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March 18, 2008

Sixty-fourth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Harris at 10:08 a.m.

Roll call showed 39 members present. Representative Foster had been excused from a call of the House today.

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, the Reverend Dan Wanders of Aldersgate United Methodist Church. Representative Dahlstrom moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

With deepest respect for the religious beliefs of all Alaskans, we offer the following prayer.

God of grace and God of glory, I pray for the health of those gathered here so that their energies can go into the weighty tasks at hand and they can be strong for the work ahead.

May they find peace regarding any concerns or worries about their loved ones at home so that they can be fully attentive to the issues facing this House, indeed the whole state government.

I pray that the members can so work together that they experience more fully the insights and expanded horizons that can come from listening well to those with whom they disagree and that they can with clarity and conviction speak from their own hearts and minds. May there be some fully unexpected good news come to this House. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Doll.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 63rd legislative day be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

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Representative Kerttula introduced Sam Greely, Guest Page, from Juneau.

RECONSIDERATION

SB 256

Representative Chenault brought up reconsideration of the vote on HCS CSSB 256(FIN) am H (page 2309).

The following was again before the House in third reading:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 256(FIN) am H
"An Act making supplemental appropriations, capital appropriations, reappropriations, and other appropriations; making an appropriation to the senior benefits payment program; amending certain appropriations; ratifying certain expenditures; making appropriations to capitalize funds; and providing for an effective date."

The question to be reconsidered: "Shall HCS CSSB 256(FIN) am H pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HCS CSSB 256(FIN) am H--RECONSIDERATION

Third Reading

Final Passage

YEAS: 38 NAYS: 1 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Harris, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

Nays: Crawford

Excused: Foster

And so, HCS CSSB 256(FIN) am H passed the House on reconsideration.

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the bill be considered the roll call on the effective date clause. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HCS CSSB 256(FIN) am H was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

HB 182

A message dated March 17, 2008, was read stating the Senate passed:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 182(JUD)

"An Act making the offering of certain promotional checks an unfair or deceptive act or practice."

CSHB 182(JUD) was referred to the Chief Clerk for enrollment.

COMMUNICATIONS

The following was received:

Dept. of Administration

Office of the Commissioner

Monetary Terms of Agreement between the State and the Alaska
Vocational Technical Center Teachers' Association

March 17, 2008

(as required by AS 23.40.215)

The Speaker referred the monetary terms of agreement to the Finance Committee.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**HB 236**

The Finance Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 236

"An Act relating to providing a death certificate for a deceased veteran without cost; relating to a program to honor the memory of a deceased veteran; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 236(MLV)

"An Act relating to providing a death certificate for a deceased veteran without charge; relating to a program to honor the memory of a deceased veteran; and providing for an effective date."

The report was signed by Representatives Chenault and Meyer, Co-chairs, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (8): Hawker, Crawford, Stoltze, Gara, Joule, Thomas, Chenault, Meyer

No recommendation (1): Kelly

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 236(MLV):

3. Fiscal, Dept. of Military & Veterans' Affairs
4. Fiscal, Dept. of Health & Social Services

HB 236 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 278

The Judiciary Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 278

"An Act relating to sex offenders and child kidnappers."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 278(JUD)

"An Act relating to sex offenders and child kidnappers; and providing for an effective date."

The report was signed by Representative Ramras, Chair, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (4): Gruenberg, Dahlstrom, Holmes, Ramras

No recommendation (1): Samuels

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 278(JUD):

1. Zero, Dept. of Administration
2. Zero, Dept. of Administration
3. Zero, Dept. of Corrections
4. Zero, Dept. of Law
5. Fiscal, Dept. of Public Safety

HB 278 was referred to the Finance Committee.

HB 307

The Finance Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 307

"An Act relating to penalizing certain misdemeanor domestic violence offenses as felonies."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 307(FIN)

"An Act relating to penalizing certain misdemeanor domestic violence assaults as felonies."

