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**SECOND SESSION**

**Juneau, Alaska**

**Wednesday**

**May 11, 2022**

**One Hundred Fourteenth Day**

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Stutes at 10:34 a.m.

Roll call showed 36 members present. Representatives Carpenter, Kurka, Patkotak, and Tarr were absent and their presence was noted later.

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, Student Rabbi Max Antman of Congregation Sukkat Shalom. Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Good morning. With respect to the diverse religious beliefs of all Alaskans, I offer the following prayer:

Yehudah Amichai, a famous Israeli poet once wrote:

*A [person] needs to love and to hate at the same moment,  
to laugh and cry with the same eyes,  
with the same hands to throw stones and to gather them...*

In a fragmented society, it is easy to fall into patterns of polarity, in which political conflict becomes not only the product of theological divide, but the theology itself. Amichai teaches that we do not have such a luxury. As human beings, we are called to both agitate and collaborate, centering the stories of those who lie between and beyond our conflicts to create meaningful and lasting change in our world.

In the days to come, let us remember that love and hate are not mutually exclusive, and that the fastest way towards progress is by joining hands and marching together.

In the Jewish tradition we say, Ken Yehi Ratzon, Let it Be So.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative McCarty.

### **CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL**

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 113th legislative day be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

### **MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

#### **HB 281**

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

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 281(FIN) am(brf sup maj fld)(efd fld)

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; amending appropriations; and making capital appropriations, supplemental appropriations, and reappropriations."

with the following amendment and it is transmitted for consideration:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 281(FIN) am S

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; amending appropriations; making capital appropriations, supplemental appropriations, and reappropriations; and providing for an effective date."

(technical title change)

The message further stated that under Uniform Rule 43(b) engrossment had been waived and certified amendments were attached (Senate Journal page 2670).

CSHB 281(FIN) am(brf sup maj fld)(efd fld) is under Unfinished Business.

**HB 282**

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

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 282(FIN)

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and capital expenses of the state's integrated comprehensive mental health program; and providing for an effective date."

with the following amendment and it is transmitted for consideration:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 282(FIN) am S  
(same title)

CSHB 282(FIN) is under Unfinished Business.

\*\*The presence of Representative Carpenter was noted.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**

**HB 120**

The Resources Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 120

"An Act relating to state land; relating to the authority of the Department of Education and Early Development to dispose of state land; relating to the authority of the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities to dispose of state land; relating to the authority of the Department of Natural Resources over certain state land; relating to the state land disposal income fund; relating to the leasing and sale of state land for commercial development; repealing establishment of recreation rivers and recreation river corridors; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 120(RES)

"An Act relating to access roads; relating to state land; relating to contracts for the sale of state land; relating to the authority of the Department of Education and Early Development to dispose of state land; relating to a program of state inspection for certain

meat processing facilities; relating to the authority of the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities to dispose of state land; relating to the authority of the Department of Natural Resources over certain state land; relating to the state land disposal income fund; relating to the leasing and sale of state land; relating to covenants and restrictions on agricultural land; relating to the Alaska Native Vietnam veteran land exchange; establishing temporary grant programs for certain meat processing facilities and for farm development and improvement; and providing for an effective date."

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

Do pass (1): Rauscher

Do not pass (2): Fields, Hannan

No recommendation (5): McKay, Cronk, Hopkins, Gillham, Patkotak

Amend (1): Schrage

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 120(RES):

4. Zero, Dept. of Education & Early Development
5. Fiscal, Dept. of Natural Resources
6. Fiscal, Dept. of Revenue

HB 120 was referred to the Finance Committee.

\*\*The presence of Representative Kurka was noted.

## **HB 170**

The Finance Committee considered:

### **HOUSE BILL NO. 170**

"An Act establishing the Alaska energy independence program and the Alaska energy independence fund in the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

## CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 170(FIN)

"An Act relating to exempt employees; relating to the powers of the Alaska Energy Authority; relating to the membership of the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority; relating to the duties of the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority; establishing the Alaska clean energy program and the Alaska clean energy fund in the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority; and providing for an effective date."

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

Do pass (1): Rasmussen

Do not pass (2): Edgmon, Carpenter

No recommendation (4): Ortiz, LeBon, Wool, Merrick

Amend (3): Thompson, Josephson, Foster

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 170(FIN):

6. Fiscal, Dept. of Commerce, Community, & Economic Development
7. Fiscal, Dept. of Commerce, Community, & Economic Development
8. Fiscal, House Finance Committee/Fund Capitalization

HB 170 was referred to the Rules Committee.

