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Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Edgmon at 10:37 a.m.

Roll call showed 38 members present. Representatives Foster and Kreiss-Tomkins were absent and their presence was noted later.

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, Pastor Kirk Elmore of Landmark Apostolic Church. Representative Westlake moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Today I would like to offer honor and respect to every person here and would like to now invite you to pray with me.

Lord Jesus, I come into this place with reverence and an understanding of the challenges and obstacles that these men and women face. The responsibility of ensuring the future success of our state can weigh heavy on the minds and hearts of these public servants. So right now, God, I ask that you would bless them and their families; God, help lead them in the right direction for this wonderful state we call home. I ask that you would be a constant reminder to them that doing what is best for their constituents means making the hard decisions that may not always be popular. God, I ask that you grant them wisdom. In the 37th chapter of Psalms the Psalmist says that, *The mouths of the righteous utter wisdom, and their tongues speak what is just.* In wisdom we can determine what

the right path is for our land, our laws, and our people. God, let your spirit be present in this place; let it speak words that bring an understanding. Lastly God, I want to acknowledge you and your grace. Thank you for your patience that you give to us daily. Thank you for the opportunities that are granted among these men and women that with your help and your direction we will be blessed with a wonderful and prosperous future. I ask all these things in your wonderful name Jesus. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Birch.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 85th legislative day be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

A message dated April 11 was read stating the Senate ratified the following public members to the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics:

Joyce M. Anderson
Deborah Fancher
Lee F. Holmes, alternate

HB 104

A message dated April 11 was read stating the Senate passed:

HOUSE BILL NO. 104

"An Act relating to collecting information about civil litigation by the Alaska Judicial Council; repealing Rule 41(a)(3), Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure, and Rules 511(c) and (e), Alaska Rules of Appellate Procedure; and providing for an effective date."

HB 104 was referred to the Chief Clerk for enrollment.

A message dated April 11 was read stating the Senate passed the following, and it is transmitted for consideration:

**FIRST READING AND REFERENCE
OF SENATE BILLS**

SB 100

SENATE BILL NO. 100 by Senator Egan by request, entitled:

"An Act relating to municipal liens."

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

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

HB 25

The Health & Social Services Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 25

"An Act relating to insurance coverage for contraceptives and related services; relating to medical assistance coverage for contraceptives and related services; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 25(HSS)
(same title)

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

Do pass (3): Tarr, Kito, Spohnholz

Do not pass (2): Sullivan-Leonard, Eastman

No recommendation (1): Edgmon

Amend (1): Johnston

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 25(HSS):

1. Zero, Dept. of Commerce, Community, & Economic Development
2. Fiscal, Dept. of Health & Social Services
3. Fiscal, Dept. of Health & Social Services

HB 25 was referred to the Finance Committee.

HB 74

The State Affairs Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 74

"An Act relating to the implementation of the federal REAL ID Act of 2005; and relating to issuance of identification cards and driver's licenses; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 74(STA)

"An Act relating to the implementation of the federal REAL ID Act of 2005; relating to issuance of identification cards and drivers' licenses; relating to data sharing by the Department of Administration; and providing for an effective date."

The report was signed by Representative Kreiss-Tomkins, Chair, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (1): Wool

Do not pass (2): Johnson, Tuck

No recommendation (3): LeDoux, Birch, Kreiss-Tomkins

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 74(STA):

1. Zero, Dept. of Military & Veterans' Affairs
2. Zero, Dept. of Public Safety
3. Fiscal, Dept. of Administration

HB 74 was referred to the Finance Committee.

**The presence of Representative Foster was noted.

HB 115

The Finance Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 115

"An Act relating to the permanent fund dividend; relating to the appropriation of certain amounts of the earnings reserve account; relating to the taxation of income of individuals; relating to a payment against the individual income tax from the permanent fund dividend disbursement; repealing tax credits applied against the tax on individuals under the Alaska Net Income Tax Act; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 115(FIN)

"An Act bearing the short title of the 'Education Funding Act'; relating to the taxation of income of individuals, partners, shareholders in S corporations, trusts, and estates; relating to a payment against the individual income tax from the permanent fund dividend disbursement; repealing tax credits applied against the tax on individuals under the Alaska Net Income Tax Act; and providing for an effective date."

