, it is another matter to use unconstitutional means to achieve that end.

Existing law imposes a time limit for the judiciary to complete its business. It has worked for 40 years and should be left undisturbed.

Sincerely,
/s/
Tony Knowles
Governor"

HB 106

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 106(FIN)

"An Act relating to the authorizations for certain state financial institutions of certain powers and limitations; relating to confidential records of depositors and customers of certain financial institutions; relating to the examination of certain institutions subject to AS 06; relating to the Alaska Banking Code, Mutual Savings Bank Act, Alaska Small Loans Act, and Alaska Credit Union Act; amending Rule 45, Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure, Rules 17 and 37, Alaska Rules of Criminal Procedure, and Rule 24, Alaska Bar Rules; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 75, SLA 2002
Effective Date: See Chapter

HB 128

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 128(FIN)

"An Act relating to the required approval of the commissioner of labor and workforce development for the employment of certain minors; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 76, SLA 2002

Effective Date: June 21, 2002

HB 157

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 157(JUD)

"An Act relating to trust companies and providers of fiduciary services; amending Rules 6 and 12, Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 40, Alaska Rules of Criminal Procedure, Rules 204, 403, 502, 602, and 611, Alaska Rules of Appellate Procedure, and Rules 7.2 and 7.3, Alaska Rules of Professional Conduct; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 77, SLA 2002

Effective Date: See Chapter

HB 162

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 162(STA)

"An Act relating to absences from the state under the longevity bonus program."

Chapter No. 78, SLA 2002

Effective Date: September 18, 2002

HB 182

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 182(L&C)

"An Act relating to certain vehicles, including motorcycles and trailers; relating to the registration, bonding, and other regulation of motor vehicle dealers; relating to the registration and other regulation of certain motor vehicle buyers' agents; relating to acts and transactions involving vehicles, including trailers, and to the acts and practices of certain persons and entities involved in vehicle transactions, including trailer transactions; relating to consumer protection for used vehicle buyers; amending Rule 3, Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 79, SLA 2002

Effective Date: July 1, 2002

HB 196

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 196(JUD)

"An Act establishing a right of action for a legal separation; requiring a report about legal separations; and amending Rule 42(a), Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure."

Chapter No. 80, SLA 2002

Effective Date: September 18, 2002

HB 208

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 208(RES)

"An Act relating to aquatic farming of shellfish; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 81, SLA 2002

Effective Date: June 21, 2002

HB 209

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 209(HES)

"An Act directing the Department of Health and Social Services to establish a foster care transition program; relating to that program; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 82, SLA 2002

Effective Date: See Chapter

HB 243

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 243(JUD)

"An Act relating to sexual assault or abuse of a minor."

Chapter No. 83, SLA 2002

Effective Date: September 18, 2002

HB 274

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 274(L&C)

"An Act relating to the qualification of a physician used for an employer's independent medical examination; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 84, SLA 2002
Effective Date: July 1, 2002

HB 374

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

HOUSE BILL NO. 374
"An Act naming the David Douthit Veterans' Memorial Bridge."

Chapter No. 72, SLA 2002
Effective Date: September 18, 2002

HB 402

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 402(HES)
"An Act relating to diversion payments, wage subsidies, cash assistance, and self-sufficiency services provided under the Alaska temporary assistance program; relating to the food stamp program; relating to child support cases that include persons who receive cash assistance or self-sufficiency services under the Alaska temporary assistance program; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 69, SLA 2002
Effective Date: See Chapter

HB 527

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 527(RES) am S
"An Act relating to entry into the Minto Flats State Game Refuge for purposes of exploration and development of oil and gas resources."

Chapter No. 85, SLA 2002
Effective Date: September 18, 2002

SB 219

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 219(FIN)
"An Act establishing and relating to the Navigable Waters Commission for Alaska."

Chapter No. 71, SLA 2002
Effective Date: September 18, 2002

SB 222

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 222(RLS) am H
"An Act relating to certain motor vehicles that are required to yield to following traffic."

