

**ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE
HOUSE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON OIL AND GAS**

January 18, 2001

10:03 a.m.

COMMITTEE CALENDAR

OVERVIEW: DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, DIVISION OF OIL & GAS

TAPES

01-1, SIDES A & B

01-2, SIDE A

CALL TO ORDER

REPRESENTATIVE SCOTT OGAN, Chair, called the House Special Committee on Oil and Gas meeting to order at 10:03 a.m.

PRESENT

Committee members present were Representatives Ogan, Dyson, Chenault, Fate, Kohring, Guess, and Joule. Also present was Representative Green.

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

MARK MYERS, Director, Division of Oil & Gas, Department of Natural Resources, provided full-color handouts, gave an overview of the division, and answered members' questions.

DAN ZOBRIST, Petroleum Economist, Division of Oil and Gas, Department of Natural Resources, answered members' questions via teleconference.

WILLIAM NEBESKY, Petroleum Economist, Division of Oil and Gas, Department of Natural Resources, answered members' questions via teleconference.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHAIR OGAN encouraged members to look at the division's home page on the Internet at www.dog.dnr.state.ak.us/oil/welcome.htm. He also asked members to familiarize themselves with the

relevant statutes in Titles 38 and 41 as well as the administrative code in 11 AAC.

COMMITTEE ACTION

REPRESENTATIVE DYSON nominated Representative Fate to be vice chair of the House Special Committee on Oil and Gas; there being no objection, it was so ordered.

CHAIR OGAN appointed a subcommittee consisting of Representative Fate, chair; Representative Joule; and Representative Dyson. He charged the subcommittee with looking at the feasibility of delivering natural gas to villages along the Yukon River, assuming that an LNG [liquefied natural gas] line is built.

ADJOURNMENT

CHAIR OGAN adjourned the House Special Committee on Oil and Gas meeting at 12 p.m.

NOTE: The meeting was recorded and handwritten log notes were taken. A copy of the tape(s) and log notes may be obtained by contacting the House Records Office at State Capitol, Room 3, Juneau, Alaska 99801 (mailing address), (907) 465-2214, and after adjournment of the second session of the Twenty-Second Alaska State Legislature this information may be obtained by contacting the Legislative Reference Library at (907) 465-3808.