The report was signed by Representative Meyer, Co-chair, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (2): Gara, Nelson

No recommendation (5): Crawford, Joule, Thomas, Stoltze, Meyer

Amend (1): Hawker

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 307(FIN):

4. Zero, Dept. of Public Safety
5. Fiscal, Dept. of Administration
6. Fiscal, Dept. of Administration
7. Fiscal, Dept. of Corrections
8. Fiscal, Alaska Court System
9. Fiscal, Dept. of Law

HB 307 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 348

The Finance Committee considered:

SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 348

"An Act relating to the adoption of regulations by the Board of Game."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO.
348(FIN)

"An Act relating to the adoption of conservation, development, and utilization regulations by the Board of Game to address concerns relating to public assets."

The report was signed by Representative Meyer, Co-chair, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (1): Kelly

Do not pass (1): Gara

No recommendation (7): Hawker, Nelson, Joule, Stoltze, Thomas, Harris, Meyer

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSSSHB 348(FIN):

2. Fiscal, Dept. of Law
3. Zero, Dept. of Fish & Game

SSH B 348 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 364

The Finance Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 364

"An Act relating to notice and consent for a minor's abortion; relating to penalties for performing an abortion; relating to a judicial bypass procedure for an abortion; relating to coercion of a minor to have an abortion; relating to reporting of abortions performed on minors; amending Rule 24(a), Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure, amending Rule 220, Alaska Rules of Appellate Procedure, and Rule 20, Alaska Probate Rules, relating to judicial bypass for an abortion; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 364(FIN)

"An Act relating to notice and consent for a minor's abortion; relating to penalties for performing an abortion; relating to a judicial bypass procedure for an abortion; relating to coercion of a minor to have an abortion; relating to reporting of abortions performed on minors; amending Rule 220, Alaska Rules of Appellate Procedure, and Rule 20, Alaska Probate Rules, relating to judicial bypass for an abortion; and providing for an effective date."

The report was signed by Representative Meyer, Co-chair, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (3): Kelly, Stoltze, Meyer

Do not pass (1): Joule

No recommendation (3): Hawker, Thomas, Harris

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 364(FIN):

1. Indeterminate, Dept. of Health & Social Services
2. Zero, Dept. of Administration
3. Zero, Alaska Court System
4. Indeterminate, Dept. of Law

HB 364 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 406

The Finance Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 406

"An Act relating to a requirement for competitive bidding on contracts for the preparation of election ballots."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 406(STA)

"An Act relating to contracts for the preparation of election ballots."

The report was signed by Representatives Meyer and Chenault, Co-chairs, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (8): Hawker, Crawford, Stoltze, Joule, Thomas, Kelly, Meyer, Chenault

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 406(STA):

1. Zero, Office of the Governor

HB 406 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 417

The Finance Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 417

"An Act relating to the compensation for certain public officials, officers, and employees not covered by collective bargaining agreements; relating to pay increments for longevity in state service; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 417(FIN)
(same title)

The report was signed by Representatives Meyer and Chenault, Co-chairs, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (2): Kelly, Chenault

No recommendation (6): Nelson, Joule, Thomas, Stoltze, Harris, Meyer

Amend (2): Gara, Hawker

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 417(FIN):

2. Fiscal, Alaska Court System
3. Fiscal, Office of the Governor
4. Fiscal, Legislative Agency

HB 417 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

The following citation was introduced and referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar:

In Memoriam – Virgil Lee McCraw
By Representative Gatto

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

HB 363

SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 363 by
Representatives Guttenberg, Coghill, and Salmon, entitled:

"An Act relating to naturopaths and to the practice of naturopathy;
establishing an Alaska Naturopathic Board; and providing for an
effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Health, Education & Social
Services and Finance Committees.

HB 421

HOUSE BILL NO. 421 by the House Rules Committee by request,
entitled:

"An Act relating to electronic communication devices and to
personal information and making certain violations related to
electronic communication devices unfair trade practices."

was read the first time and referred to the Labor & Commerce and
Judiciary Committees.

CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 338

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 338

"An Act relating to the power project fund and the bulk fuel
revolving loan fund; authorizing the Alaska Energy Authority to
borrow money from the power project fund for the bulk fuel

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revolving loan fund and to repay money borrowed; and providing for an effective date."

with the:

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| FIN RPT CS(FIN) NT 9DP | 2270 |
| FN1: ZERO(CED) | 2270 |
| FN2: (CED) | 2270 |

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that the following committee substitute be adopted in lieu of the original bill:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 338(FIN)

"An Act relating to the bulk fuel bridge loan fund and program, power project fund, and the bulk fuel revolving loan fund; authorizing the Alaska Energy Authority to borrow money from the power project fund for the bulk fuel revolving loan fund and to repay money borrowed; and providing for an effective date."

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that CSHB 338(FIN) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSHB 338(FIN) was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall CSHB 338(FIN) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHB 338(FIN)

Third Reading

Final Passage

YEAS: 39 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Harris, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

Excused: Foster

And so, CSHB 338(FIN) passed the House.

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the bill be considered the roll call on the effective date clause. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSHB 338(FIN) was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

HB 373

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 373

"An Act extending specified public school bond debt reimbursement; and providing for an effective date."

| with the: | Journal Page |
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| FIN RPT 6DP 2NR | 2196 |
| FN1: INDETERMINATE(EED) | 2196 |

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that HB 373 be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HB 373 was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall HB 373 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HB 373
Third Reading
Final Passage

YEAS: 39 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Harris, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

Excused: Foster

And so, HB 373 passed the House.

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the bill be considered the roll call on the effective date clause. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HB 373 was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

HJR 29

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 29

Urging the President of the United States and the United States Congress to fulfill the federal obligation to provide adequate funding for special education in public schools.

with the:

Journal Page

HES RPT 7DP

1824

FN1: ZERO(H.HES)

1825

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that HJR 29 be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HJR 29 was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall HJR 29 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HJR 29
Third Reading
Final Passage

YEAS: 39 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Harris, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

Excused: Foster

And so, HJR 29 passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

HJR 38

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 38

Recognizing the State of Israel on the 60th anniversary of its founding.

with the:

Journal Page

STA RPT CS(STA) 4DP

2268

FN1: ZERO(H.STA)

2269

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that the following committee substitute be adopted in lieu of the original resolution:

CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 38(STA)
(same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that CSHJR 38(STA) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSHJR 38(STA) was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall CSHJR 38(STA) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHJR 38(STA)

Third Reading

Final Passage

YEAS: 39 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Harris, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

Excused: Foster

And so, CSHJR 38(STA) passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

The Speaker stated that the House would stand at ease to allow members of the Senate to enter the Chamber; and so, the House stood at ease at 10:55 a.m.

AFTER AT EASE

The Speaker called the House back to order at 11:08 a.m.

JOINT SESSION IN THE HOUSE

In accordance with Uniform Rule 51, Speaker Harris turned the gavel over to President Green who called the joint session to order at 11:08 a.m.

The purpose of the joint session was to hear an address by the Honorable Lisa Murkowski, U.S. Senator.

Senator Ellis moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call of the Senate be waived and all members be shown as present. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call of the House be waived and all members be shown as present. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

President Green appointed Representative Nelson and Senator McGuire to escort the Honorable Lisa Murkowski to the joint session.

The Senate Sergeant-at-Arms announced the Senator's entrance into the House Chamber.

Senator Murkowski was escorted to the rostrum and welcomed by President Green.

Senator Murkowski delivered her address and it is published in Senate and House Joint Journal Supplement No. 15.

A question and answer period followed the conclusion of the Senator's speech.

Senator Murkowski received a standing ovation and was escorted from the Chamber by Representative Nelson and Senator McGuire.

Senator Ellis moved and asked unanimous consent that the joint session adjourn. There being no objection, President Green adjourned the joint session at 12:03 p.m.

The Speaker ordered the House at ease to allow members of the Senate to leave the Chamber.

IN THE HOUSE

The Speaker called the House back to order at 12:03 p.m.

The Speaker stated that the House would stand at ease until 12:30 p.m.; and so, the House stood at ease at 12:03 p.m.

AFTER AT EASE

The Speaker called the House back to order at 12:58 p.m.

