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One Hundred Fourteenth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Stutes at 10:32 a.m.

Roll call showed 37 members present. Representatives Edgmon, Hopkins, and Kreiss-Tomkins were absent and their presence was noted later.

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, Representative Josephson. Representative Thompson 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 the religious beliefs of each person here, I invite you into a time of prayer and reflection. Today I would like to share a selection from Psalms 104 as a reminder of spring, overcast skies notwithstanding:

Let us pray.

Bless the Lord, O my soul. O Lord my God, thou art very great; thou art clothed with honor and majesty.

Who layeth the beams of his chambers in the waters: who maketh the clouds his chariot: who walketh upon the wings of the wind:

Thou coveredst it with the deep as with a garment: the waters stood above the mountains.

He sendeth the springs into the valleys, which run among the hills.

They give drink to every beast of the field: the wild asses quench their thirst.
By them shall the fowls of the heaven have their habitation, which sing among the branches.
He watereth the hills from his chambers: the earth is satisfied with the fruit of thy works.
He causeth the grass to grow for the cattle, and herb for the service of man: that he may bring forth food out of the earth;
And wine that maketh glad the heart of man, and oil to make his face to shine, and bread which strengtheneth man's heart.
The trees of the Lord are full of sap; the cedars of Lebanon, which he hath planted;
Where the birds make their nests: as for the stork, the fir trees are her house.
The high hills are a refuge for the wild goats; and the rocks for the conies.
Thou makest darkness, and it is night: wherein all the beasts of the forest do creep forth.
The young lions roar after their prey, and seek their meat from God.
The sun ariseth, they gather themselves together, and lay them down in their dens.
O Lord, how manifold are thy works! in wisdom hast thou made them all: the earth is full of thy riches.
The glory of the Lord shall endure forever: the Lord shall rejoice in his works. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Thompson.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 112th and 113th legislative days and Senate and House Joint Journal Supplement No. 4 be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**HJR 14**

A message dated May 10 was read stating the Senate passed:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

Supporting the passage by the United States Congress of the SAFE Banking Act of 2019, sec. 110606 of the Heroes Act, or similar legislation relating to cannabis-related legitimate businesses' access to financial services.

HJR 14 was referred to the Chief Clerk for enrollment.

HB 27

A message dated May 10 was read stating the Senate passed:

HOUSE BILL NO. 27

"An Act naming the irene Webber Bridge."

HB 27 was referred to the Chief Clerk for enrollment.

HB 115

A message dated May 10 was read stating the Senate passed HB 115 am with the following amendment, and it is transmitted for consideration:

SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 115(RES)

"An Act relating to aquatic farming and hatchery site leases; and requiring the director of the division of lands to provide the legislature with an annual report relating to aquatic farming and hatchery site leases."

SCS HB 115(RES) is under Unfinished Business.

A message dated May 10 was read stating the Senate passed the following, and they are transmitted for consideration:

**FIRST READING AND REFERENCE
OF SENATE BILLS****SB 27**

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 27(RES) by the Senate Resources Committee, entitled:

"An Act relating to industrial hemp; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Resources and Finance Committees.

SB 55

SENATE BILL NO. 55 by the Senate Rules Committee by request of the Governor, entitled:

"An Act relating to employer contributions to the Public Employees' Retirement System of Alaska; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Labor & Commerce and Finance Committees.

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

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**HB 102**

The Finance Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 102

"An Act relating to the state insurance catastrophe reserve account; and providing for an effective date."

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

Do pass (8): Ortiz, Edgmon, LeBon, Carpenter, Thompson, Johnson, Wool, Merrick

No recommendation (3): Josephson, Rasmussen, Foster

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

1. Fiscal, Dept. of Administration

HB 102 was referred to the Rules Committee.