Chapter No. 70, SLA 2002
Effective Date: September 18, 2002

SB 252

The following letter, dated June 20, 2002, was received:

"Dear Speaker Porter:

On this date I have signed the following bill passed by the second session of the Twenty-Second Alaska State Legislature and am transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 252(FIN)
"An Act renaming the Alaska Human Resource Investment Council as the Alaska Workforce Investment Board and relating to

its membership; relating to repayment on promissory notes for work-related items paid for by grant programs; extending the termination date of the state training and employment program; relating to employment and training activities; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 86, SLA 2002
[Effective Date: See Chapter]

I am signing this bill into law because the negative consequences of not allowing it to become law are too high of a price to pay by denying vital training opportunities through the State Training Employment Program (STEP). However, I am greatly disturbed by this blatant tactic of holding the STEP hostage to guarantee funds for specific education programs rather than letting those programs compete openly for grants under the system set up for this reason.

This is the third time the Legislature has chosen to use the Alaska Technical and Vocational Education Program account for specific grants to the University of Alaska, Kotzebue Technical Center and Alaska Vocational Technical Center and the second time for the Galena Vocational Training Center. And this bill is promising the funds to these four entities for another three years--through 2006.

The first time these grants were made, in 2000, they were presented as a one-time, transitional provision until the Alaska Human Resource Investment Council was able to establish the grant program. Rather, the Legislature is making this an annual grant, attempting to bind future legislatures and totally circumventing the appropriate grant process that is now in place.

Employers should be equally outraged at this grant process because the funds come out of the taxes they pay into the Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund. Furthermore, employers should be concerned that this statutory deferral from the UI Trust Fund of Training Vocational Education Program funds is not being used for its stated purpose, technical and vocational training, but rather for capital expenditures at selected institutions.

I hope next year's Legislature will recognize the errors of this process, reverse it, and allow this program to proceed as originally designed and intended.

Sincerely,
/s/
Tony Knowles
Governor"

SB 302

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 302(HES)

"An Act defining the term 'mental health professional' for the purpose of statutes relating to the evaluation of prisoners who may need psychological or psychiatric treatment, for the purpose of statutes relating to the evaluation of children in need of aid and delinquent minors who may need to be confined in a secure residential psychiatric treatment center or who should be released from such a center, for the purpose of statutes requiring certain professionals to report the possibility that a vulnerable adult has been abused or neglected, and for the purpose of statutes relating to mental health civil commitments."

Chapter No. 73, SLA 2002
Effective Date: September 18, 2002

SB 324

A message dated June 20, 2002, was received stating the Governor has signed the following bill and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 324(L&C)

"An Act providing that a utility or electric operating entity owned and operated by a political subdivision of the state competing directly with a telecommunications utility is not subject to the Alaska Public Utilities Regulatory Act."

Chapter No. 74, SLA 2002
Effective Date: September 18, 2002

COMMUNICATIONS

Letters of disclosure, as required by AS 24.60, were published June 21, 2002, in House Journal Supplement No. 9.

INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

The following citations were introduced and referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar:

Honoring - Tony Caligiuri
By Representative Bunde

Honoring - Kathie Lynn Cook
By Senator Wilken

Honoring - The 2002 Juneau Douglas High School Crimson Bears Softball Team
By Senator Elton; Representatives Kerttula, Hudson

Honoring - The 2002 Juneau Douglas High School Crimson Bears Baseball Team
By Senator Elton; Representatives Kerttula, Hudson

Honoring - Avalanche Awareness Advocacy
By Senator Green

In Memoriam - Juan Manuel Cutino MacFarlane
By Senator Elton; Representatives Kerttula, Hudson

In Memoriam - Mary Lou Briggs
By Senators Phillips, Halford; Representative Dyson

In Memoriam - Harvey C. Baskin
By Senators Green, Halford; Representative Ogan

**INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE
OF HOUSE BILLS****HB 3001**

HOUSE BILL NO. 3001 by the House Rules Committee by request of the Governor, entitled:

"An Act setting timelines for issuance of final orders by the Regulatory Commission of Alaska, amending the authority of the commission to enter compromise settlement orders, and extending the commission's termination date to June 30, 2006; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee.

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

1. Fiscal, Dept. of Community & Economic Development

The Governor's transmittal letter dated June 24, 2002, follows:

"Dear Speaker Porter:

I am transmitting a bill that extends the life of the Regulatory Commission of Alaska to avoid its termination of that agency on June 30 of this year. The bill also includes provisions, developed with industry input, that set deadlines for commission actions and clarify its authority to accept stipulations from parties to commission proceedings.

It is important to pass this bill before the commission's termination date. The commission regulates utilities in the state and regulates pipelines to the extent of their intrastate operations. The commission's role is essential to consumers in the state as well as to the regulated entities.

