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**Certification**

As Secretary of the Senate, I certify as to the correctness of the journal for the first day of the First Special Session of the Thirty-third Legislature.

**Enrollment**

**SB 10**

SENATE BILL NO. 10 am H "An Act providing for trapping licenses for active members of the Alaska National Guard and military reserves without charge; making sport fishing, hunting, and trapping permanent identification cards available to certain disabled veterans without charge; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 11:00 a.m., May 22, 2023.

Memorandum from Division of Legal and Research Services, Legislative Affairs Agency, was received, reporting the following manifest error in SENATE BILL NO. 10 am H which has been corrected in enrolling:

Page 4, line 4:

Delete "their"

Insert "the person's"

**SB 25**

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 25(FIN) "An Act relating to inactive state accounts and funds; relating to the curriculum improvement and best practices fund; relating to the fuel emergency fund and fuel emergency grants; relating to the special Alaska Historical Commission receipts account; relating to the rural electrification revolving loan fund and loans from the fund; and relating to the Exxon Valdez oil spill unincorporated rural community grant fund and grants from the fund" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 12:00 p.m., June 7, 2023.

**SB 38**

SENATE BILL NO. 38 "An Act establishing the crime of interference with emergency communications" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 4:08 p.m., July 14, 2023.

**SB 55**

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 55(FIN) am H "An Act extending the termination date of the Board of Certified Direct-Entry Midwives; extending the termination date of the State Medical Board; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 12:00 p.m., June 7, 2023.

**SB 57**

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 57(FIN) am H "An Act relating to the sharing of confidential health information between the Department of Health and the Department of Family and Community Services; relating to home- and community-based services under the medical assistance program; relating to medical assistance for recipients of Medicaid waivers; establishing a host care home license and procedures; providing for the transition of individuals from foster care to host home care settings; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 10:55 a.m., July 14, 2023.

Memorandum from Division of Legal and Research Services, Legislative Affairs Agency, was received, reporting the following manifest errors in HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 57(FIN) am H which have been corrected in enrolling:

Page 1, line 8:

Delete "article 1 to"

Page 4, line 11:

Delete "shall"

Insert "must"

### **SB 58**

HOUSE CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 58(FIN) "An Act relating to Medicaid eligibility; expanding eligibility for postpartum mothers; conditioning the expansion of eligibility on approval by the United States Department of Health and Human Services; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 10:55 a.m., July 14, 2023.

### **SB 80**

SENATE BILL NO. 80 "An Act making corrective amendments to the Alaska Statutes as recommended by the revisor of statutes; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 2:45 p.m., June 8, 2023.

Memorandum from Division of Legal and Research Services, Legislative Affairs Agency, was received, reporting the following manifest error in SENATE BILL NO. 80 which has been corrected in enrolling:

Page 1, line 8:

Delete "added"

Insert "enacted"

**SB 81**

SENATE BILL NO. 81 am "An Act relating to the office of victims' rights; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 2:45 p.m., June 8, 2023.

Memorandum from Division of Legal and Research Services, Legislative Affairs Agency, was received, reporting the following manifest error in SENATE BILL NO. 81 am which has been corrected in enrolling:

Page 2, line 5, following "**house**":  
Insert "**of representatives**"

**SB 87**

SENATE BILL NO. 87 "An Act relating to a lumber grading training program and lumber grading certificates; relating to use of lumber graded and certified by a person holding a lumber grading training program certificate; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 9:40 a.m., August 29, 2023.

Memorandum from Division of Legal and Research Services, Legislative Affairs Agency, was received, reporting the following manifest error in SENATE BILL NO. 87 which has been corrected in enrolling:

Page 2, lines 30 - 31:  
Delete "holding the lumber grading certificate"

**SB 98**

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 98(FIN) "An Act requiring the Alaska Permanent Fund Corporation to manage the power cost equalization endowment fund; requiring the Alaska Permanent Fund Corporation to publish certain reports relating to the power cost equalization endowment fund; relating to the Alaska Permanent Fund Corporation's management and investment of the power cost equalization endowment fund; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 11:45 a.m., June 15, 2023.

**SB 119**

SENATE BILL NO. 119 "An Act relating to state identifications and driver's licenses for persons in the custody of the Department of Corrections; relating to state identifications issued by the Department of Corrections; relating to the duties of the commissioner of corrections; relating to misconduct involving confidential information; relating to voter identification; relating to identification for fishing permits; relating to identification for debtor financing statements; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 3:45 p.m., July 20, 2023.

