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Sixty-eighth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the Senate was called to order by President Halford at 11:14 a.m.

The roll showed eighteen members present. Senators Hoffman, Taylor were absent.

The prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Pastor Richard Green of the Glacier Valley Church of God. Senator Cowdery moved and asked unanimous consent that the prayer be spread. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Father, thank You for Alaska. My family has the choice blessing living here where we have learned the value of family, respect for cultural diversity, the importance of positive individuality, the stewardship of natural resources and the enjoyment of the abundant bounties of nature. We have been challenged and our faith made stronger by the extremes of this land. We have cherished the wonder of the unsurpassed, majestic beauty of Alaska. The people of this state have enriched, influenced and broadened our lives. Help us to always treasure what we have and to be faithful stewards of our rich heritage so Alaska will continue to be the very best place in the world to live. Amen.

Senator Torgerson led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Certification

Senator Leman moved and asked unanimous consent that the journals for the sixty-sixth and sixty-seventh legislative days be approved as certified by the Secretary. Without objection, it was so ordered.

The presence of Senator Taylor was noted.

Introduction of Guests

Senator Torgerson introduced the following people from the Pacific NorthWest Economic Region (PNWER): Barry Penner, PNWER's Canadian Vice-President and Member of the British Columbia Legislative Assembly; Sukumar Periwal, Senior Policy Analyst in the Intergovernmental Relations Secretariat of the Government of British Columbia; and Matt Morrison, PNWER Executive Director.

Messages from the House

Message dated March 20 was read, stating the House passed and transmitted for consideration:

**First Reading and Reference of
House Resolutions****HJR 44**

CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 44(RES) am BY THE HOUSE RESOURCES COMMITTEE,

Strongly urging the President of the United States, the United States Congress, and appropriate federal officials to support the construction and operation of the Alaska Highway Natural Gas Pipeline route.

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

First Reading and Reference of House Bills**HB 288**

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 288(FIN) am BY THE HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE, entitled:

"An Act relating to commercial fishing limited entry permit buy-back programs, to a permit buy-back assessment, and to voluntary relinquishment of commercial fishing permits; and defining 'optimum number.'"

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

HB 381

HOUSE BILL NO. 381 BY THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, entitled:

"An Act relating to the crime of failure to stop at the direction of a peace officer; and providing for an effective date."

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

Standing Committee Reports**SB 180**

Forthcoming fiscal information (page 2429) for the Finance Committee Substitute for SENATE BILL NO. 180 "An Act implementing pay differentials based on geographic areas for certain state employees and for members of the Alaska State Defense Force; and providing for an effective date" published today:

Fiscal Note No. 3, Department of Administration

Fiscal Note No. 4, Alaska Court System

SB 182

The Finance Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 182 "An Act requiring reductions in payments to individuals under certain benefit programs if appropriations are not sufficient to fully fund the statutorily established levels of payments" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 182(FIN)

Signing do pass: Senator Donley, Cochair, Senators Green, Leman, Ward. Signing no recommendation: Senator Kelly, Cochair, Senators Austerman, Wilken.

Fiscal information forthcoming.

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 222

Corrected fiscal information received March 21 from the Senate Finance Committee regarding CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 222(FIN) "An Act relating to certain motor vehicles that are required to yield to following traffic" (page 2337):

The following previously published fiscal information applies:
Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Transportation and Public
Facilities

This fiscal information has been transmitted to the House to accompany the bill.

SB 231

The Community and Regional Affairs Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 231 "An Act relating to correctional facilities" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 231(CRA)

Signing do pass: Senator Torgerson, Chair, Senator Austerman. Signing no recommendation: Senator Kelly.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Corrections
Fiscal Note No. 2, Department of Revenue

The bill was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

SB 279

The Finance Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 279 "An Act authorizing the commissioner of fish and game to issue complimentary sport fishing licenses and tags to September 11 emergency responders and their spouses; and providing for an effective date" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 279(FIN)

Signing do pass: Senators Donley, Kelly, Cochairs, Senators Austerman, Hoffman, Leman, Wilken, Ward.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Fish and Game

