

**ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE  
HOUSE JUDICIARY STANDING COMMITTEE**

January 12, 2001

1:35 p.m.

**COMMITTEE CALENDAR**

OVERVIEWS: COURT SYSTEM AND OFFICE OF PUBLIC ADVOCACY

**TAPES**

01-4, SIDES A & B

**CALL TO ORDER**

REPRESENTATIVE NORMAN ROKEBERG, Chairman, called the House Judiciary Standing Committee back to order at 1:35 p.m. [For minutes on Confirmation Hearings, see the 1:05 p.m. minutes for this date.]

**PRESENT**

Committee members present were Representatives Rokeberg, Ogan, Meyer, Coghill, James, and Berkowitz. Representative Kookesh was excused. Representative Joe Green was also present.

**SUMMARY OF INFORMATION**

CHRIS CHRISTENSON, Deputy Director, Administrative Staff, Alaska Court System, presented an overview of the Alaska Court System for the committee. He responded to questions.

BRANT MCGEE, Director, Office of Public Advocacy (OPA), Department of Administration, presented an overview of OPA and responded to questions.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

No announcements were made.

**COMMITTEE ACTION**

The committee took no action regarding the overviews by the Court System and Office of Public Advocacy.

CHAIRMAN ROKEBERG stated however, that the committee was signing the transmittal certificates of the nominees for the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics [minutes for the confirmation hearing, heard during the first portion of the meeting, are found in the 1:05 p.m. minutes for this date.]

**ADJOURNMENT**

Chairman Rokeberg adjourned the House Judiciary Standing Committee meeting at 2:54 p.m.

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