Memorandum from Division of Legal and Research Services, Legislative Affairs Agency, was received, reporting the following manifest error in SENATE BILL NO. 119 which has been corrected in enrolling:

Page 5, line 31:

Delete "must"

Insert "shall"

**SB 123**

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 123(L&C) "An Act relating to commercial motor vehicle drivers' license requirements; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 9:30 a.m., July 21, 2023.

**SB 126**

SENATE BILL NO. 126 "An Act relating to the State Board of Registration for Architects, Engineers, and Land Surveyors; relating to architects, engineers, land surveyors, and landscape architects; and providing for an effective date" was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 2:01 p.m., June 21, 2023.

Memorandum from Division of Legal and Research Services, Legislative Affairs Agency, was received, reporting the following manifest error in SENATE BILL NO. 126, which has been corrected in enrolling:

Page 16, line 7, following "or":

Insert "a"

**SCR 2**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2 Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning House Bill No. 56, exempting controlled substances prescribed or dispensed by a veterinarian to treat an animal from the requirements of the controlled substance prescription database, was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 11:40 a.m., July 6, 2023.

Legislative Resolve No. 8

**SCR 6**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6 Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning House Bill No. 39, making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; repealing appropriations; amending appropriations; making reappropriations; and making supplemental appropriations, was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 11:40 a.m., July 6, 2023.

Legislative Resolve No. 10

**SCR 7**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7 Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning House Bill No. 51, relating to refrigerants designated as acceptable for use under federal law, was enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary, Speaker and Chief Clerk and the engrossed and enrolled copies transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 11:40 a.m., July 6, 2023.

Legislative Resolve No. 9

**Messages from the Governor****SB 48**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on May 23 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 48(FIN) "An Act relating to the powers and duties of the Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission; authorizing the Department of Natural Resources to lease land for carbon management purposes; establishing a carbon offset program for state land; authorizing the sale of carbon offset credits; authorizing the use of land and water within the Haines State Forest Resource Management Area for a carbon offset project; authorizing the undertaking of carbon offset projects on land in legislatively designated state forests; relating to oil and gas lease expenditures; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 2, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 5/24/23

**HB 128**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on May 24 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 128(TRA) "An Act relating to the operation of a tank vessel or oil barge as an oil terminal facility; relating to the definition of 'oil terminal facility'; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 3, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 5/25/23

**SB 10**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on May 24 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE BILL NO. 10 am H "An Act providing for trapping licenses for active members of the Alaska National Guard and military reserves without charge; making sport fishing, hunting, and trapping permanent identification cards available to certain disabled veterans without charge; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 4, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 1/1/24

**HB 62**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on May 25 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 62(FIN) "An Act relating to the renewable energy grant fund and recommendation program; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 5, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 5/26/23



**SB 25**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on June 13 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 25(FIN) "An Act relating to inactive state accounts and funds; relating to the curriculum improvement and best practices fund; relating to the fuel emergency fund and fuel emergency grants; relating to the special Alaska Historical Commission receipts account; relating to the rural electrification revolving loan fund and loans from the fund; and relating to the Exxon Valdez oil spill unincorporated rural community grant fund and grants from the fund."

Chapter 6, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 9/11/23

**SB 80**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on June 13 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE BILL NO. 80 "An Act making corrective amendments to the Alaska Statutes as recommended by the revisor of statutes; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 7, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: See Chapter

**SB 81**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on June 13 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE BILL NO. 81 am "An Act relating to the office of victims' rights; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 8, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 6/14/23

**SB 55**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on June 14 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 55(FIN) am H "An Act extending the termination date of the Board of Certified Direct-Entry Midwives; extending the termination date of the State Medical Board; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 9, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 6/30/23

**HB 69**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on June 21 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 69(CRA) am S "An Act relating to the reclassification of first class cities as second class cities; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 10, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 6/22/23

**HB 103**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on June 21 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE BILL NO. 103 "An Act extending the termination date of the Alaska Minerals Commission."