**The presence of Representative Edgmon was noted.

INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

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

Honoring - Ed Page

By Representatives Story, Hannan; Senator Kiehl

Honoring - Kelly Shrein, Alaska's 2021 Teacher of the Year

By Representative Rasmussen; Senator Costello

Honoring - Kelly Lessens and Patrick Higgins

By Representatives Schrage, Drummond; Senator Gray-Jackson

Honoring - Community & State Providers of the Juneau School District Food Service Program

By Representatives Story, Hannan; Senator Kiehl

Honoring - Lydia Jacoby

By Senators Micciche, Costello; Representative Carpenter

Honoring - Ted Spraker

By Senator Micciche

Honoring - National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association

By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

In Memoriam - Braeden Fulton

By Representatives Kaufman, Schrage

In Memoriam - Ryan Michael Carey

By Senator Micciche

In Memoriam - James Elliot Fisher

By Senator Micciche

In Memoriam - Dr. Peter Hansen

By Senator Micciche

In Memoriam - Jack E. Brown
By Senator Micciche; Representative Carpenter

In Memoriam - Howard Michael Hunt
By Senator Wielechowski; Representative Spohnholz

In Memoriam - Raymond H. Preston, Sr.
By Senator Wielechowski

In Memoriam - Fred Sturman
By Senator Micciche; Representative Gillham

In Memoriam - Greg Bell
By Senator Micciche; Representative Carpenter

In Memoriam - Stephen Elwood Tauriainen
By Senator Wielechowski

In Memoriam - Birgitta Ingrid Kytte
By Senators Wielechowski, Gray-Jackson

In Memoriam - Angelko Nikolic
By Senator Wielechowski; Representative Spohnholz

In Memoriam - John T. Johnson
By Senator Shower; Representative Eastman

**INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE
OF HOUSE BILLS**

HB 208

HOUSE BILL NO. 208 by Representatives Tuck and Kreiss-Tomkins,
entitled:

"An Act relating to certain rail properties conveyed to the state
under the Alaska Railroad Transfer Act."

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

HB 209

HOUSE BILL NO. 209 by Representative Cronk, entitled:

"An Act relating to emergency firefighters."

was read the first time and referred to the Resources and Finance Committees.

HB 210

HOUSE BILL NO. 210 by Representative Rauscher, entitled:

"An Act relating to the costs of naming bridges and overpasses; and creating a fund to be used for naming bridges and overpasses."

was read the first time and referred to the Transportation and Finance Committees.

CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 53

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 53

"An Act relating to residency requirements for public school enrollment for certain children of active duty military and National Guard members."

with the:

Journal Page

MLV RPT CS(MLV) 6DP	300
FN1: ZERO(EED)	300
EDC RPT CS(MLV) 4DP 1NR	857
FN1: ZERO(EED)	857

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

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 53(MLV)
(same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Amendment No. 1 was offered by Representatives Thompson and McCarty:

Page 1, line 2, following "**members**" (title amendment):
Insert "**; and providing for an effective date**"

Page 2, following line 4:

Insert a new bill section to read:

"* **Sec. 2.** This Act takes effect immediately under AS 01.10.070(c)."

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 1 be adopted.

Representative Eastman objected and withdrew the objection. There being no further objection Amendment No. 1 was adopted and the new title follows:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 53(MLV)(efd add)

"An Act relating to residency requirements for public school enrollment for certain children of active duty military and National Guard members; and providing for an effective date."

Amendment No. 2 was offered by Representative Eastman:

Page 1, line 10, following "state."
Delete "The"
Insert "A"

Page 2, line 1, following "ship,"
Insert "armory,"

Representative Eastman moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 2 be adopted.

Representative Hannan objected.

**The presence of Representative Hopkins was noted.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 2 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHB 53(MLV)(efd add)

Second Reading

Amendment No. 2

YEAS: 39 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McCarty, McKay, Merrick, Nelson, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Shaw, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Absent: Johnson

And so, Amendment No. 2 was adopted.

Amendment No. 3 was offered by Representative Eastman:

Page 1, line 11, following "residence":

Insert "in the state"

Page 1, line 12, following "in the school district.":

Insert "Nothing in this section may be construed to grant a right for a student to be eligible to simultaneously apply to be registered at and attend a school subject to lottery after having applied to a lottery in another school district."

