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Anchorage, Alaska

Friday

May 29, 2015

Ninth Day

The Senate was called to order by President Meyer at 11:04 a.m.

The roll showed twelve members present. Senator Gardner was excused from a call of the Senate. Senators Bishop, Dunleavy, Egan, Ellis, Micciche, Stedman, Stoltze were absent.

Senator Coghill moved and asked unanimous consent that Senators Bishop, Dunleavy, Micciche, Stedman be excused from a call of the Senate today. Without objection, Senators Bishop, Dunleavy, Micciche, Stedman were excused.

The prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Romo Marasigan. Senator Hoffman moved and asked unanimous consent that the prayer be spread. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Dear Lord,

Thank you. Thank you for allowing us to gather here together today.

Make us grateful for the gifts that we have, the lives that we live.

Help us to cherish and remember those sweet, beloved souls who are no longer with us, and give us all peace. Amen.

Senator Coghill led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Certification

Senator Coghill moved and asked unanimous consent that the journals for the first through eighth legislative days of the second special session be approved as certified by the Secretary. Without objection, it was so ordered.

The presence of Senator Stoltze was noted.

Messages from the Governor**HB 153**

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on May 19 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL
NO. 153(RES) "An Act expanding the Palmer Hay
Flats State Game Refuge."

Chapter 25, SLA 2015
Effective Date: 8/17/15

HB 161

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on May 19 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 161(HSS) "An Act
relating to the purchase of durable medical equipment
under Medicaid; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 26, SLA 2015
Effective Date: 5/20/15

HB 131

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on May 26 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE BILL NO. 131 am "An Act relating to the licensure of nail technicians and hairdressers; relating to the practice of manicuring; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 27, SLA 2015
Effective Date: See Chapter

SB 46

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on May 26 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 46(FIN) "An Act relating to the Alaska Municipal Bond Bank Authority; authorizing the Alaska Municipal Bond Bank Authority to issue bonds or notes for a regional health organization or joint action agency; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 28, SLA 2015
Effective Date: 5/27/15

HB 135

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on May 26 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE BILL NO. 135 "An Act establishing a Roth contribution program for the public employees' deferred compensation program; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 29, SLA 2015
Effective Date: 7/1/15

Recess

Senator Coghill moved and asked unanimous consent that the Senate stand in recess to a call of the Chair. Without objection, the Senate recessed at 11:09 a.m.

After Recess

The Senate reconvened at 5:04 p.m.

Announcements

Rule 23(d) of the Alaska State Legislature Uniform Rules is currently in effect.

Announcements are at the end of the journal.

Enrollment**SB 39**

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 39(L&C) am H "An Act repealing the film production tax credit; providing for an effective date by repealing the effective dates of secs. 31 - 33, ch. 51, SLA 2012; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 3:00 p.m., May 28, 2015.

SB 107

SENATE BILL NO. 107 "An Act relating to insurance; relating to risk based capital for domestic insurers and fraternal benefit societies, including provisions related to insurers subject to risk based capital and action level event requirements; relating to review by the director of insurance of an insurer's risk based capital plan; relating to confidentiality and sharing of certain information submitted to the director of insurance; relating to evaluating an insurance holding company and the acquisition of control of or merger with a domestic

insurer; relating to risk based capital, risk management, and own risk and solvency assessments of insurers; clarifying provisions related to risk based capital plans; relating to exemptions by the director of insurance for certain domestic and casualty insurers from risk based capital requirements; relating to insurance holding companies, including filing requirements, divestiture, content of statements, notifications, and hearings; relating to registration requirements of insurers; relating to transactions within an insurance holding company system or transactions involving a domestic insurer; relating to management and examination of domestic insurers that are part of an insurance holding company system; adding provisions relating to participation by the director of insurance in a supervisory college; relating to civil and criminal penalties for violations by insurers and individuals; relating to provisions for risk management and own risk and solvency assessments by insurers; relating to operating requirements for controlling insurance producers; relating to producer-controlled insurers; adding and amending definitions related to insurers; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 3:00 p.m., May 28, 2015.

Memorandum from the Division of Legal and Research Services, Legislative Affairs Agency, reporting the following manifest errors in SENATE BILL NO. 107, which have been corrected in enrolling:

Page 19, line 13, following "information":

Insert "or"

Page 20, line 24:

Delete "under"

Insert "with"

Page 23, lines 28 - 29:

Delete "or false report"

Insert ", false report,"

Page 26, line 21:

Delete "to"

Page 27, line 23:

Delete "AS 21.22.030"

Insert "AS 21.23.030"

Page 31, line 1:

Delete "producers"

Insert "producer"

SJR 13

CS FOR SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13(RES) Supporting oil and gas exploration and development on the outer continental shelf offshore of the state; opposing attempts to prohibit future oil and gas development in the Beaufort and the Chukchi Seas, including the Hanna Shoal area; and requesting that the federal Administration cease and desist from restrictions that adversely affect active or future leases in high petroleum potential areas in the Beaufort and Chukchi Seas, including the Hanna Shoal area, was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 3:00 p.m., May 28, 2015.

Legislative Resolve No. 26

Adjournment

Senator Coghill moved and asked unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment until 9:00 a.m., May 30, 2015. Without objection, the Senate adjourned at 5:07 p.m.

Liz Clark
Secretary of the Senate

Announcements

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STANDING COMMITTEES

+ indicates teleconference

= indicates bill previously heard/scheduled

FINANCE

May 29 Friday Anch LIO Rm A,B,C 1:30 PM

-- MEETING CANCELED --

-- Delayed to a Call of the Chair --

+ SB2001 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS

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<Pending Referral>

Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

May 30 Saturday Anch LIO Rm A,B,C 10:00 AM

+= SB2001 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS

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<Pending Referral>

Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

May 31 Sunday Anch LIO Rm A,B,C 1:00 PM

+= SB2001 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS

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<Pending Referral>

Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

JOINT COMMITTEES**LEGISLATIVE BUDGET & AUDIT**

Jun 02	Tuesday	Anch LIO	9:30 AM
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-- Subcommittee Meeting --
EXECUTIVE SESSION:
 Subcommittee on the Performance Review Scope for
 the Department of Education and Early Development

Jun 23	Tuesday	Anch LIO Auditorium	10:30 AM
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EXECUTIVE SESSION:
 - Audits
 - Performance Review Scope, Dept. of Education &
 Early Development
 Other Business

SELECT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE ETHICS

Jun 16 +	Tuesday	Anch LIO Rm 203	8:30 AM
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FULL COMMITTEE
 Public Comment
 Chair/Staff Report
 Budget
 2015 Legislation Update
 - SB 24 Ethics Act Contractors and Interns
 - SB 4 and HB 65 Leg./Public Official Financial
 Disclosure
 - SB 109 and HB 195 Voting and Conflicts
 - SB 115 APOC to PICA
 Advisory Opinion Request AO 15-02
EXECUTIVE SESSION
 Public Session - Joyce Anderson, continued
 services after June 30, 2015
 Other Business

Jun 16 +	Tuesday	Anch LIO Rm 203	12:30 PM
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SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE
 Public Comment
EXECUTIVE SESSION
 Public Session

TASK FORCE ON UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS

Jun 19	Friday	Anch LIO Auditorium	12:00 PM
	Time: 12:00 PM to 5:00 PM		
+	UAS Privacy Policy Discussion and Review of Privacy Guidelines Document		
	-- Public Testimony --		