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 299

The Finance Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 299 "An Act relating to the establishment of an additional southcentral panel to the Alaska Workers' Compensation Board and to appointments to that panel; and providing for an effective date" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 299 (FIN)

Signing do pass: Senators Kelly, Donley, Cochairs, Senators Austerman, Wilken, Leman. Signing no recommendation: Senators Green, Olson, Ward.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:

Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Labor and Work Force
Development

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 306

The State Affairs Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 306 "An Act establishing the Prescription Drug Assistance Task Force; and providing for an effective date" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 306(STA)
(forthcoming)

Signing no recommendation: Senator Therriault, Chair. Signing do pass: Senators Davis, Stevens.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Administration

The bill was referred to the Health, Education and Social Services Committee.

SB 308

The Finance Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 308 "An Act relating to the Alaska coastal management program and the responsibilities of the Alaska Coastal Policy Council" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 308(FIN) "An Act relating to the Alaska coastal management program and the responsibilities of the Alaska Coastal Policy Council; and providing for an effective date."
(technical title change)

Signing do pass: Senator Kelly, Cochair, Senators Green, Wilken, Leman. Signing no recommendation: Senator Donley, Cochair, Senators Austerman, Ward.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Office of the Governor

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 317

The Labor and Commerce Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 317 "An Act relating to the national forest income program in the Department of Community and Economic Development and to the authority of the department to adopt regulations; and providing for an effective date." Signing do pass: Senator Stevens, Chair, Senators Austerman, Davis, Leman, Torgerson.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Community and Economic Development

The bill was referred to the Finance Committee.

HB 262

The Labor and Commerce Committee considered HOUSE BILL NO. 262 "An Act relating to accounting for and appropriations of receipts from fees collected by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development for certain inspections and for certain plumbing and electrical worker certificates of fitness; establishing a building safety account; and providing for an effective date." Signing do pass: Senator Stevens, Chair, Senator Davis. Signing no recommendation: Senators Austerman, Leman, Torgerson.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 3, Department of Labor and Work Force Development

The bill was referred to the State Affairs Committee.

HB 276

The Labor and Commerce Committee considered CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 276(L&C) "An Act relating to temporary permits and licenses by endorsement issued by the Board of Nursing; and relating to the delegation of nursing duties" and recommended it be replaced with

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO.
276(L&C)

Signing do pass: Senator Stevens, Chair, Senators Austerman, Davis, Leman, Torgerson.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Community and Economic Development

The bill was referred to the Health, Education and Social Services Committee.

HB 281

The Labor and Commerce Committee considered CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 281(JUD) "An Act relating to civil liability for providing alcoholic beverages to a person under 21 years of age; and providing for an effective date." Signing do pass: Senator Stevens, Chair, Senators Davis, Leman, Torgerson. Signing no recommendation: Senator Austerman.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, House Labor and Commerce Committee

The bill was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

HB 349

The Finance Committee considered HOUSE BILL NO. 349 "An Act relating to agency programs and financial plans." Signing do pass: Senators Donley, Kelly, Cochairs, Senators Green, Leman, Ward. Signing no recommendation: Senators Austerman, Olson, Wilken.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Office of the Governor

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

HB 362

The Judiciary Committee considered HOUSE BILL NO. 362 "An Act extending the termination date of the Board of Governors of the Alaska Bar Association" and recommended it be replaced with

SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 362(JUD)

Signing do pass: Senator Donley, Vice Chair, Senator Cowdery.
Signing no recommendation: Senator Therriault.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:
Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Alaska Court System

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

HB 418

The Labor and Commerce Committee considered CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 418(L&C) "An Act amending the Alaska Corporations Code as it relates to delivery of annual reports, notice of shareholders' meetings, proxy statements, and other information and items to shareholders, to voting, and to proxies, including electronic proxy voting and proxy signing; and providing for an effective date." Signing do pass: Senator Stevens, Chair, Senators Austerman, Davis, Leman, Torgerson.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:
Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Community and Economic Development

The bill was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

SJR 25

The Judiciary Committee considered SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 25 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alaska relating to education, and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO.
25(JUD)

Signing no recommendation: Senator Donley, Vice Chair, Senator Therriault. Signing do pass: Senator Cowdery.