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

Do pass (4): Guttenberg, Gara, Seaton, Foster

Do not pass (4): Tilton, Thompson, Pruitt, Wilson

No recommendation (2): Grenn, Ortiz

Amend (1): Kawasaki

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 115(FIN):

1. Fiscal, Dept. of Administration
2. Fiscal, Dept. of Revenue

HB 115 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 159

The Health & Social Services Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 159

"An Act relating to the prescription of opioids; establishing the Voluntary Nonopioid Directive Act; relating to the controlled substance prescription database; relating to the practice of dentistry; relating to the practice of medicine; relating to the practice of podiatry; relating to the practice of osteopathy; relating to the practice of nursing; relating to the practice of optometry; relating to the practice of veterinary medicine; related to the duties of the Board of Pharmacy; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 159(HSS)

"An Act relating to the prescription of opioids; relating to voluntary nonopioid directives; relating to the controlled substance prescription database; relating to the practice of dentistry; relating to the practice of pharmacy; relating to the practice of medicine; relating to the practice of podiatry; relating to the practice of osteopathy; relating to the practice of nursing; relating to the practice of optometry; relating to the practice of veterinary medicine; relating to the duties of the Board of Pharmacy; relating to pharmacists; providing for an effective date by repealing the effective date of sec. 73, ch. 25, SLA 2016; and providing for an effective date."

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

Do pass (6): Johnston, Tarr, Edgmon, Sullivan-Leonard, Kito, Spohnholz

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 159(HSS):

1. Zero, Dept. of Corrections
2. Zero, Dept. of Health & Social Services
3. Fiscal, Dept. of Commerce, Community, & Economic Development

HB 159 was referred to the Finance Committee.

SB 26

The Finance Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 26(FIN)

"An Act relating to an appropriation limit; relating to the budget responsibilities of the governor; relating to the Alaska permanent fund, the earnings of the Alaska permanent fund, and the earnings reserve account; relating to the mental health trust fund; relating to deposits into the dividend fund; relating to the calculation and payment of permanent fund dividends; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 26(FIN)

(same title)

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

Do pass (6): Gara, Kawasaki, Guttenberg, Grenn, Seaton, Foster

Do not pass (4): Thompson, Tilton, Wilson, Pruitt

No recommendation (1): Ortiz

The following fiscal note(s) apply to HCS CSSB 26(FIN):

4. Zero, Dept. of Revenue
10. Fiscal, Dept. of Corrections
11. Fiscal, Dept. of Revenue
12. Fiscal, Dept. of Revenue
13. Fiscal, Dept. of Revenue/Fund Transfers
14. Fiscal, Dept. of Revenue/Various Depts.

CSSB 26(FIN) is on today's calendar.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS**SB 55**

Representative Claman, Chair of the Judiciary Committee, moved and asked unanimous consent that the five-day notice requirement in Rule 23(a) of the Uniform Rules be waived so the Judiciary Committee may hear the following at 5:30 p.m., April 13:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 55(FIN)

"An Act relating to criminal law and procedure; relating to controlled substances; relating to sentencing; relating to protective orders; relating to restitution; relating to the period of probation; relating to revocation, termination, suspension, cancellation, or restoration of a driver's license; relating to parole; relating to the duties of the Department of Corrections and the Department of Health and Social Services; and providing for an effective date."

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

The following citation was introduced and taken up later as a Special Order of Business:

Honoring - Jeff Jessee
By Senator Kelly; Representative Edgmon

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

Honoring - Barbara Norton
By Representatives Claman, Tarr

Honoring - Alec Hajdukovich
By Senator Kelly

Honoring - Kathleen Carlo-Kendall
By Senator Kelly

Honoring - Larry G. Norene
By Senator MacKinnon

Honoring - Jeff Trotter
By Senator Wielechowski; Representative Spohnholz

Honoring - John Anthony Jessen
By Senator Wielechowski; Representative LeDoux

Honoring - Dimond High School Lynx, 2017 Boys Basketball 4A
State Champions
By Senator Costello; Representative Grenn

Honoring - Dimond High School Lynx, 2016 Girls Volleyball 4A
State Champions
By Senator Costello; Representative Grenn

Honoring - West High School Eagles, Boys Cross Country Running,
2016 Class 4A State Champions
By Senators Costello, Gardner

Honoring - Dimond High School Lynx, 2016 4A Girls Soccer State
Champions
By Senator Costello; Representative Grenn

Honoring - Dimond High School Lynx, 2016 Swimming and Diving
State Champions
By Senator Costello; Representative Grenn

Honoring - 150 Years of the U.S. Coast Guard in Alaska
By Senator Costello; Representatives Tuck, Stutes

Honoring - West High School Eagles, 2017 Alaska Nordic Ski State
Champions
By Senators Costello, Gardner

Honoring - Alaska School Activities Association, High School Hall of
Fame Class of 2017
By Senator Costello

Honoring - Anchorage Economic Development Corporation, 30th Anniversary
By Senator Costello

Honoring - The Fable Fighters, 2017 Battle of the Books, 6/7/8 Grade Alaska State Champions
By Senator Dunleavy; Representative Rauscher

Honoring - Orion Elementary School, 2016 Blue Ribbon School
By Senator Wielechowski; Representative LeDoux

Honoring - Anchorage Festival of Music
By Senator Wielechowski; Representative Spohnholz

Honoring - The Children's Lunchbox
By Senator Wielechowski; Representative LeDoux

In Memoriam - William Edward Brooks
By Senator Costello

In Memoriam - Donna Lee Gavora
By Senator Coghill

**The presence of Representative Kreiss-Tomkins was noted.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 226

HOUSE BILL NO. 226 by Representative Ortiz, entitled:

"An Act relating to endangering the welfare of a child in the first degree."