Chapter 11, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 9/19/23

**SB 98**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on June 23 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 98(FIN) "An Act requiring the Alaska Permanent Fund Corporation to manage the power cost equalization endowment fund; requiring the Alaska Permanent Fund Corporation to publish certain reports relating to the power cost equalization endowment fund; relating to the Alaska Permanent Fund Corporation's management and investment of the power cost equalization endowment fund; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 12, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 7/1/23

**SB 126**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on June 27 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE BILL NO. 126 "An Act relating to the State Board of Registration for Architects, Engineers, and Land Surveyors; relating to architects, engineers, land surveyors, and landscape architects; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 13, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 6/28/23

**HB 56**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on July 6 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 56(L&C) "An Act relating to the certification of veterinarians; exempting veterinarians from the requirements of the controlled substance prescription database; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 14, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 7/7/23

**HB 112**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on July 6 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 112(L&C) am "An Act relating to the Board of Pharmacy; relating to the practice of pharmacy; relating to pharmacies; relating to prescription drug manufacturers; relating to licensing and registration requirements for certain wholesale drug distributors; relating to prescriptions for epinephrine; relating to the administration of epinephrine; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 15, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: See Chapter

**SB 58**

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

HOUSE CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 58(FIN) "An Act relating to Medicaid eligibility; expanding eligibility for postpartum mothers; conditioning the expansion of eligibility on approval by the United States Department of Health and Human Services; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 16, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: See Chapter

**HB 78**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on July 20 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE BILL NO. 78 "An Act establishing September 10 as Alaska Community Health Aide Appreciation Day."

Chapter 17, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 10/18/23

**HB 23**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on July 20 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE BILL NO. 23 "An Act establishing the month of October as Filipino American History Month."

Chapter 18, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 10/18/23

**SB 38**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on July 20 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE BILL NO. 38 "An Act establishing the crime of interference with emergency communications."

Chapter 19, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 10/18/23

**SB 123**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on July 29 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 123(L&C) "An Act relating to commercial motor vehicle drivers' license requirements; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 20, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 7/30/23

**HB 61**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on July 29 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 61(JUD) am S "An Act relating to restrictions on firearms and other weapons."

Chapter 21, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 10/27/23

**SB 57**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on July 29 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 57(FIN) am H "An Act relating to the sharing of confidential health information between the Department of Health and the Department of Family and Community Services; relating to home- and community-based services under the medical assistance program; relating to medical assistance for recipients of Medicaid waivers; establishing a host care home license and procedures; providing for the transition of individuals from foster care to host home care settings; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 22, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: See Chapter

**SB 119**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on August 5 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE BILL NO. 119 "An Act relating to state identifications and driver's licenses for persons in the custody of the Department of Corrections; relating to state identifications issued by the Department of Corrections; relating to the duties of the commissioner of corrections; relating to misconduct involving confidential information; relating to voter identification; relating to identification for fishing permits; relating to identification for debtor financing statements; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 23, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 1/1/24

**HB 141**

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 141 "An Act establishing June 9 of each year as Don Young Day."

Chapter 24, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 11/24/23

**HB 123**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on August 28 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE BILL NO. 123 "An Act relating to an amendment to the articles of incorporation of a corporation organized under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 25, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 8/29/23

**SB 87**

Message was received stating the Governor signed the following bill on August 30 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE BILL NO. 87 "An Act relating to a lumber grading training program and lumber grading certificates; relating to use of lumber graded and certified by a person holding a lumber grading training program certificate; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 26, SLA 2023  
Effective Date: 8/31/23

**SR 1**

Message dated July 17 was received stating the Governor read the following resolution and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1 Establishing a Senate Special Committee on World Trade.

Senate Resolve No. 1

**HJR 5**

Message dated July 20 was received stating the Governor read the following resolution and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5 (FSH) Urging the United States Secretary of Commerce, the National Marine Fisheries Service, the Alaska Department of Fish and Game, and other federal and state agencies to defend the state's fisheries, including the Southeast Alaska troll fishery.

Legislative Resolve No. 3



**HJR 10**

Message dated July 20 was received stating the Governor read the following resolution and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10  
Disapproving the proposed rule by the National Park Service limiting non-subsistence hunting methods; and urging the National Park Service to withdraw the rule.

Legislative Resolve No. 5

**HCR 3**

Message dated July 17 was received stating the Governor read the following resolution and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3  
Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning Senate Bill No. 57, relating to home- and community-based services under the medical assistance program; relating to medical assistance for recipients of Medicaid waivers; establishing an adult care home license and procedures; and providing for the transition of individuals from foster care to adult home care settings.