The following fiscal information was published today:
Fiscal Note No. 2, Office of the Governor

The resolution was referred to the Finance Committee.

SJR 37

The Finance Committee considered SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 37 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alaska relating to officers and employees of the executive branch. Signing do pass: Senators Donley, Kelly, Cochairs, Senators Green, Wilken, Ward, Leman. Signing no recommendation: Senators Austerman, Hoffman, Olson.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:
Fiscal Note No. 1, Office of the Governor

The resolution was referred to the Rules Committee.

SJR 38

The Finance Committee considered SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 38 Proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Alaska relating to information regarding proposed expenditures. Signing do pass: Senators Donley, Kelly, Cochairs, Senators Green, Ward, Leman. Signing no recommendation: Senators Austerman, Hoffman, Olson, Wilken.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:
Fiscal Note No. 1, Office of the Governor

The resolution was referred to the Rules Committee.

SCR 29

The Finance Committee considered SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29 Relating to urging the Governor to institute a hiring freeze on state government. Signing do pass: Senators Donley, Kelly, Cochairs, Senators Green, Austerman, Wilken, Ward, Leman. Signing no recommendation: Senators Hoffman, Olson.

The resolution was referred to the Rules Committee.

HJR 35

The State Affairs Committee considered HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 35 am Relating to urging the United States Congress to amend the tax code to permanently repeal the estate tax. Signing do pass: Senator Therriault, Chair, Senators Davis, Stevens, Halford.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:
Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, House State Affairs Committee

The resolution was referred to the Rules Committee.

SJR 41

The Rules Committee considered SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41 Relating to reconstruction and paving of the Alaska Highway. Signing to calendar: Senator Phillips, Chair, Senators Therriault, Ellis.

The resolution is on today's calendar.

Introduction and Reference of Senate Bills**SB 351**

SENATE BILL NO. 351 BY THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE, entitled:

"An Act relating to conveyance of tide and submerged land to municipalities."

was read the first time and referred to the Community and Regional Affairs and Resources Committees.

Consideration of the Calendar**Second Reading of Senate Resolutions****SJR 41**

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41 Relating to reconstruction and paving of the Alaska Highway, was read the second time.

Senator Leman moved and asked unanimous consent that the resolution be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading and placed on final passage. Without objection, it was so ordered.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41 was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41 Relating to reconstruction and paving of the Alaska Highway, pass the Senate?" The roll was taken with the following result:

SJR 41

Third Reading - Final Passage

YEAS: 19 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Austerman, Cowdery, Davis, Donley, Ellis, Elton, Green, Halford, Kelly, Leman, Lincoln, Olson, Phillips, Stevens, Taylor, Therriault, Torgerson, Ward, Wilken

Absent: Hoffman

and so, SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41 passed the Senate and was referred to the Secretary for engrossment.

Citations

Honoring – Cathy Baldwin-Johnson, M.D.

Senator(s) Green, Halford, Kelly, Austerman, Davis, Elton, Leman, Wilken, Stevens, Therriault, Lincoln, Taylor

Representative(s) Kohring, Ogan

Honoring – Vivian Dailey

Representative(s) James

Senator(s) Halford, Green, Kelly, Austerman, Davis, Elton, Leman, Wilken, Stevens, Therriault, Lincoln, Taylor

Honoring – Captain John V. (Vince) O'Shea

Representative(s) Hudson, Murkowski, Dyson

Senator(s) Austerman, Halford, Green, Kelly, Davis, Elton, Leman, Wilken, Stevens, Therriault, Lincoln, Taylor

Commemorating – National Adoption Month, November 2002

Representative(s) Meyer

Senator(s) Donley, Ward, Ellis, Halford, Green, Kelly, Austerman,
Davis, Elton, Leman, Wilken, Stevens, Therriault, Lincoln, Taylor

In Memoriam – Axinia Peters

Representative(s) Morgan

Senator(s) Lincoln, Halford, Green, Kelly, Austerman, Davis, Elton,
Leman, Wilken, Stevens, Therriault, Taylor

In Memoriam – Brian T. Smith

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Taylor, Halford, Green, Kelly, Austerman, Davis, Elton,
Leman, Wilken, Stevens, Therriault, Lincoln

In Memoriam – Vernon H. Woodworth Sr.