Failure to extend the commission this session will significantly interfere with its work. Though there is a "wind down" year, the commission will have to redirect its time and energy to plan for closing shop. The commission may not be able to take on new filings

or applications, or even complete currently filed ones. Failure to extend the agency leaves the regulated entities as well as consumers in a state of confusion and uncertainty.

I urge your prompt and favorable action on this measure.

Sincerely,
/s/
Tony Knowles
Governor"

HB 3002

HOUSE BILL NO. 3002 by the House Rules Committee by request of the Governor, entitled:

"An Act making appropriations to the Department of Administration, division of Alaska longevity programs, to enable the division to make available additional beds in the Alaska Pioneers' and Veterans' Home; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee.

The Governor's transmittal letter dated June 24, 2002, follows:

"Dear Speaker Porter:

I am transmitting a bill making fiscal year 2003 appropriations necessary to fill approximately 100 currently empty beds in our six Alaska Pioneers' Homes and provide critical services to Alaskans, including Alaska veterans.

Through the combination of general funds and program receipts in this bill we can provide affordable care for Alaska's veterans and other seniors. Recent passage of legislation to establish the Alaska Pioneer's and Veteran's Homes System sets the stage to fully utilize the facilities in Anchorage, Fairbanks, Palmer, Juneau, Ketchikan, and Sitka.

I urge prompt and favorable action on this measure.

Sincerely,
/s/
Tony Knowles
Governor"

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Representative James moved and asked unanimous consent that Representative Rokeberg be excused from a call of the House June 25, 2002. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

**The presence of Representative Kookesh was noted.

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT

HB 404

The following was engrossed and enrolled, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, President and Secretary of the Senate, and the engrossed and enrolled copies were transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 1:29 p.m., June 24, 2002:

CONFERENCE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 404

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and capital expenses of the state's integrated comprehensive mental health program; and providing for an effective date."

The following letter, dated June 24, 2002, from Senator Donley, Conference Committee Chair, Representative Mulder, Vice Chair, to Ms. Caren Robinson, Chair, Alaska Mental Health Trust Authority was also transmitted to the Office of the Governor:

"Dear Ms. Robinson:

In accordance with AS 37.14.005(c), this letter explains the changes made to the Governor's Amended comprehensive FY 03 mental health and developmental disabilities services budget proposal as approved by the Legislature in CCS HB 404.

We appreciate the good working relationship that has been established between the Trust and the Legislature. It enabled us to address many issues in creative and efficient ways that would not otherwise be possible.

As you are aware, the total state FY 03 general fund budget was reduced relative to FY 02. The legislature's FY 03 general fund/mental health appropriation of \$130,399,900 is approximately \$3 million less than FY 02. However, \$3.6 million in general fund/mental health funds were replaced with new alcohol tax revenues and \$586,000 was reappropriated to Pioneer Homes, thus the total funding for these programs is above the FY 02 level while the total state general fund budget was reduced. MHTAAR funds appropriated for operations and capital were less than the FY 02 level as available investment income earnings were reduced. The total comprehensive program as approved by the legislature is \$140,624,600 (plus the \$3.6 million new alcohol tax revenue and \$586,000 reappropriation to the Pioneer's Homes).

Program Changes – Operating

Department of Administration

Longevity Programs Management

The FY 03 GF/Mental Health appropriation to Pioneers Homes was reduced by \$234,100 from the Governor's amended budget request. \$586,000 was reappropriated from the FY 02 Longevity Bonus appropriation to Pioneer Homes which more than offsets the GF/Mental Health reduction.

Senior Services

The FY 03 GF/Mental Health appropriation to Senior Services was reduced by \$3,600 from the Governor's amended budget request.

Legal and Advocacy Services

The FY 03 GF/Mental Health appropriation to Legal and Advocacy Services was reduced by \$23,600 from the Governor's amended budget request.

Department of Corrections

The GF/Mental Health funding for the Department of Corrections is unchanged from the Governor's amended budget request.

Department of Education and Early Development

The GF/Mental Health funding in the Department of Education and Early Development was reduced by \$700 from the Governor's amended budget request as part of an agency-wide unallocated budget reduction.

Department of Health and Social Services**Commissioner's Office**

The GF/Mental Health funding for the Commissioner's Office is reduced by \$8,200 from the Governor's amended budget request.