Legislative Resolve No. 6

**HJR 11**

Message dated July 20 was received stating the Governor read the following resolution and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11 Urging the United States Environmental Protection Agency to develop a woodstove certification program that addresses the threat to clean and healthy winter air in Fairbanks; and urging the state Department of Environmental Conservation to develop an economically and legally defensible state implementation plan for the Fairbanks North Star Borough nonattainment area.

Legislative Resolve No. 7

**SCR 2**

Message dated July 17 was received stating the Governor read the following resolution and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2  
Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e),  
Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature,  
concerning House Bill No. 56, exempting controlled  
substances prescribed or dispensed by a veterinarian  
to treat an animal from the requirements of the  
controlled substance prescription database.

Legislative Resolve No. 8

**SCR 7**

Message dated July 17 was received stating the Governor read the following resolution and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7  
Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e),  
Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature,  
concerning House Bill No. 51, relating to refrigerants  
designated as acceptable for use under federal law.

Legislative Resolve No. 9

**SCR 6**

Message dated July 17 was received stating the Governor read the following resolution and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6  
Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e),  
Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature,  
concerning House Bill No. 39, making appropriations  
for the operating and loan program expenses of state  
government and for certain programs; capitalizing  
funds; repealing appropriations; amending  
appropriations; making reappropriations; and making  
supplemental appropriations.

Legislative Resolve No. 10

**HB 39**

Message was received stating the Governor signed, with line-item vetoes, the following bill on June 18 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL  
NO. 39(FIN) am S "An Act making appropriations  
for the operating and loan program expenses of state  
government and for certain programs; capitalizing  
funds; repealing appropriations; amending  
appropriations; making capital appropriations,  
supplemental appropriations, and reappropriations;  
and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 1, FSSLA 2023  
[Effective Date: See Chapter]

This budget, with line item vetoes, represents prudent and fiscally responsible investments in public safety, public education, and economic development. The vetoes made were the result of a thorough

evaluation and consistent application of the priorities of my administration to preserve general funds for savings and ensure fiscal stability.

Sincerely,  
/s/  
Mike Dunleavy  
Governor

**HB 41**

Message was received stating the Governor signed, with line-item vetoes, the following bill on June 18 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL  
NO. 41(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."

Chapter 2, FSSLA 2023  
[Effective Date: See Chapter]

The Mental Health Capital and Operating budget, with line item vetoes, represents prudent and fiscally responsible investments in the states comprehensive mental health program. The vetoes made were the result of a thorough evaluation and consistent application of the priorities of my administration to preserve general funds for savings and ensure fiscal stability.

Sincerely,  
/s/  
Mike Dunleavy  
Governor

October 16, 2023

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**HB 8**

Letter dated July 20 was received:

Dear President Stevens:

Under the authority vested in me by Article II, Section 15, of the Alaska Constitution, I have vetoed the following bill:

SCS HB 8(STA)

"An Act relating to electric-assisted bicycles; and providing for an effective date."

I vetoed this bill because it creates unnecessary bureaucracy by regulating a recreational activity.

Sincerely,

/s/

Mike Dunleavy

Governor

**HB 51**

Letter dated August 26 was received:

Dear President Stevens:

Under the authority vested in me by Article II, Section 15, of the Alaska Constitution, I have vetoed the following bill:

HB 51 am S(efd add S)

"An Act relating to refrigerants designated as acceptable for use under federal law; relating to firefighting substances; and providing for an effective date."

House Bill 51 does not provide alternatives to aqueous film forming foam (AFFF) for firefighting. If AFFF is removed from a community, residents will have no capabilities to fight a large-scale fire. When balancing the environment and life and safety of Alaskans, this bill falls short by removing a lifesaving tool from the toolbox.

Accordingly, because this bill offers no alternatives to AFFF leaving Alaskans vulnerable to a preventable and unfortunate event to happen, I have vetoed the bill. I encourage the legislature to find a sustainable solution to this problem and not just a partial solution.

Additionally, I welcome Representative Wright to reintroduce the original draft of this legislation, which helped Alaskan consumers prepare for the upcoming transition of the heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and refrigeration industry to the next generation of refrigerants. I look forward to working with the legislature to address this issue when we begin the second half of the 33<sup>rd</sup> Alaska State Legislature in January.