Representative(s) Coghill

Senator(s) Kelly, Ward, Halford, Green, Austerman, Davis, Elton,
Leman, Wilken, Stevens, Therriault, Lincoln, Taylor

In Memoriam – Clifford L. Haydon

Representative(s) Coghill

Senator(s) Kelly, Ward, Halford, Green, Austerman, Davis, Elton,
Leman, Wilken, Stevens, Therriault, Lincoln, Taylor

In Memoriam – Dan Sjoblom

Representative(s) Coghill

Senator(s) Kelly, Ward, Halford, Green, Austerman, Davis, Elton,
Leman, Wilken, Stevens, Therriault, Lincoln, Taylor, Olson

Senator Leman moved and asked unanimous consent that the citations be adopted. Without objection, the citations were adopted and referred to the Secretary for transmittal.

Unfinished Business**SB 4**

Senator Wilken moved and asked unanimous consent to be shown as a cosponsor on SENATE BILL NO. 4 "An Act relating to a mandatory exemption from municipal property taxes for certain residences and to an optional exemption from municipal taxes for residential property; and providing for an effective date." Without objection, it was so ordered.

SB 279

Senator Leman moved and asked unanimous consent to be shown as a cosponsor on SENATE BILL NO. 279 "An Act authorizing the commissioner of fish and game to issue complimentary sport fishing licenses and tags to September 11 emergency responders and their spouses; and providing for an effective date." Without objection, it was so ordered.

HB 281

Senator Leman moved and asked unanimous consent to be shown as a cross sponsor on CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 281(JUD) "An Act relating to civil liability for providing alcoholic beverages to a person under 21 years of age; and providing for an effective date." Without objection, it was so ordered.

SCR 28

Senator Lincoln moved and asked unanimous consent to be shown as a cosponsor on SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28 Establishing the Joint Legislative Salmon Industry Task Force. Without objection, it was so ordered.

HB 349

Senators Donley, Leman moved and asked unanimous consent to be shown as cross sponsors on HOUSE BILL NO. 349 "An Act relating to agency programs and financial plans." Without objection, it was so ordered.

SJR 38

Senators Donley, Leman moved and asked unanimous consent to be shown as cosponsors on SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 38 Proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Alaska relating to information regarding proposed expenditures. Without objection, it was so ordered.

SCR 29

Senators Donley, Leman moved and asked unanimous consent to be shown as cosponsors on SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 29 Relating to urging the Governor to institute a hiring freeze on state government. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Senator Taylor moved and asked unanimous consent to be excused from the Senate, not subject to a call, from plane time, April 2 through plane time, April 7. Without objection, Senator Taylor was excused.

Senator Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent to be excused from a call of the Senate from afternoon plane time, April 3 through afternoon plane time, April 4. Without objection, Senator Austerman was excused.

Senator Ellis moved and asked unanimous consent to be excused from a call of the Senate until morning plane time on March 25. Without objection, Senator Ellis was excused.

Announcements

Announcements are at the end of the journal.

Engrossment**SJR 41**

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41 Relating to reconstruction and paving of the Alaska Highway, was engrossed, signed by the President and Secretary and transmitted to the House for consideration.

Adjournment

Senator Lemman moved and asked unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment until 11:00 a.m., March 25, 2002. Without objection, the Senate adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

Heidi Vogel
Secretary of the Senate

March 2002

Announcements

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STANDING COMMITTEES

+ indicates teleconference
 = indicates bill previously heard/scheduled

COMMUNITY & REGIONAL AFFAIRS

Mar 22	Friday No Meeting Scheduled	Fahrenkamp 203	1:30 PM
Mar 25	Monday No Meeting Scheduled	Fahrenkamp 203	1:30 PM
Mar 27	Wednesday	Fahrenkamp 203	1:30 PM
+ SB 312	ENTERPRISE ZONES		
+ SB 314	MOBILE TELECOMMUNICATIONS TAX		
+ HB 135	EXCESSIVE POLICE SERVICES:FEES/ TENANCY		
Mar 29	Friday No Meeting Scheduled	Fahrenkamp 203	1:30 PM

