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Friday

October 27, 2017

Fifth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Edgmon at 10:35 a.m.

Roll call showed 34 members present. Representative Knopp had been excused from a call of the House today. Representative Gara was absent and his presence was noted later. Representative Wilson was absent.

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 Birch – from today to 10:00 a.m., October 30

Representative Johnston – from today to 10:00 a.m., October 30

Representative Wool – today

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, Representative Johnson. Representative Westlake moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

With the deepest respect for all religions, I offer the following prayer.

Dear God, we stand together in your presence today, reminded that we are but your instruments on this earth. Guide us in the prosecution of our duties, grant us the foresight and wisdom to complete our appointed endeavors, and above all, imbue us with your grace so that we may be reflective in thought, uplifting in spirit, and patient in word and deed.

We also ask that you bless the community that is this Chamber as it addresses the issues that will affect your people that call Alaska home.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Talerico.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the first, second, third, and fourth legislative days of the fourth special session be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

COMMUNICATIONS

The following was received:

Alaska Energy Authority
Certification of Capital Reserve Fund Requirement
Bradley Lake Hydroelectric Project Bond Issues
October 26, 2017
(as required by AS 44.83.110)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

SB 54

The Judiciary Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 54(FIN)

"An Act relating to crime and criminal law; relating to violation of condition of release; relating to sex trafficking; relating to sentencing; relating to imprisonment; relating to parole; relating to

probation; relating to driving without a license; relating to the pretrial services program; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 54(JUD)

"An Act relating to crime and criminal law; relating to violation of condition of release; relating to sex trafficking; classifying U-47700 as a schedule IA controlled substance; classifying tramadol and related substances as schedule IVA controlled substances; relating to sentencing; relating to imprisonment; relating to parole; relating to probation; relating to driving without a license; relating to the pretrial services program; and providing for an effective date."

(pending title change resolution)

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

Do pass (1): Kopp

Do not pass (1): Eastman

Amend (5): Kreiss-Tomkins, Fansler, LeDoux, Reinbold, Claman

The following fiscal note(s) apply to HCS CSSB 54(JUD):

Fiscal note(s) forthcoming.

CSSB 54(FIN) was referred to the Finance Committee.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

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 7:00 a.m., October 30 to 9:30 p.m., November 6

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Representative Tuck – from 8:00 a.m., October 28 to 10:00 p.m., October 30

Representative Westlake – from 8:00 a.m., October 30 to 10:00 a.m., November 2

**The presence of Representative Gara was noted.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rule 23(d) of the Uniform Rules is in effect.

House committee schedules are published under separate cover.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 11:00 a.m., October 30. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 11:25 a.m.

Crystalline Jones
Chief Clerk