Representative Eastman moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 3 be adopted.

Representative McCarty objected.

Representative Eastman moved and asked unanimous consent to divide the question. There being no objection, Amendment No. 3 was divided.

Amendment No. 3.A:

Page 1, line 11, following "residence"
Insert "in the state"

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 3.A be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHB 53(MLV) am(efd add)

Second Reading

Amendment No. 3.A - Page 1, line 11

YEAS: 23 NAYS: 15 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 2

Yeas: Carpenter, Drummond, Eastman, Gillham, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Nelson, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Schrage, Shaw, Spohnholz, Thompson, Tilton, Vance, Wool

Nays: Claman, Cronk, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Kreiss-Tomkins, McCarty, Ortiz, Rauscher, Snyder, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Zulkosky

Absent: Hopkins, Tuck

And so, Amendment No. 3.A was adopted.

Amendment No. 3.B:

Page 1, line 12, following "in the school district.":

Insert "Nothing in this section may be construed to grant a right for a student to be eligible to simultaneously apply to be registered at and attend a school subject to lottery after having applied to a lottery in another school district."

Representative Eastman moved and asked unanimous consent to withdraw Amendment No. 3.B. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that CSHB 53(MLV) am(efd add) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSHB 53(MLV) am(efd add) was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall CSHB 53(MLV) am(efd add) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHB 53(MLV) am(efd add)

Third Reading

Final Passage

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

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McCarty, McKay, Merrick, Nelson, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Shaw, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

And so, CSHB 53(MLV) am(efd add) 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.

CSHB 53(MLV) am(efd add) was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

HB 105

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 105

"An Act relating to the duties of the commissioner of corrections; relating to the detention of minors; relating to minors subject to adult courts; relating to the placement of minors in adult correctional facilities; and providing for an effective date."

with the:

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JUD RPT CS(JUD) 4DP 3NR

320

FN1: ZERO(COR)

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FN2: ZERO(DHS)

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FN3: ZERO(DPS)	320
FN4: ZERO(AJS)	320
HSS RPT CS(HSS) NEW TITLE 4DP 3NR	940
FN1: ZERO(COR)	940
FN2: ZERO(DHS)	940
FN3: ZERO(DPS)	940
FN4: ZERO(AJS)	940

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

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 105(HSS)

"An Act relating to care of juveniles and to juvenile justice; relating to employment of juvenile probation officers by the Department of Health and Social Services; relating to the right to representation by the Public Defender Agency; relating to the duties of the commissioner of corrections; relating to the detention of minors; relating to minors subject to adult courts; relating to the placement of minors in adult correctional facilities; relating to terms used in juvenile justice; relating to mandatory reporters of child abuse or neglect; relating to sexual assault in the third degree; relating to sexual assault in the fourth degree; repealing a requirement for administrative revocation of a minor's driver's license, permit, privilege to drive, or privilege to obtain a license for consumption or possession of alcohol or drugs; and providing for an effective date."

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that CSHB 105(HSS) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage.

There was objection.

CSHB 105(HSS) will advance to third reading on tomorrow's calendar.

HB 117

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 117

"An Act extending the termination date of the Board of Certified Direct-Entry Midwives; and providing for an effective date."

with the:	Journal Page
L&C RPT 5DP 1NR	486
FN1: (CED)	486
FIN RPT 8DP 1NR	587
FN1: (CED)	587

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that HB 117 be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HB 117 was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall HB 117 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HB 117

Third Reading

Final Passage

YEAS: 39 NAYS: 1 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McCarty, McKay, Merrick, Nelson, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Shaw, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Eastman

And so, HB 117 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:

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HB 117

Third Reading

Effective Date

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

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McCarty, McKay, Merrick, Nelson, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Shaw, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

And so, the effective date clause was adopted.

HB 117 was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

HB 184

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 184

"An Act requiring state participation in a tribal child welfare compact."

with the:

Journal Page

HSS RPT 4DP 2NR 1AM

737

FN1: ZERO(DHS)

737

TRB RPT 4DP

869

FN1: ZERO(DHS)

869

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that HB 184 be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage.