**HB 301**

The Labor & Commerce Committee considered:

## HOUSE BILL NO. 301

"An Act relating to the establishment of a renewable portfolio standard for regulated electric utilities; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

**CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 301(L&C)**

"An Act relating to the establishment of a clean energy standard for regulated electric utilities; relating to the Alaska Energy Authority, clean energy, and clean energy projects; and providing for an effective date."

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

Do pass (4): Schrage, Snyder, Fields, Spohnholz

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 301(L&C):

2. Fiscal, House Labor & Commerce Committee/Dept. of Commerce, Community, & Economic Development

HB 301 was referred to the Finance Committee.

**SB 34**

The Education Committee considered:

**CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 34(JUD)**

"An Act relating to a demonstration state-tribal education compact; relating to demonstration state-tribal education compact schools; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 34(TRB)  
(same title)

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

Do pass (6): Cronk, Prax, Zulkosky, Hopkins, Story, Drummond

No recommendation (1): Gillham

The following fiscal note(s) apply to HCS CSSB 34(TRB):

1. Zero, Dept. of Education & Early Development

CSSB 34(JUD) was referred to the Rules Committee.

**SB 177**

The Resources Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 177(RES)

"An Act relating to nuclear facility siting permits; and relating to microreactors."

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

Do pass (5): McKay, Cronk, Rauscher, Gillham, Schrage

Do not pass (1): Hannan

No recommendation (2): Fields, Hopkins

Amend (1): Patkotak

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

1. Zero, Dept. of Environmental Conservation

CSSB 177(RES) was referred to the Rules Committee.

**INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS**

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

Honoring - Center for Alaskan Coastal Studies, 40th Anniversary  
By Representative Vance

In Memoriam - Wilda Marston  
By Representatives Claman, Fields, Hannan

**CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR****SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS****HB 226**

The following was read the second time:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 226**

"An Act relating to the compensation of certain public officials, officers, and employees not covered by collective bargaining agreements; increasing the salaries of certain attorneys employed by the state; and providing for an effective date."

with the:	Journal Page
STA RPT CS(STA) NEW TITLE 4DP 3AM	2576
FN1: (GOV/VARIOUS DEPTS)	2576
FIN RPT CS(FIN) NEW TITLE 3DP 3NR	2831
FN2: (GOV/VARIOUS DEPTS)	2831

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. 226(FIN)**

"An Act relating to the compensation of certain employees of the executive branch, judicial branch, and University of Alaska; relating to the compensation of certain employees of the legislative branch; increasing the salaries of certain attorneys and administrative law judges employed by the state; and providing for an effective date."

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

\*\*The presence of Representatives Patkotak and Tarr was noted.

Amendment No. 1 was offered by Representatives Claman and Josephson:

Page 3, line 4:

Delete "Effective July 1, 2023, the"  
Insert "The"



Page 3, line 31:

Delete "Effective July 1, 2023, the"

Insert "The"

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

Representative McCabe objected.

Representative McCabe rose to a point of order regarding confining remarks to the amendment.

The Speaker ruled that the member was in order.

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

CSHB 226(FIN)

Second Reading

Amendment No. 1

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

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

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

And so, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Amendment No. 2 was offered by Representatives LeBon and Josephson:

Page 3, lines 5 - 6:

Delete "attorneys under AS 39.25.120(c)(3), attorneys"

Insert "positions within the Department of Law, the public defender agency, and the office of public advocacy that require admission to the practice of law in this state as a condition of employment, positions"

Page 3, line 7, following "Agency":

Insert "that require admission to the practice of law in this state as a condition of employment"

Representative LeBon 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:

CSHB 226(FIN) am  
Second Reading  
Amendment No. 2

**YEAS: 35 NAYS: 4 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 1**

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

Nays: Carpenter, Gillham, Johnson, McCabe

Absent: Cronk

And so, Amendment No. 2 was adopted.

Amendment No. 3 was offered by Representative McCabe:

Page 4, lines 9-14:

Delete all material.

Renumber following bill sections accordingly.

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

Representative Josephson objected.

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

CSHB 226(FIN) am  
Second Reading  
Amendment No. 3

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

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

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

And so, Amendment No. 3 was not adopted.

Amendment No. 4 was offered by Representative Eastman:

Page 3, following line 11:

Insert "(n) The employees of the University of Alaska who are not members of a collective bargaining unit are entitled to receive salary increases in accordance with the compensation policy of the Board of Regents of the University of Alaska."

Page 4, lines 9-14:

Delete all material.

Renumber the following sections accordingly.

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

Representative Josephson objected.