Purchased Services, Residential Child Care

The GF/Mental Health funding for Residential Child Care is reduced by \$50,000 from the Governor's amended budget request. Funding for Residential Child Care is largely refinanced through Medicaid in the FY 03 budget.

State Health Services

The GF/Mental Health funding for the Maternal, Child and Family Health is reduced by \$4,000 from the Governor's amended budget request. The GF/Mental Health funding for Community Health Grants is increased by \$98,300 from the Governor's amended budget request. The GF/Mental Health funding for the Infant Learning program is reduced by \$550,000 from the Governor's amended budget request, the Department of Health and Social Services indicated in budget impact statements that if the Infant Learning Program was changed to a needs based program that savings up to \$1 million could be achieved. This reduction was made with the direction that the program be operated as a needs based program.

Alcohol and Drug Abuse Grants

A total reduction of \$4,864,100 in GF/Mental Health funding was taken by the Legislature relative to the Governor's amended budget request in this component. The Legislature replaced \$3.6 million of this GF/Mental Health funding with new alcohol tax revenues.

Community Mental Health Grants

Psychiatric Emergency Services GF/Mental Health Funding was reduced by \$195,800, Services to the Chronically Mentally Ill by \$369,700, Designated Evaluation and Treatment by \$34,400 and Services to Seriously Emotionally Disturbed Youth by \$186,600 relative to the Governor's amended budget request. These reductions reflect increased use of Medicaid and direct federal grants to providers for the provision of these services.

Institutions and Administration

The Legislature denied an increment of \$425,600 to the Mental Health/Developmental Disabilities Administration. The Legislature approved an increment of \$1,843,600 GF/Mental Health to the Alaska Psychiatric Institute to replace lost federal funding this was \$7,300 less than requested by the Governor.

Mental Health Trust Boards

The Legislature funded the Mental Health Trust Boards at the level 2.3% (\$34,300) below that requested by the Governor. We believe the board should use MHTAAR funds for its activities as those funds become available.

Program Changes – Capital**Alaska Psychiatric Institute Stop – Gap Repairs**

The stop gap repairs for API were reduced in consultation with the Trust as a result of the passage of HB 76 in 2001 which will replace the current facility.

Deferred Maintenance of Rural Facilities for Substance Abuse or Substance Abuse/Mental Health Programs

The GF/Mental Health appropriation was reduced from \$400,000 to \$200,000.

Rural Facility Renovation and Deferred Maintenance

The GF/Mental Health appropriation was reduced from \$400,000 to \$200,000.

Department of Health and Social Services

As was done for FY 02, the grants for public health services, alcohol and drug abuse services, developmental disability services, mental health services, and community health were moved to a single appropriation rather than designated grants in separate appropriations. The legislature believes that this will allow better management of the grants and open the opportunity for innovative proposals. The amount of grant funding available for these services remains at the level requested by the governor.

Enclosed is a copy of component summaries provided by the Legislative Finance Division identifying each of the referenced adjustments by agency, budget request unit and component.

Sincerely,

/s/

Senator David Donley
Conference Committee Chair

/s/

Representative Eldon Mulder
Conference Committee Vice-Chair

Enclosures"

ENROLLMENT**HB 286**

The following was enrolled, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, President and Secretary of the Senate, and the engrossed and enrolled copies were transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 1:29 p.m., June 24, 2002:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 286(RES)

"An Act allowing a person to hold two commercial fishing entry permits for a salmon fishery for the purpose of consolidating the fishing fleet for a salmon fishery; relating to salmon fishery associations and to salmon fishery assessments; and providing for an effective date."

HB 288

The following was enrolled, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, President and Secretary of the Senate, and the engrossed and enrolled copies were transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 1:29 p.m., June 24, 2002:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 288(FIN) am

"An Act relating to commercial fishing limited entry permit buy-back programs, to a permit buy-back assessment, and to voluntary relinquishment of commercial fishing permits; and defining 'optimum number.'"

HB 390

The following was enrolled, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, President and Secretary of the Senate, and the engrossed and enrolled copies were transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 1:29 p.m., June 24, 2002:

SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 390(RLS)

"An Act delaying the repeal of the salmon marketing tax; expanding the allowable use of that tax for the salmon marketing programs of the Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute; relating to the Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute's salmon marketing committee; and providing for an effective date."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

House committee schedules are published daily under separate cover.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative James moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:00 a.m., June 25, 2002. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 2:31 p.m.

Suzi Lowell
Chief Clerk