There was objection.

HB 184 will advance to third reading on tomorrow's calendar.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS**HJR 19**

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19

Supporting widespread infrastructure investment in the state.

with the:	Journal Page
L&C RPT CS(L&C) 6DP	894
FN1: ZERO(H.L&C)	894

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

CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19(L&C)
(same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Amendment No. 1 was offered by Representative Merrick:

Page 2, line 1:
Delete "separate"

Representative Merrick moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 1 be adopted.

There was objection.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 1 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHJR 19(L&C)
Second Reading
Amendment No. 1

YEAS: 39 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 1

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Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McCarty, McKay, Merrick, Nelson, Ortiz, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Shaw, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Absent: Patkotak

And so, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Amendment No. 2 was offered by Representative McCarty:

Page 1, line 12:

Delete "low earth orbit"

Representative McCarty moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 2 be adopted.

There was objection.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 2 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHJR 19(L&C) am
Second Reading
Amendment No. 2

YEAS: 39 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McCarty, McKay, Merrick, Nelson, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Shaw, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool

Absent: Zulkosky

And so, Amendment No. 2 was adopted.

Amendment No. 3 was offered by Representative Eastman:

Page 2, line 18:

Delete "Port of Alaska"

Insert "Port of Anchorage"

Page 2, line 20:

Delete "Port of Alaska"

Insert "Port of Anchorage"

Representative Eastman moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 3 be adopted.

Representative Spohnholz objected.

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the House would recess until 1:15 p.m.; and so, the House recessed at 11:55 a.m.

AFTER RECESS

The Speaker called the House back to order at 1:18 p.m.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

HJR 19

The following was before the house with Amendment No. 3 moved and pending:

CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19(L&C) am
Supporting widespread infrastructure investment in the state.

Amendment No. 1 to Amendment No. 3 was offered by Representative Rauscher:

Following second occurrence of "Port":

Delete "of"

Insert "in"

Representative Rauscher moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 1 to Amendment No. 3 be adopted.

Representative Edgmon objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 1 to Amendment No. 3 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHJR 19(L&C) am

Second Reading

Amendment No. 1 to Amendment No. 3

YEAS: 25 NAYS: 11 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 4

Yeas: Claman, Eastman, Fields, Gillham, Hopkins, Johnson, Kurka, LeBon, McCarty, McKay, Merrick, Nelson, Ortiz, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Thompson, Tilton, Vance, Wool

Nays: Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Hannan, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Snyder, Tarr, Tuck, Zulkosky

Absent: Carpenter, Cronk, McCabe, Patkotak

And so, Amendment No. 1 to Amendment No. 3 was adopted.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 3 as amended be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHJR 19(L&C) am

Second Reading

Amendment No. 3 as amended

YEAS: 15 NAYS: 21 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 4

Yeas: Eastman, Gillham, Hopkins, Johnson, Kurka, LeBon, McCarty, Nelson, Prax, Rauscher, Shaw, Thompson, Tilton, Vance, Wool

Nays: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Rasmussen, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Tuck, Zulkosky

Absent: Carpenter, Cronk, McCabe, Patkotak

And so, Amendment No. 3 as amended was not adopted.

Amendment No. 4 was offered by Representative Eastman:

Page 2, line 18:

Insert "**WHEREAS** Port Mackenzie is the only port in Alaska that can boast 9,033 acres, 14 square miles dedicated to commercial and industrial development; and"

Representative Eastman moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 4 be adopted.

Representative Fields objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 4 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHJR 19(L&C) am
Second Reading
Amendment No. 4

YEAS: 16 NAYS: 23 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Carpenter, Cronk, Eastman, Gillham, Johnson, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McCarty, Nelson, Prax, Rauscher, Shaw, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck

Nays: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Rasmussen, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Absent: Patkotak

And so, Amendment No. 4 was not adopted.

Amendment No. 5 was offered by Representative Eastman:

Page 2, lines 18-21:

Delete all material.