Sincerely,  
/s/  
Mike Dunleavy  
Governor

Amended Disaster Declaration dated May 25, 2023, to include the Northwest Arctic Borough, City of Galena, the Iditarod, Lower Kuskokwim, and Lower Yukon Regional Education Attendance Areas (REAA) regarding the 2023 Spring Floods Disaster. The amended declaration and letter had been copied to the Finance Committee Cochairs.

Amended Disaster Declaration dated June 21, 2023, to include the Yukon Koyukuk Regional Education Attendance Areas (REAA), Bering Strait REAA, Fairbanks North Star, and North Slope Boroughs regarding the 2023 Spring Floods Disaster. The amended declaration and letter had been copied to the Finance Committee Cochairs.

A Declaration of Disaster Emergency and initial finance plan dated August 9, 2023 authorizing funds for the City and Borough of Juneau as the result of record flooding from Mendenhall Glacier's Suicide Basin glacial dam outburst, with an accompanying letter, was received pursuant to AS 26.23.020. The declaration, letter and finance plan had been copied to the Finance Committee Cochairs.

A Declaration of Disaster Emergency and initial finance plan dated August 25, 2023 authorizing funds for the Alaska Gateway, Yukon Flats, Copper River and Kuspuk Regional Education Attendance Areas (REAA) as the result of severe flooding from ice jams and rapid snowmelt, with an accompanying letter, was received pursuant to AS 26.23.020. The declaration, letter and finance plan had been copied to the Finance Committee Cochairs.

A Declaration of Disaster Emergency and initial finance plan dated September 5, 2023 authorizing additional disaster relief (above budgeted General Fund) due to increased fire suppression activities, with an accompanying letter, was received pursuant to AS 26. 23. 020. The declaration, letter and finance plan had been copied to the Finance Committee Cochairs.

A letter dated September 29, 2023 was received regarding Hazard Mitigation Grant Program-Post Fire funds pursuant to AS 26.23.020. The letter had been copied to the Finance Committee Cochairs.

A Declaration of Disaster Emergency and initial finance plan dated October 2, 2023 authorizing funds for the Matanuska-Susitna Borough as a result of flooding and riverbank destruction, with an accompanying letter, was received pursuant to AS 26.23.020. The declaration, letter and finance plan had been copied to the Finance Committee Cochairs.

### **Communications**

The following was received and is on file in the Office of the Secretary of the Senate:

#### **HB 39**

Letter dated August 28 from the Division of Legislative Finance identifying the fiscal notes included in the packet that accompanied SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 39(FIN) am S "An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; repealing appropriations; amending appropriations; making capital appropriations, supplemental appropriations, and reappropriations; and providing for an effective date" which was adopted by the House and Senate on May 18.

The itemized fiscal notes are as follows:

[Includes only bills that passed the House and Senate.]

HB 51 DESIG. REFRIGERANT USE; PFAS USE/DISPOSAL  
Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Transportation and Public  
Facilities

HB 112 PROFESSION OF PHARMACY  
Fiscal Note No. 2, Department of Commerce, Community, and  
Economic Development

SB 48 CARBON OFFSET PROGRAM; CARBON STORAGE  
Fiscal Note No. 7, Department of Commerce, Community, and  
Economic Development  
Fiscal Note No. 9, Department of Natural Resources  
Fiscal Note No. 10, Department of Natural Resources  
Fiscal Note No. 11, Department of Natural Resources

SB 57 ADULT HOME CARE; MED ASSIST.; HEALTH INFO  
Fiscal Note No. 4, Department of Health

SB 81 OFFICE VICTIMS' RIGHTS: COMP, APPTMT  
Fiscal Note No. 1, Legislative Affairs Agency

SB 87 LUMBER GRADING PROGRAM  
Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Natural Resources

SB 98 AK PERM FUND CORP. & PCE ENDOWMENT FUND  
Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Revenue  
Fiscal Note No. 2, Department of Revenue  
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Annual Review of Excess Assets  
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Alaska Food Strategy Task Force Report  
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Alaska Permanent Fund Corporation  
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Alaska's Opioid Response 2022-2023  
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Quarantine and Isolation Report  
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Liz Clark  
Secretary of the Senate