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Twenty-third Day

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Chenault at 1:03 p.m.

Roll call showed 35 members present. Representatives Gardner, Hawker, and Millett had been excused from a call of the House today. Representative Gara was absent and his presence was noted later.

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that Representative Holmes 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, you have so linked our lives with one another that all we do affects for good or ill all other lives. So guide us in the work we do that we may do it not for self alone but for the common good; and just as we seek proper recognition and recompense for our own labor, make us mindful of the aspirations of all those who labor and arouse our concern for those unable to and their families who depend upon them.

We ask your blessing upon the very sick among us, the elderly, the orphans, the homeless, and the addicted. We mourn the waste of human lives and potential; we grieve the loss of joy which is the birthright of all your children. We ask your wisdom in unraveling the choices between the abundance our society enjoys as a whole and the scarcity under which so many of our brothers and sisters live.

Bless each member of this assembly. Encourage their hearts, succor their patience, secure their resolve, and temper their will with humility. Bless those who have brought the work of their minds and hearts into the public square and seen their hopes and plans become public property. May their hands rest lightly upon their creation as the many mold it to the betterment of all. For all whose lives give ours the shape and joy and surprise they have, we give thanks. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Lynn.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 22nd legislative day 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

HR 7

A message dated May 9, 2011, was read stating the Governor read the following resolution and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 7 Establishing a House Special Committee on Fiscal Policy.

House Resolve No. 7

HCR 4

A message dated May 9, 2011, was read stating the Governor read the following resolution and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4

Proposing amendments to the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature providing that the 2010 edition of "Mason's Manual of Legislative Procedure" shall implement the rules; and providing for an effective date for the amendments.

Legislative Resolve No. 6

SCR 6

A message dated May 9, 2011, was read stating the Governor read the following resolution and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6

Authorizing a recess by the Senate for a period of more than three days, those days being March 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 of 2011.

Legislative Resolve No. 3

SCR 12

A message dated May 9, 2011, was read stating the Governor read the following resolution and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning House Bill No. 16, extending senior benefits.

Legislative Resolve No. 18

SCR 13

A message dated May 9, 2011, was read stating the Governor read the following resolution and is transmitting the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's office for permanent filing:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning House Bill No. 119, 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; and relating to the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority creating subsidiaries regarding projects financed under AS 44.88.172.

Legislative Resolve No. 21

SB 61

A message dated May 9, 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:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 61(STA)

"An Act making corrective amendments to the Alaska Statutes as recommended by the revisor of statutes; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter No. 8, SLA 2011 Effective Date: May 10, 2011

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**The presence of Representative Gara was noted.

COMMUNICATIONS

The following was received:

Dept. of Labor & Workforce Development Alaska Labor Relations Agency 2010 Annual Report May 5, 2011 (as required by AS 23.05.370)

INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

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

Honoring – Captain Carl Uchytil on the Occasion of His Retirement By Representative Pruitt

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 – Philip Brower and Tim Adams, Small Business Persons of the Year

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

Honoring – Seldovia Police Chief Andy Anderson

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

Honoring – Lou Pondolfino, 2010 Alaska State High School Principal of the Year

By Senator Meyer; Representatives Millett, Chenault, Austerman, Cissna, Costello, Dick, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Feige, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron,

Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Stoltze, Thomas, Thompson, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the House would revert to Messages from the Senate.

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the House would recess to a Call of the Chair; and so, the House recessed at 1:24 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

The Speaker called the House back to order at 8:05 p.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

A message dated May 10, 2011, was read stating the Senate passed the following, and it is transmitted for consideration:

FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF SENATE BILLS

SB 46

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 46(FIN) by the Senate Finance Committee, entitled:

"An Act making and amending appropriations, including capital appropriations, savings deposits in the form of appropriations to the statutory budget reserve fund, and other appropriations; making appropriations to capitalize funds; and providing for an effective date."

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

ENROLLMENT

HCR 3

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 3:18 p.m., May 10, 2011, with a manifest error memorandum (page 1173):

CS FOR HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3 (HSS) am

Relating to promoting the safety and protection of older Alaskans.

Legislative Resolve No. 14

HCR 5

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 3:18 p.m., May 10, 2011, with a manifest error memorandum (page 1210):

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

Legislative Resolve No. 16

HCR 7

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 3:18 p.m., May 10, 2011:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7

Relating to awarding the Alaska Decoration of Honor to certain members of the military.

Legislative Resolve No. 22

HCR 15

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 3:18 p.m., May 10, 2011:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning Senate Bill No. 1, requiring the state Board of Education and Early Development to provide an annual report to the legislature.

Legislative Resolve No. 23

HCR 16

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 3:18 p.m., May 10, 2011:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning Senate Bill No. 84, relating to funding for high school vocational and technical instruction as a component of funding for public schools; relating to the base student allocation; and relating to education tax credits.

Legislative Resolve No. 27

HCR 17

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 3:18 p.m., May 10, 2011:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning Senate Bill No. 95, naming the ferry terminal located at Auke Bay in Juneau the Frank Palmer Ferry Terminal.

Legislative Resolve No. 24

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 $11,\,2011.$ There being no objection, the House adjourned at $8:07\,$ p.m.

Suzi Lowell Chief Clerk