

ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE
SENATE COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES
February 21, 2003
9:50 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Senator Gene Therriault, Chair
Senator Ben Stevens
Senator Gary Wilken
Senator Johnny Ellis
Senator Bettye Davis

MEMBERS ABSENT

All Members Present

COMMITTEE CALENDAR

Modifications to the Committee on Committees Report dated January 21, 2003.

ACTION NARRATIVE

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CHAIR GENE THERRIAULT called the Senate Committee on Committees meeting to order at 9:50 a.m. All members were present. He announced that the committee would address modifications to the Committee on Committees Report dated January 21, 2003, due to the upcoming appointment of Representative Gary Stevens to the seat vacated by Senator Austerman.

CHAIR THERRIAULT explained the changes as follows:

Senator Taylor will hold a seat on the Senate Finance Committee.

Senator Gary Stevens will replace Senator Taylor as Chair of the Senate State Affairs Committee and will take Senator Austerman's vacated seat on the Senate Labor and Commerce and Community and Regional Affairs Committees.

In addition, the committee has designated vice-chairs in all standing committees.

SENATOR ELLIS noted that Senator Gary Stevens has not been sworn

in as of this time and asked if the new appointments are pending his swearing in.

CHAIR THERRIAULT said that is correct and told members that Governor Murkowski's appointment letter will be read under Reports of Standing Committees, along with a letter of acceptance from the Senate Majority.

SENATOR BEN STEVENS moved to adopt the Committee on Committees Report dated February 21, 2003.

CHAIR THERRIAULT announced that without objection, the Report was adopted and would be transmitted to the full Senate for consideration today. With no further business to come before the committee, he adjourned the meeting at 9:53 a.m.