Representative Eastman moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 5 be adopted.

Representative Fields objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 5 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHJR 19(L&C) am
Second Reading
Amendment No. 5

YEAS: 12 NAYS: 28 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Cronk, Eastman, Gillham, Johnson, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Prax, Rauscher, Thompson, Tilton

Nays: Carpenter, Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, McCarty, Merrick, Nelson, Ortiz, Patkotak, Rasmussen, Schrage, Shaw, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

And so, Amendment No. 5 was not adopted.

Amendment No. 6 was offered by Representative Kaufman:

Page 2, line 22:

Insert "**WHEREAS** other ports in Alaska need significant investment to improve, expand, and thereby provide increased resilience to the state; and"

Renumber accordingly.

Representative Kaufman moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 6 be adopted. There being no objection, Amendment No. 6 was adopted.

Amendment No. 7 was offered by Representative Kaufman:

Page 2, line 18, following "Alaska"

Insert "in Anchorage"

Page 2, line 20, following "Alaska"

Insert "in Anchorage"

Representative Kaufman moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 7 be adopted.

Objection was heard and withdrawn. There being no further objection Amendment No. 7 was adopted.

Amendment No. 8 was offered by Representatives Thompson and Cronk:

Page 1, line 1, following "state" (title amendment):

Insert "; and requesting that the Alaska Energy Authority develop a 10-year infrastructure plan to reduce power costs in areas of the state that endure high electric and heating costs"

Page 3, line 5, following "state":

Insert "; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Alaska State Legislature requests that the Alaska Energy Authority, in coordination with utilities throughout the state, develop a 10-year infrastructure plan to reduce power costs in areas of the state that endure extremely high electric and heating costs"

Page 3, line 11:

Delete "and"

Page 3, line 13, following "Congress":

Insert "; and Curtis Thayer, Executive Director, Alaska Energy Authority"

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 8 be adopted.

Representative Schrage objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 8 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHJR 19(L&C) am
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Amendment No. 8

YEAS: 19 NAYS: 21 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0

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Yeas: Cronk, Eastman, Gillham, Johnson, Kaufman, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McCarty, McKay, Nelson, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Shaw, Thompson, Tilton, Vance, Wool

Nays: Carpenter, Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Josephson, Kreiss-Tomkins, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Tuck, Zulkosky

And so, Amendment No. 8 was not adopted.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that CSHJR 19(L&C) am be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSHJR 19(L&C) am was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall CSHJR 19(L&C) am pass the House?"
The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHJR 19(L&C) am
Third Reading
Final Passage

YEAS: 30 NAYS: 9 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Josephson, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, McCarty, McKay, Merrick, Nelson, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Schrage, Shaw, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Carpenter, Cronk, Eastman, Gillham, Kaufman, Kurka, McCabe, Rauscher, Tilton

Absent: Johnson

And so, CSHJR 19(L&C) am passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS

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

Honoring - Wilma Adams
By Representative Edgmon

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 Rasmussen – from 8:00 a.m., June 15 to 10:00 p.m., June 18

Representative Hannan – from 5:30 a.m., June 17 to noon, June 30

Representative Claman moved and asked unanimous consent that Uniform Rule 23(a) be waived in order for the Judiciary Committee to meet at 8:00 a.m., May 15.

There was objection.

The question being: "Shall the House waive Uniform Rule 23(a)?"
The roll was taken with the following result:

Waive Uniform Rule 23(a)
Judiciary Committee meet at 8:00 am, May 15

YEAS: 23 NAYS: 16 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Josephson, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, Merrick, Patkotak, Rasmussen, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tuck, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Carpenter, Cronk, Eastman, Gillham, Johnson, Kaufman, Kurka, McCabe, McCarty, McKay, Nelson, Prax, Rauscher, Shaw, Tilton, Vance

Absent: Ortiz

And so, lacking the required 27 votes, Uniform Rule 23(a) was not waived.