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

CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SB 9

The following was read the second time:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 9(FIN)

"An Act relating to military facility zones; and providing for an effective date."

with the:	Journal Page
CRA RPT 4DP	575
FN1: ZERO(MVA)	575

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that CSSB 9(FIN) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSSB 9(FIN) was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall CSSB 9(FIN) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 9(FIN)
Third Reading
Final Passage

YEAS: 40 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

And so, CSSB 9(FIN) passed the House.

Representative Tuck 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.

CSSB 9(FIN) was signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk and returned to the Senate.

SB 26

The following was read the second time:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 26(FIN)

"An Act relating to an appropriation limit; relating to the budget responsibilities of the governor; relating to the Alaska permanent fund, the earnings of the Alaska permanent fund, and the earnings reserve account; relating to the mental health trust fund; relating to deposits into the dividend fund; relating to the calculation and payment of permanent fund dividends; and providing for an effective date."

with the:

Journal Page

FIN RPT HCS(FIN) 6DP 4DNP 1NR	1059
FN4: ZERO(REV)	1059
FN10: (COR)	1059
FN11: (REV)	1059
FN12: (REV)	1059
FN13: (REV/FUND TRANSFERS)	1059
FN14: (REV/VARIOUS)	1059

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

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 26(FIN)
(same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that HCS CSSB 26(FIN) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HCS CSSB 26(FIN) was read the third time.

Representative Millett placed a call of the House.

The Speaker stated that the House would stand at ease for 15 minutes; and so, the House stood at ease at 12:24 p.m.

AFTER AT EASE

The Speaker called the House back to order at 12:50 p.m.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

(continued)

SB 26

HCS CSSB 26(FIN) was before the House in third reading.

Representative LeDoux rose to a point of order.

The Speaker cautioned the member to confine remarks to the bill.

The call was satisfied.

The question being: "Shall HCS CSSB 26(FIN) pass the House?"
The roll was taken with the following result:

HCS CSSB 26(FIN)

Third Reading

Final Passage

YEAS: 22 NAYS: 18 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Ortiz, Parish, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Tarr, Tuck, Westlake, Wool

Nays: Birch, Chenault, Eastman, Johnson, Johnston, Knopp, Kopp, Millett, Neuman, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Thompson, Tilton, Wilson

And so, HCS CSSB 26(FIN) passed the House.

Representative Tuck moved the effective date clause.

The question being: "Shall the effective date clause be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HCS CSSB 26(FIN)

Third Reading

Effective Date

YEAS: 22 NAYS: 18 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Ortiz, Parish, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Tarr, Tuck, Westlake, Wool

Nays: Birch, Chenault, Eastman, Johnson, Johnston, Knopp, Kopp, Millett, Neuman, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Thompson, Tilton, Wilson

And so, lacking the required 27 votes, the effective date clause was not adopted, and the new title follows:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 26(FIN)(efd fld H)

"An Act relating to an appropriation limit; relating to the budget responsibilities of the governor; relating to the Alaska permanent fund, the earnings of the Alaska permanent fund, and the earnings reserve account; relating to the mental health trust fund; relating to deposits into the dividend fund; and relating to the calculation and payment of permanent fund dividends."

HCS CSSB 26(FIN)(efd fld H) was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the House would revert to:

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

A message dated April 12 was read stating that the Senate declined the invitation to meet in joint session at 11:00 a.m., April 13 to consider the Governor's appointments.

The House advanced to:

LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS

Representative Tuck 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 - Laile Fairbairn

By Representatives Claman, Gara, Edgmon, Birch, Chenault, Drummond, Eastman, Fansler, Foster, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

Honoring - East High School T-Birds, 2016 4A Football State Champions

By Representatives Pruitt, Spohnholz, Edgmon, Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

Honoring - Traditional First Chief Fred Ewan on the Occasion of His 100th Birthday

By Senator Bishop; Representatives Edgmon, Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

Honoring - Alaska Legal Services Corporation, 50th Anniversary

By Senators Gardner, Costello; Representatives Edgmon, Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

Honoring - East Anchorage High School Boys Varsity Basketball Team

By Senator Wielechowski; Representatives Spohnholz, Edgmon, Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito,

Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

Honoring - Mountain Village Community Health Aides

By Senator Olson; Representatives Foster, Edgmon, Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Fansler, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

In Memoriam - Randi Binion-Olson

By Senator Gardner; Representatives Edgmon, Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Representative Tuck moved that the House ratify the appointment of Joyce M. Anderson to the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics.

