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Twenty-fifth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the Senate was called to order by President Stevens at 2:07 p.m.

The roll showed twelve members present. Senators Davis, Olson, Seekins were excused from a call of the Senate. Senators Bunde, Cowdery, French, Green, Therriault were absent.

The prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Amanda Green. Senator Hoffman moved and asked unanimous consent that the prayer be spread. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Oh God,

Please be with us today as we deliberate and debate. Guide our hearts, our minds and our mouths that we may do Your will.

Grant us strength of conviction and flexibility in our thinking. Allow us to be respectful of one another even as our ideas diverge and give us the patience to listen and understand those whose views differ.

Amen.

Senator Guess led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Certification

Senator Gary Stevens moved and asked unanimous consent that the journals for the twenty-third and twenty-fourth legislative days be approved as certified by the Secretary. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Messages from the Governor

HB 57

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on August 4 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 57(FIN) "An Act relating to the sale of certain state land to adjacent landowners."

Chapter 99, SLA 2006 Effective Date: 11/2/06

HB 304

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on August 4 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 304(FIN) am "An Act relating to the commercial fishing loan program; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 100, SLA 2006 Effective Date: 8/5/06

HB 316

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on August 4 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing: August 5, 2006 3713

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 316(JUD) "An Act extending the termination date for the Board of Governors of the Alaska Bar Association; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 101, SLA 2006 Effective Date: 8/5/06

HB 419

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on August 4 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

HOUSE BILL NO. 419 "An Act repealing the Board of Storage Tank Assistance, the underground storage tank revolving loan fund, and the tank cleanup loan program; repealing certain reporting requirements relating to underground petroleum storage tank systems; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 102, SLA 2006 Effective Date: 8/5/06

HB 442

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on August 4 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 442(JUD) am "An Act relating to the validity of advance health care directives, individual health care instructions, and do not resuscitate orders; relating to the revocation of advance health care directives; relating to do not resuscitate orders; relating to resuscitative measures; relating to the liability and discipline of health care providers, institutions, and facilities; relating to proceedings for judicial relief; relating to an individual's capacity for making health care decisions; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 103, SLA 2006 Effective Date: See Chapter

HB 414

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on August 4 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CONFERENCE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 414(Corrected) "An Act relating to the interception of the private communications of a minor."

Chapter 104, SLA 2006 Effective Date: 11/2/06

HB 338

Message was read stating the Governor signed the following bill on August 4 and transmitted the engrossed and enrolled copies to the Lieutenant Governor's Office for permanent filing:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 338(L&C) "An Act relating to applications, qualifications, and criminal history and background checks for a certificate of fitness for explosives handlers; and providing for an effective date."

Chapter 105, SLA 2006 Effective Date: 8/5/06

Special Committee Reports

SB 3002

The Special Committee on Natural Gas Development considered SENATE BILL NO. 3002 "An Act relating to the Alaska Stranded Gas Development Act; relating to municipal impact money received under the terms of a stranded gas fiscal contract; relating to determination of full and true value of property and required contributions for education in municipalities affected by stranded gas fiscal contracts; and providing for an effective date" and recommended it be replaced with

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CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 3002(NGD) "An Act amending the time allowed under the Alaska Stranded Gas Development Act for the commissioner of revenue to summarize public comments, propose amendments, if any, and make findings and a determination; and providing for an effective date."

Signing do pass: Senator Seekins, Chair; Senators Ben Stevens, Hoffman, Dyson, Elton, Kookesh, Stedman, Wagoner, Olson. Signing no recommendation: Senator Wilken.

The following previously published fiscal information applies: Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Revenue Fiscal Note No. 2, zero, Department of Natural Resources

The bill is on today's calendar.

Consideration of the Calendar

Second Reading of Senate Bills

SB 3002

SENATE BILL NO. 3002 "An Act relating to the Alaska Stranded Gas Development Act; relating to municipal impact money received under the terms of a stranded gas fiscal contract; relating to determination of full and true value of property and required contributions for education in municipalities affected by stranded gas fiscal contracts; and providing for an effective date" was read the second time.

Senator Gary Stevens moved and asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the Special Committee on Natural Gas Development Committee Substitute offered on page 3715. Without objection, CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 3002(NGD) "An Act amending the time allowed under the Alaska Stranded Gas Development Act for the commissioner of revenue to summarize public comments, propose amendments, if any, and make findings and a determination; and providing for an effective date" was adopted.

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President Stevens stated CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 3002(NGD) will be on the August 7 calendar.

Announcements

Announcements are at the end of the journal.

Adjournment

Senator Gary Stevens moved and asked unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment until 11:00 a.m., August 7, 2006. Without objection, the Senate adjourned at 2:13 p.m.

Kirsten Waid Secretary of the Senate August 5, 2006 3717

Announcements

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SPECIAL COMMITTEES

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON NATURAL GAS DEV

Aug 06	Sunday	Senate Finance 532	1:30 PM
+ HB3001	Meeting Canceled OIL/GAS PROD. TAX <pending referral=""></pending>		
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