

**ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE
JOINT MEETING
HOUSE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES
STANDING COMMITTEE
HOUSE FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

February 4, 2003

3:02 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT

HOUSE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Representative Peggy Wilson, Chair
Representative Carl Gatto, Vice Chair
Representative Cheryll Heinze
Representative Paul Seaton
Representative Kelly Wolf
Representative Sharon Cissna

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Representative Peggy Wilson
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MEMBERS ABSENT

HOUSE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Representative Mary Kapsner

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Representative Mike Hawker, Chair
Representative Mike Chenault
Representative John Coghill
Representative Bruce Weyhrauch
Representative Reggie Joule

COMMITTEE CALENDAR

OVERVIEW: DIVISION OF FAMILY AND YOUTH SERVICES

OVERVIEW: DIVISION OF JUVENILE JUSTICE

TAPES

03-7, SIDE(S) A & B [HOUSE HES TAPES]

03-8, SIDE(S) A

CHAIR PEGGY WILSON convened the joint meeting of the House Health, Education and Social Services Standing Committee and the House Finance Subcommittee on Health and Social Services at 3:02 p.m. Present at the call to order from the House Health, Education and Social Services Standing Committee were Representatives Wilson, Gatto, Seaton, and Wolf. Representatives Cissna, and Heinze arrived as the meeting was in progress. Present at the call to order from the House Finance Subcommittee on Health and Social Services was Representative Wilson. Representative Cissna arrived as the meeting was in progress.

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

OVERVIEW: DIVISION OF FAMILY & YOUTH SERVICES

TOM CHERIAN, Acting Director, Division of Family and Youth Services, Department of Health and Social Services, presented an overview of the division and answered questions from the committee members.

JOANNE GIBBENS, Program Administrator, Division of Family and Youth Services, Department of Health and Social Services, also presented an overview of the division and answered questions from the committee members. A written/slide presentation entitled: "Protecting Alaska's Children from Abuse & Neglect" was handed out.

OVERVIEW: DIVISION OF JUVENILE JUSTICE

PATTY WARE, Acting Director, Division of Juvenile Justice, Department of Health and Social Services, presented an overview of the division and answered questions from the committee members. Ms. Ware presented a handout entitled: "We Realize Our Mission Through: Probation Services, Juvenile Detention and Treatment Facilities, and Community Based Programs."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There were no announcements.

COMMITTEE ACTION

The committee took no action.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the committee, the joint meeting between the House Health, Education and Social Services Standing Committee and the House Finance Subcommittee on Health and Social Services was adjourned at 4:44 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-Third Alaska State Legislature this information may be obtained by contacting the Legislative Reference Library at (907) 465-3808.