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Twenty-second Day

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Chenault at 2:03 p.m.

Roll call showed 35 members present. Representatives Gardner and Hawker had been excused from a call of the House today.

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that Representatives Holmes, Miller, and Pruitt be excused from a call of the House today. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, the Reverend George Silides of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church. Representative P. Wilson 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 traditions of all Alaskans, I offer this prayer:

Almighty God, from whom comes every good and perfect gift, we thank you for the blessings of this day: those most obvious to us and those still unfolding before our eyes. We thank you for the beauty of this country and the abundance of both land and sea. By your grace help these, thy servants, to steward that wealth with care and reverence and somehow meet the responsibility of preserving both this legacy and the opportunity these riches provide for all our people. We know and honor that these public

servants have other responsibilities for home and business which they must lay aside to serve the citizens of our state. Bless the endeavors of their life away from here as you bless the efforts of employers and employees throughout our state to provide honorable industry and opportunity for all.

We ask thy blessing upon the work of these legislators here gathered, for their staff, and all who support the work of sound government on our behalf. It has been taught us that for every purpose there is a season and that the seasons turn from winter to spring to summer to fall again and with them the light of day, the flowering of the fields, and the strength of animals on the land and sea. To the work of these who labor to govern the people of this great land, we ask thy blessing and thy governance that having done the work to which they have been called with all the skill and patience at their command, you speed them safely on their way to homes and the loved ones who have lent them to us for a time now coming to a close. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Neuman.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 19th, 20th, and 21st legislative days of the first special session be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

HB 119

A message dated May 6, 2011, was read stating the Governor 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. 119(FIN)

"An Act relating to the procurement of supplies, services, professional services, and construction for the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority; relating to the definition of 'own' for the economic development account; relating to the

definitions of 'development project,' 'plant,' 'facility,' and 'project' for the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority; relating to the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority creating subsidiaries regarding projects financed under AS 44.88.172; authorizing the Alaska Development and Export Authority to issue bonds to finance the expansion, modification, and upgrading of the Skagway Ore Terminal; relating to the operation and management of public housing projects and housing for low-income households by the Alaska Housing Finance Corporation; relating to subsidiary corporations of the Alaska Housing Finance Corporation; relating to harbor facility grants; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 7, SLA 2011
Effective Date: See Chapter

INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

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

Honoring – Philip Brower and Tim Adams, Small Business Persons of the Year
By Representative Olson; Senator Wagoner

Honoring – Seldovia Police Chief Andy Anderson
By Senator Stevens; Representative Seaton

Honoring – Lou Pondolfino, 2010 Alaska State High School Principal of the Year
By Senator Meyer; Representative Millett

CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR

LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS

Representative Austerman 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 – Kelsie Leaf, 2011 Caring for the Kenai Contest Winner
By Representatives Olson, Chenault, Cissna, Costello, Dick, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Feige, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Miller, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Petersen, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Thompson, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson; Senator Wagoner

Honoring – Solomon D. Atkinson
By Senator Kookesh; Representatives Thomas, Chenault, Cissna, Costello, Dick, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Feige, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Miller, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Stoltze, Thompson, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Representative Austerman 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 Joule – from 11:00 a.m., May 11 to 11:00 a.m., May 13

Representative Fairclough – from 11:00 a.m., May 14 to 10:30 a.m., May 16

HCR 5

The following memorandum dated May 9, 2011, was received from Patty Rose, Enrolling Secretary, Division of Legal and Research Services, regarding:

CS FOR HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5(HSS)
Relating to prevention of disease and to vitamin D.

"In accordance with Rule 43, Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, I am reporting the following manifest errors in CSHCR 5(HSS), which have been corrected in enrolling:

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Page 2, line 13, following "that":
Insert "the"

Page 4, line 5, following "of":
Insert "the"

Page 4, line 12:
Delete "Geriatric"
Insert "Geriatrics"

Page 5, line 14:
Delete "latitude"
Insert "latitudes"

Page 6, line 3:
Delete the second occurrence of "Alaska"

HJR 24

The following memorandum dated May 9, 2011, was received from Patty Rose, Enrolling Secretary, Division of Legal and Research Services, regarding:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 24

Urging the United States Congress to reauthorize the Secure Rural Schools and Communities Self-Determination Act of 2000.

"In accordance with Rule 43, Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, I am reporting the following manifest errors in HJR 24, which have been corrected in enrolling:

Page 1, line 16:
Delete "Communities"
Insert "Community"

Page 2, line 8:
Delete "Communities"
Insert "Community"

Page 21, line 16:

Delete "Communities"

Insert "Community""

ANNOUNCEMENTS

With appointment of the Conference Committee on the operating budget, Rule 23(d) of the Uniform Rules is in effect as of April 6, 2011.

House committee schedules are published under separate cover.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 1:00 p.m., May 10, 2011. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 2:26 p.m.

Suzi Lowell
Chief Clerk