FINANCE

Mar 22	Friday	Senate Finance 532	9:00 AM
= SCR 29	HIRING FREEZE		
	SJR 37 CONST AM: HIRING FREEZE		
	SJR 38 CONST AM: PRIORITY OF EXPENDITURES		
= HB 349	AGENCY PROGRAM AND FINANCIAL PLANS		
SB 299	WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD PANELS		
	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
	-- Teleconference Upon Request --		

FINANCE (continued)

- Mar 25 Monday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM**
 SB 342 LONG TERM CARE OMBUDSMAN
 SB 270 BOARD OF DISPENSING OPTICIANS
 HB 16 HOME RULE COMMUNITIES
 Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 -- Teleconference Upon Request --
- Mar 26 Tuesday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM**
 SB 345 SCHOOL SERVICES FOR DISABLED STUDENTS
 SB 319 SHALLOW NATURAL GAS LEASING
 SB 280 WATER/SEWER/WASTE GRANTS TO UTILITIES
 SB 111 BONDS TO FUND PORTS AND HARBORS
 Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 -- Teleconference Upon Request --
- Mar 27 Wednesday Senate Finance 532 9:30 AM**
 = HB 359 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROP TOURISM MARKETING
 <Pending Referral>
 = SB 291 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS: FAST TRACK
 Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 -- Teleconference Upon Request --
- Mar 28 Thursday Senate Finance 532 9:30 AM**
 = HB 359 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROP TOURISM MARKETING
 <Pending Referral>
 = SB 291 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS: FAST TRACK
 Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 -- Teleconference Upon Request --

HEALTH, EDUCATION & SOCIAL SERVICES

- Mar 22 Friday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM**
 + Dept Ed and Early Development Overview:
 ESEA Implementation
 Statewide School Safety/McQueen School
 <Above Item Rescheduled to 4/3/02>
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

HEALTH, EDUCATION & SOCIAL SERVICES (continued)

Mar 25	Monday No Meeting Scheduled	Butrovich 205	1:30 PM
Mar 27	Wednesday No Meeting Scheduled	Butrovich 205	1:30 PM
Apr 03	Wednesday Statewide School Safety/McQueen School -- Above Item Rescheduled from 3/22/02 --	Butrovich 205	1:30 PM

JUDICIARY

Mar 22	Friday -- Meeting Canceled --	Beltz 211	1:30 PM
+	SB 278 TAKING PROPERTY BY EMINENT DOMAIN		
+	SB 295 LICENSING:DISCLOSURE OF MINORS RECORDS		
+	SB 302 MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS		
+=	SB 248 EXTENDING COUNCIL ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE		
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
Mar 25	Monday	Beltz 211	1:30 PM
+=	SJR 33 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT : TAX CAP		
+=	HB 196 RIGHT OF ACTION FOR LEGAL SEPARATION		
+=	SB 344 TERRORISM AGGRAVATING FACTOR		
+	HB 297 AGGRAVATOR FOR SEXUAL OFFENSES		
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
Mar 27	Wednesday	Beltz 211	1:30 PM
+=	HB 40 REVOKE DRIVER'S LIC. FOR FATAL ACCIDENT		
+	HB 157 TRUST COMPANIES & FIDUCIARIES		
+	SB 313 NO LEGIS APPROVAL OF AEROSPACE PROJECT		
+=	SB 263 REAL PROPERTY CONVEYANCES		
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
Mar 29	Friday No Meeting Scheduled	Beltz 211	1:30 PM