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

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CSHB 226(FIN) am  
Second Reading  
Amendment No. 4

**YEAS: 14 NAYS: 26 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0**

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

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

And so, Amendment No. 4 was not adopted.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that CSHB 226(FIN) am be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage.

There was objection.

CSHB 226(FIN) am will advance to third reading on tomorrow's calendar.

## **HB 357**

The following was read the second time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 357

"An Act naming the Bragaw Street overcrossing of the Glenn Highway the Insook Baik Bridge."

with the:

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FN1: (DOT)	2544
FIN RPT 6DP 2NR	2786
FN1: (DOT)	2786

Amendment No. 1 was offered by Representatives Gillham and Nelson:

Page 1, line 2, following **"Bridge"** (title amendment):

Insert **"; and naming the Congressman Don Young Bridge"**

Page 1, following line 7:

Insert a new bill section to read:

**\*\* Sec. 2.** AS 35.40 is amended by adding a new section to read:

**Sec. 35.40.405. Congressman Don Young Bridge.** Bridge number 1818 to be built across the Juneau Creek Canyon on the Sterling Highway is named the Congressman Don Young Bridge."

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

Representative Hopkins objected.

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

HB 357

Second Reading

Amendment No. 1

**YEAS: 36 NAYS: 2 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 2**

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Gillham, 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

Nays: Hannan, Hopkins

Absent: Foster, Patkotak

And so, Amendment No. 1 was adopted and the new title follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 357 am

"An Act naming the Bragaw Street overcrossing of the Glenn Highway the Insook Baik Bridge; and naming the Congressman Don Young Bridge."

Amendment No. 2 was offered by Representative Tarr:

Page 1, line 2, following "**Bridge**" (title amendment):

Insert **"; and relating to signage and informational displays for the bridges"**

Page 1, following line 7:

Insert a new bill section to read:

**\*\* Sec. 2.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section to read:

DONATIONS FOR INSOOK BAIK BRIDGE SIGNAGE AND INFORMATIONAL DISPLAYS. Notwithstanding the absence of separate accounting authority under AS 37.05.146, the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities may accept gifts, donations, and grants from a person or agency for the purpose of providing signage and informational displays for the Insook Baik Bridge. Gifts, donations, and grants shall be used in accordance with a memorandum of understanding agreed on by the donor and the department."

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

Representative Eastman objected and withdrew the objection. There being no further objection, Amendment No. 2 was adopted and the new title follows:

HOUSE BILL NO. 357 am

"An Act naming the Bragaw Street overcrossing of the Glenn Highway the Insook Baik Bridge; naming the Congressman Don Young Bridge; and relating to signage and informational displays for the bridges."

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that HB 357 am be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HB 357 am was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall HB 357 am pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HB 357 am  
Third Reading  
Final Passage

**YEAS: 38 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 2**

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, 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: Hannan, Patkotak

And so, HB 357 am passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

## **HB 416**

The following was read the second time:

### HOUSE BILL NO. 416

"An Act relating to the compensation of certain executive branch employees not covered by collective bargaining agreements; and providing for an effective date."

with the:

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FIN RPT 6DP 1DNP 4NR	2769
FN1: INDETERMINATE(GOV/VARIOUS DEPTS)	2769

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that HB 416 be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage.

There was objection.

HB 416 will advance to third reading on tomorrow's calendar.

**THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS****HB 349**

The following, which was advanced to third reading from the May 10 calendar (page 2843), was read the third time:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 349(RES)

"An Act relating to the establishment of oil and gas drilling units, spacing, and patterns."

The question being: "Shall CSHB 349(RES) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHB 349(RES)

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 349(RES) passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

**HB 358**

The following, which was advanced to third reading from the May 10 calendar (page 2843), was read the third time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 358

"An Act relating to the renewable energy grant fund and recommendation program; and providing for an effective date."

The question being: "Shall HB 358 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:



HB 358

Third Reading

Final Passage

**YEAS: 38 NAYS: 2 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 0**

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, 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, Kurka

And so, HB 358 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.

HB 358 was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

**HB 402**

The following, which was advanced to third reading from the May 10 calendar (page 2844), was read the third time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 402

"An Act relating to identification requirements for contractors and home inspectors."

The question being: "Shall HB 402 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HB 402

Third Reading

Final Passage

**YEAS: 38 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 2**

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Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, 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: Edgmon, Zulkosky

And so, HB 402 passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

### THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

#### SB 143

The following, which was advanced to third reading from the May 10 calendar (page 2845), was read the third time:

#### SENATE BILL NO. 143

"An Act relating to horizontal property regimes and common interest communities; and relating to mortgages, deeds of trust, and other property liens."