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that Representative Nelson be excused from a call of the House today. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

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HCR 13

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13

Establishing and relating to the Education Funding District Cost Factor Commission.

| with the: | Journal Page |
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| HES RPT CS(HES) 5DP 1AM | 1929 |
| FN1: (LEG) | 1929 |
| FIN RPT CS(FIN) 4DP 2NR 1AM | 1997 |
| FN2: ZERO(H.FIN/LEG) | 1998 |

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that the following committee substitute be adopted in lieu of the original resolution:

CS FOR HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13(FIN)
(same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The question being: "Shall CSHCR 13(FIN) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHCR 13(FIN)
Second Reading
Final Passage

YEAS: 37 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Harris, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, Lynn, Meyer, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

Excused: Foster, LeDoux, Nelson

And so, CSHCR 13(FIN) passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

SECOND READING OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

SJR 11

The following was read the second time:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11

Supporting federal funding for veterans' health care and urging the United States Congress to ensure adequate funding for veterans' health care.

| with the: | Journal Page |
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| MLV RPT 6DP | 2124 |
| FN1: ZERO(S.HES) | 2125 |
| HES RPT 6DP | 2246 |
| FN1: ZERO(S.HES) | 2246 |

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that SJR 11 be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

SJR 11 was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall SJR 11 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

SJR 11
Third Reading
Final Passage

YEAS: 37 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Harris, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, Lynn, Meyer, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

Excused: Foster, LeDoux, Nelson

And so, SJR 11 passed the House, was signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk and returned to the Senate.

**The presence of Representative LeDoux, who was excused (page 2314), was noted.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

HJR 28

The following, which was advanced to third reading from the March 17, 2008, calendar (page 2312), was read the third time:

CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 28(FIN)
Proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Alaska relating to the budget reserve fund, and to appropriations to and transfers from the fund; and dedicating a portion of the petroleum production tax to the fund.

The question being: "Shall CSHJR 28(FIN) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHJR 28(FIN)

Third Reading

Final Passage

YEAS: 30 NAYS: 7 EXCUSED: 2 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Fairclough, Gardner, Gatto, Harris, Hawker, Johansen, Johnson, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

Nays: Edgmon, Gara, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Holmes, Joule, Kawasaki

Excused: Foster, Nelson

Absent: Neuman

And so, CSHJR 28(FIN) passed the House.

Representative Stoltze gave notice of reconsideration of the vote on CSHJR 28(FIN).

LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that the House approve the citations on the calendar. There being no objection, the following citations were approved and sent to enrolling:

Honoring – Jessica Klejka

By Representatives Nelson, Harris, Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

Honoring – Salvation Army Serendipity Adult Day Center

By Representatives Cissna, Harris, Buch, Chenault, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson; Senator Davis

In Memoriam – Kent A. Lindsey

By Representatives Seaton, Harris, Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson; Senator Stevens

In Memoriam – Helen Oleta Griffin Gwin

By Representatives Seaton, Harris, Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson; Senator Stevens

In Memoriam – Daniel Alex

By Representatives Stoltze, Fairclough, Harris, Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Thomas, Wilson

In Memoriam – Dormand Clare McGraw Sr.

By Senator Stedman; Representatives Harris, Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kelly, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

In Memoriam – Robert "Robbie" Allan King

By Senator Stevens; Representatives LeDoux, Harris, Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

In Memoriam – Roy James Evans, Jr.

By Senator Stevens; Representatives Seaton, Harris, Buch, Chenault, Cissna, Coghill, Crawford, Dahlstrom, Doll, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, LeDoux, Lynn, Meyer, Nelson, Neuman, Olson, Ramras, Roses, Salmon, Samuels, Stoltze, Thomas, Wilson

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Representative Samuels 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 Gatto – from 11:00 a.m., March 20 to evening plane time, March 24

Representative Johnson – from 11:00 a.m., March 20 to morning plane time, March 25

Representative LeDoux – from 11:00 a.m., March 19 to evening plane time, March 23

Representative Lynn – from 11:30 a.m., March 20 to morning plane time, March 25

Representative Neuman – from 6:00 p.m., March 20 to morning plane time, March 25

Representative Roses – from 6:00 p.m., March 20 to evening plane time, March 24

HB 354

The Speaker waived the Finance Committee referral for the following at the request of Representative Meyer, Co-chair:

HOUSE BILL NO. 354

"An Act relating to subsidies for a hard-to-place child; relating to criminal sanctions for unlawful disclosure of confidential information pertaining to a child; relating to child support orders

in child-in-need-of-aid and delinquency proceedings; and providing for an effective date."