LABOR & COMMERCE

Mar 26	Tuesday	Beltz 211	1:30 PM
+ SB 220	SCOPE OF PRACTICE OF HAIRDRESSING		
+ HB 56	MINIMUM WAGE		
+ SB 320	MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE & REPAIRS		
	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
Mar 28	Thursday	Beltz 211	1:30 PM
+	Confirmation Hearings:		
	AK State Board of Public Accountancy		
	Alcoholic Beverage Control Board		
	Architects, Engineers and Land Surveyors		
	Board of Barbers and Hairdressers		
	Board of Chiropractic Examiners		
	AK Workers' Compensation Board		
+ HB 212	WORKERS' COMP: CONTRACTORS & SUBCONTRACTOR		
	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
Apr 02	Tuesday	Beltz 211	1:30 PM
	No Meeting Scheduled		
Apr 04	Thursday	Beltz 211	1:30 PM
+	Confirmation Hearings:		
	AK Labor Relations Agency		
	Board of Marine Pilots		
	Certified Real Estate Appraisers		
	Real Estate Commission		
	Regulatory Commission of Alaska		
+ HB 389	MUNI TAX EXEMPTION: DETERIORATED PROPERTY		
	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
Apr 09	Tuesday	Senate Finance 532	1:30 PM
	-- Location Change --		
	Joint w/(H)		
+	Nursing Workforce Issues Forum		

RESOURCES

Mar 22	Friday	Butrovich 205	3:30 PM
	-- Meeting Canceled --		
	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		

RESOURCES (continued)

Mar 25 Monday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 += SB 205 CONTROL OF NUISANCE WILD ANIMALS
 += SB 326 WASTEWATER DISCHARGE PROGRAM
 += HB 307 OIL/GAS EXPLORATION INCENTIVE CREDIT
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 27 Wednesday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 += HB 298 LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL OF RAILROAD LEASES
 += HB 241 RAIL AND UTILITY CORRIDOR TO CANADA
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 29 Friday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 No Meeting Scheduled

RULES

Mar 25 Monday Fahrenkamp 203 10:30 AM
 SB 339 INCREASE CRIMINAL FINES

STATE AFFAIRS

Mar 26 Tuesday Beltz 211 3:30 PM
 HB 162 ABSENCES UNDER LONGEVITY BONUS PROGRAM
 HB 254 STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS/WARRANTS
 HB 331 PRESENTMENT OF GOVERNOR'S APPOINTEES
 HJR 30 DESECRATION OF U.S. FLAG
 Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 28 Thursday Beltz 211 3:30 PM
 No Meeting Scheduled

TRANSPORTATION

Mar 26 Tuesday Capitol 17 1:30 PM
 -- Location Change --
 Joint w/(H)
 Presentation from the Bellingham Port
 Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

TRANSPORTATION (continued)

Mar 28 **Thursday** **Butrovich 205** **1:30 PM**
 No Meeting Scheduled

FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEES**ADMINISTRATION**

Mar 27 **Wednesday** **Fahrenkamp 203** **8:00 AM**
 Overview: Dept of Administration FY03
 Budget Request

CORRECTIONS

Mar 26 **Tuesday** **Fahrenkamp 203** **8:00 AM**
 Overview: Dept of Corrections FY03 Budget
 Request

REVENUE

Mar 27 **Wednesday** **Beltz 211** **4:00 PM**
 Revenue Operating Budget Closeout

Mar 28 **Thursday** **Senate Finance 532** **10:00 AM**
 Revenue Operating Budget Closeout

TRANSPORTATION & PUBLIC FACILITIES

Mar 28 **Thursday** **Fahrenkamp 203** **8:00 AM**
 Overview: DOT/PF FY03 Budget Request

JOINT COMMITTEES**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

Mar 22 **Friday** **Capitol 208** **8:30 AM**
 Information Technology Subcommittee

OMBUDSMAN SELECTION COMMITTEE

Mar 26 Tuesday Beltz 211 9:00 AM

SELECT CMTE ON LEGISLATIVE ETHICS

Mar 26 Tuesday Butrovich 205 11:00 AM
 Public Comment
 Committee Members and Officers
 Review of State Benefit & Loan Programs
 Staff Reports, Late Disclosures
 Advisory Opinion 02-01

OTHER MEETINGS

CHILDREN'S CAUCUS

Mar 26 Tuesday Fahrenkamp 203 12:00 PM
 + Youth in Action

Apr 02 Tuesday Fahrenkamp 203 12:00 PM
 + Smart Start/Strong Future