The question being: "Shall the House ratify the appointment of Joyce M. Anderson to the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics?" The roll was taken with the following result:

Select Committee on Legislative Ethics

Ratify - Joyce M. Anderson

YEAS: 40 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

And so, the appointment was ratified.

Representative Tuck moved that the House ratify the appointment of Deborah Fancher to the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics.

The question being: "Shall the House ratify the appointment of Deborah Fancher to the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics?" The roll was taken with the following result:

Select Committee on Legislative Ethics
Ratify - Deborah Fancher

YEAS: 40 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

And so, the appointment was ratified.

Representative Tuck moved that the House ratify the appointment of Lee F. Holmes, alternate, to the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics.

The question being: "Shall the House ratify the appointment of Lee F. Holmes, alternate, to the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics?" The roll was taken with the following result:

Select Committee on Legislative Ethics
Ratify - Lee F. Holmes, alternate

YEAS: 40 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

And so, the appointment was ratified.

The Senate ratified the appointments (page 1054).

The Chief Clerk notified the Senate.

Representative Tuck 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 Chenault – from noon, April 14 to 8:00 a.m., April 17

Representative Johnston – from 6:30 p.m., April 14 to 10:00 a.m., April 17; and from noon, April 19 to 9:30 p.m., April 20

SENSE OF THE HOUSE

Representative Eastman moved and asked unanimous consent that the Sense of the House (page 1047) be taken up from the table.

There was objection.

Representative Tarr placed a call of the House.

The call was satisfied.

The question being: "Shall the Sense of the House be taken up from the table?" The roll was taken with the following result:

Sense of the House

Take up from the Table

YEAS: 15 NAYS: 25 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Birch, Chenault, Eastman, Johnson, Millett, Neuman, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Thompson, Tilton, Wilson

Nays: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Ortiz, Parish, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Tarr, Tuck, Westlake, Wool

And so, the motion failed.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the notice and publication requirements be waived and the citation Honoring - Jeff Jessee, be taken up as a Special Order of Business. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the House approve the citation. There being no objection, the following citation was approved and sent to enrolling:

Honoring - Jeff Jessee

By Senator Kelly; Representatives Edgmon, Birch, Chenault, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Fansler, Foster, Gara, Grenn, Guttenberg, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Kawasaki, Kito, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Millett, Neuman, Ortiz, Parish, Pruitt, Rauscher, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Spohnholz, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Westlake, Wilson, Wool

UNFINISHED BUSINESS**HB 206**

Representative Wilson added as a cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 206

"An Act relating to an exemption for low-voltage projects from contractor requirements; and relating to an exemption from electrical administrator requirements."

SB 6

Representative Kawasaki added as first cross sponsor to:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 6(JUD)

"An Act relating to the regulation and production of industrial hemp; relating to industrial hemp pilot programs; providing that industrial hemp is not included in the definition of 'marijuana'; and clarifying that adding industrial hemp to food does not create an adulterated food product."

The cross sponsors are Representatives Kawasaki and Kito.

SB 9

Representatives Tarr, Grenn, and Josephson added as cross sponsors to:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 9(FIN)

"An Act relating to military facility zones; and providing for an effective date."

SB 63

Representatives Guttenberg and Kito added as cross sponsors to:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 63(FIN)

"An Act prohibiting smoking in certain places; relating to education on the smoking prohibition; and providing for an effective date."

HB 141

The following, which passed the House and was engrossed April 9 (page 994), was signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk and transmitted to the Senate for consideration:

HOUSE BILL NO. 141

"An Act relating to allocations of funding for the Alaska Workforce Investment Board; and providing for an effective date."

ENGROSSMENT

SB 26

HCS CSSB 26(FIN)(efd fld H) was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

House committee schedules are published under separate cover.

The following meetings today were changed:

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Finance Committee

CHANGED TO: 30 min. after adjournment

House Special Committee on Fisheries

CHANGED TO: 6:00 p.m.

Judiciary Committee

CHANGED TO: 15 min. after adjournment

Resources Committee

CHANGED TO: 15 min. after adjournment

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:30 a.m., April 13. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 1:57 p.m.

Crystaline Jones
Chief Clerk