HB 354 was removed from the Finance Committee and referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 197

The following memorandum, dated March 17, 2008, was received from Patty Rose, Enrolling Secretary, Division of Legal and Research Services, regarding:

HOUSE BILL NO. 197 am

"An Act relating to the issuance of shares of professional corporations to a trust, to trusts, to trustees, to the removal of a trustee, to the compensation of a trustee and a person employed by a trustee, to a trustee's accepting or rejecting a trusteeship, to co-trustees, to a vacancy in a trusteeship, to the resignation of a trustee, to delivery of trust property by former trustees, to the reimbursement of trustee expenses, to the certification of a trust, to the suitability of a trustee, to the place of administration of a trust, to a trustee's power to appoint property to another trust, to a change of the percentage of trust property to be considered principal, to the determination of the value of a trust, and to a settlor's intent when transferring property in trust; amending Rules 54 and 82, Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure; and providing for an effective date."

"In accordance with Rule 43, Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, I am reporting the following manifest errors in HB 197 am, which have been corrected in enrolling:

Page 7, line 2, following "or":

Insert "by"

Page 7, line 13:

Delete "(i)"

Insert "(A)"

Page 7, line 15:

Delete "(ii)"

Insert "(B)"

Page 7, line 17:

Delete "(iii)"

Insert "(C)""

HCR 13

Representatives Olson and Johnson added their names as cosponsors to:

CS FOR HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13(FIN)
Establishing and relating to the Education Funding District Cost Factor Commission.

HJR 28

Representatives Seaton, LeDoux, Buch, and Gardner added their names as cosponsors to:

CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 28(FIN)
Proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Alaska relating to the budget reserve fund, and to appropriations to and transfers from the fund; and dedicating a portion of the petroleum production tax to the fund.

HJR 29

Representatives Olson, Johnson, Lynn, and Guttenberg added their names as cosponsors to:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 29
Urging the President of the United States and the United States Congress to fulfill the federal obligation to provide adequate funding for special education in public schools.

HB 338

Representative Kerttula added her name as cosponsor to:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 338(FIN)

"An Act relating to the bulk fuel bridge loan fund and program, power project fund, and the bulk fuel revolving loan fund; authorizing the Alaska Energy Authority to borrow money from the power project fund for the bulk fuel revolving loan fund and to repay money borrowed; and providing for an effective date."

HB 388

Representative Joule added his name as cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 388

"An Act establishing the Alaska Broadband Task Force; and providing for an effective date."

SJR 11

Representatives Olson, Dahlstrom, Ramras, Doogan, Roses, Gara, Hawker, and Holmes added their names as cross sponsors to:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11

Supporting federal funding for veterans' health care and urging the United States Congress to ensure adequate funding for veterans' health care.

SB 230

Representatives Olson, Ramras, and Gardner added their names as cross sponsors to:

CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 230(FIN) am

"An Act establishing the film office in the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development; creating a transferable tax credit applicable to certain film production expenditures incurred in the state; and providing for an effective date."

ENGROSSMENT**HCR 13**

CSHCR 13(FIN) was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

HJR 29

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HJR 38

CSHJR 38(STA) was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

HB 338

CShB 338(FIN) was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

HB 373

HB 373 was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

SB 256

HCS CSSB 256(FIN) am H was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

House committee schedules are published daily under separate cover.

The following meetings today were changed:

House Special Committee on Military & Veterans' Affairs
CANCELED

Transportation Committee
CHANGED TO: 2:30 p.m.

Finance Committee
CHANGED TO: 2:30 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Samuels moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:00 a.m., March 19, 2008. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 2:31 p.m.

Suzi Lowell
Chief Clerk