The question being: "Shall SB 143 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

SB 143

Third Reading

Final Passage

**YEAS: 37 NAYS: 2 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 1**

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, 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, Kurka

Absent: Kreiss-Tomkins

And so, SB 143 passed the House was signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and returned to the Senate.

**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:

Commemorating - Law Enforcement Memorial Day, May 13, 2022  
By Representative Stutes

Honoring - Rich Sivils  
By Representative Cronk; Senator Bishop

Honoring - Reverend Caroline Malseed  
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Story, Hannan

Honoring - Heather Lende  
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Qacung Stephen Blanchett, Kennedy Center Next 50 & 2022 US Artist Fellow  
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Sara Kinjo-Hischer, 2021 Tribal Administrator of the Year  
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Dr. Bridget Weiss, Superintendent of the Year  
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Mila Cosgrove  
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

In Memoriam - James Kowalsky  
By Senator Kawasaki; Representatives Wool, Hopkins

In Memoriam - Ann Wilson Swift  
By Senator Kawasaki; Representatives Thompson, LeBon

In Memoriam - Deborah Kathleen Smith  
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

In Memoriam - Lawrence Lee Oldaker  
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

In Memoriam - James P. "Pat" Wellington  
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

In Memoriam - Bill Hudson  
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Story, Hannan

### 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 Hannan – from:  
5:00 a.m., June 7 to 10:00 p.m., June 14  
8:00 a.m., June 19 to 8:30 a.m., June 25

Representative Kreiss-Tomkins – from 1:00 p.m., May 20 to 9:15 p.m., May 22

Representative McKay – from 8:00 a.m., June 9 to 8:00 a.m., June 20

### HB 206

Representative Kurka moved and asked unanimous consent that the following be discharged from the Judiciary Committee:

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 206

"An Act interpreting the right to privacy under art. I, sec. 22, Constitution of the State of Alaska; defining 'abortion,' 'birth,' 'child,' 'conception,' 'natural person,' and 'preborn child'; relating to civil actions and liability under the Act; relating to murder of a child; repealing abortion procedures; amending the definition of 'person' for crimes against a person; repealing murder of an unborn child and penalties and provisions related to that crime; relating to the powers of guardians; relating to powers of attorney for health care decisions; relating to regulation of abortion; relating to medical treatment for minors; relating to relocation of a child; relating to the office of public advocacy; repealing medical

assistance payment for abortions; relating to duties of the attorney general; relating to the limitation on the use of assets; and providing for an effective date."

There was objection.

Representative Carpenter placed a call of the House.

The call was satisfied.

The question being: "Shall HB 206 be discharged from the Judiciary Committee?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HB 206

Discharge Bill from Judiciary Committee

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

Yeas: Carpenter, Cronk, Eastman, Gillham, Johnson, Kaufman, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Shaw, Thompson, Tilton, Vance

Nays: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Josephson, Kreiss-Tomkins, McCarty, Nelson, Ortiz, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Tuck, Wool, Zulkosky

And so, the motion failed.

**HB 226**

Representatives Spohnholz and Schrage added as cosponsors to:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 226(FIN) am

"An Act relating to the compensation of certain employees of the executive branch, judicial branch, and University of Alaska; relating to the compensation of certain employees of the legislative branch; increasing the salaries of certain attorneys and administrative law judges employed by the state; and providing for an effective date."

**HB 357**

Representatives McCabe and Josephson added as cosponsors to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 357 am

"An Act naming the Bragaw Street overcrossing of the Glenn Highway the Insook Baik Bridge; naming the Congressman Don Young Bridge; and relating to signage and informational displays for the bridge."

**HB 358**

Representatives Patkotak, Cronk, Tarr, Josephson, and Snyder added as cosponsors to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 358

"An Act relating to the renewable energy grant fund and recommendation program; and providing for an effective date."

**ENGROSSMENT**

**HB 349**

CSHB 349(RES) was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

**HB 357**

HB 357 am was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

**HB 358**

HB 358 was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

**HB 402**

HB 402 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:

Judiciary Committee

CHANGED TO:

Call of the Chair

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Resources Committee

CANCELED

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the House would recess to 7:00 p.m.; and so, the House recessed at 12:42 p.m.

### **AFTER RECESS**

The Speaker called the House back to order at 6:35 p.m.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Representative Hannan, Acting Majority Leader, moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:00 a.m., May 12. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 6:35 p.m.

Crystalline Jones  
Chief Clerk