HB 149

The Speaker removed the State Affairs Committee referral and added a Finance Committee referral for the following:

HOUSE BILL NO. 149

"An Act relating to allowing certain child day care providers to organize for the purpose of collective bargaining."

HB 149 was referred to the Finance Committee.

SB 21

The Speaker removed the Finance Committee referral for the following:

SENATE BILL NO. 21

"An Act relating to mobile intensive care paramedics; relating to duties of the State Medical Board and the Department of Health and Social Services; and providing for an effective date."

SB 21 was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 27

The Speaker removed the Resources Committee referral for the following:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 27(RES)

"An Act relating to industrial hemp; and providing for an effective date."

CSSB 27(RES) was referred to the Finance Committee.

HJR 16

Representative McCarty added as a cosponsor to:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16

Encouraging the United States Congress to pass legislation

granting the Hmong veterans of the Vietnam War access to the same veteran benefits received by United States veterans.

HB 53

Representatives Tarr, Spohnholz, and Josephson added as cosponsors to:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 53(MLV) am(efd add)

"An Act relating to residency requirements for public school enrollment for certain children of active duty military and National Guard members; and providing for an effective date."

HB 158

Representative Foster added as a cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 158

"An Act relating to contributions from permanent fund dividends to the general fund."

HB 184

Representative Josephson added as a cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 184

"An Act requiring state participation in a tribal child welfare compact."

HB 200

Representative Shaw added as a cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 200

"An Act relating to special request specialty organization registration plates."

HB 201

Representative Shaw added as a cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 201

"An Act relating to special registration plates commemorating police officers killed in the line of duty."

HB 204

Representatives McCarty, Schrage, and Shaw added as cosponsors to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 204

"An Act relating to the presumption of compensability for a disability resulting from certain cancers in firefighters."

SB 21

Representative McCarty added as a cross sponsor to:

SENATE BILL NO. 21

"An Act relating to mobile intensive care paramedics; relating to duties of the State Medical Board and the Department of Health and Social Services; and providing for an effective date."

ENGROSSMENT

HJR 19

CSHJR 19(L&C) am was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

HB 53

CSHB 53(MLV) am(efd add) was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

HB 117

HB 117 was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

ENROLLMENT

HJR 12

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 9:37 a.m., May 12:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 12(RES) am S

Urging the United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, to honor the recent lease sales and proceed

with permitting in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge; urging the President of the United States to defend the 2020 Record of Decision approving the Coastal Plain Oil and Gas Leasing Program in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge; opposing designation of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge as a National Monument; urging the Alaska delegation in Congress to work to repeal sec. 20001(b)(5) of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 to honor the Alaska Statehood Act with respect to the state's share of bonuses, royalties, and rentals from exploration and development in the coastal plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge; and requesting that the Alaska delegation in Congress defeat any effort to alter or repeal other provisions of sec. 20001 of the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 if the result would adversely affect oil and gas development efforts in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge.

Legislative Resolve No. 2

The following memorandum dated May 11 was received from Lora Brown, Enrolling Secretary, Division of Legal and Research Services:

"In accordance with Rule 43, Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, I am reporting the following manifest errors in SCS CSHJR 12(RES) am S, which have been corrected in enrolling:

Page 3, line 30, following "coastal plain":

Insert "of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge"

Page 4, line 1, following "coastal plain":

Insert "of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge"

Page 4, line 8, following "coastal plain":

Insert "of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge"

Page 4, line 11, following "coastal plain":

Insert "of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge"

Page 5, line 28:

Delete "of Alaska"

Page 7, lines 7 - 8:

Delete "of Alaska"

Page 7, line 18:

Delete "the"

Insert "Nada Wolff Culver,""

ANNOUNCEMENTS

House committee schedules are published under separate cover.

The following meetings today were changed:

Finance Committee

CHANGED TO: 10 min. after adjournment

Judiciary Committee

CHANGED TO: 15 min. after adjournment

Resources Committee

CHANGED TO: 5 min. after adjournment

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:30 a.m., May 13. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 2:36 p.m.

Crystaline Jones
Chief Clerk