

ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE
HOUSE LABOR AND COMMERCE STANDING COMMITTEE

March 24, 2006

3:45 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Representative Tom Anderson, Chair
Representative Pete Kott
Representative Gabrielle LeDoux
Representative Bob Lynn
Representative Harry Crawford
Representative David Guttenberg

MEMBERS ABSENT

Representative Norman Rokeberg

COMMITTEE CALENDAR

HOUSE BILL NO. 227

"An Act relating to the Alaska Small Loans Act; and providing for an effective date."

- MOVED CSHB 227(L&C) OUT OF COMMITTEE

HOUSE BILL NO. 350

"An Act relating to enforcement of insurance unfair claim settlement practices by a person affected by a violation; permitting penalties for a single-act unfair claim settlement practice; and providing for an effective date."

- BILL HEARING POSTPONED

PREVIOUS COMMITTEE ACTION

BILL: HB 227

SHORT TITLE: ALASKA SMALL LOANS ACT

SPONSOR(s): LABOR & COMMERCE

03/21/05	(H)	READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS
03/21/05	(H)	L&C, JUD
04/01/05	(H)	L&C AT 3:15 PM CAPITOL 17
04/01/05	(H)	Bill Postponed
04/04/05	(H)	L&C AT 3:15 PM CAPITOL 17
04/04/05	(H)	Scheduled But Not Heard
04/13/05	(H)	L&C AT 3:15 PM CAPITOL 17

04/13/05	(H)	Heard & Held
04/13/05	(H)	MINUTE(L&C)
03/03/06	(H)	L&C AT 3:15 PM CAPITOL 17
03/03/06	(H)	<Bill Hearing Canceled>
03/17/06	(H)	L&C AT 3:15 PM CAPITOL 17
03/17/06	(H)	Scheduled But Not Heard
03/24/06	(H)	L&C AT 3:15 PM LOCATION TBA

WITNESS REGISTER

JOSH APPLEBEE, Staff
to Representative Anderson
Alaska State Legislature
POSITION STATEMENT: As the committee aide for the House Labor and Commerce Standing Committee, sponsor, answered questions regarding HB 227, Version Y.

ACTION NARRATIVE

CHAIR TOM ANDERSON called the House Labor and Commerce Standing Committee meeting to order at [3:45:51 PM](#). Representatives Anderson, Kott, LeDoux, Lynn, Crawford, and Guttenberg were present at the call to order.

HB 227-ALASKA SMALL LOANS ACT

CHAIR ANDERSON announced that the only order of business would be HOUSE BILL NO. 227, "An Act relating to the Alaska Small Loans Act; and providing for an effective date."

CHAIR ANDERSON indicated that the committee packet includes a document listing the changes embodied in Version 24-LS0599\Y, Bannister, 3/9/06. He asked if the committee had any questions in regard to Version Y.

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JOSH APPLEBEE, Staff to Representative Anderson, Alaska State Legislature, as the committee aide for the House Labor and Commerce Standing Committee, sponsor, reminded the committee that during the last hearing on HB 227 the real estate industry expressed concerns. [Version Y] exempts the real estate industry from this legislation and the two bills addressing mortgage lenders and mortgage brokers are being worked on separately. In response to Chair Anderson, Mr. Applebee

confirmed that the real estate industry is satisfied with Version Y.

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CHAIR ANDERSON moved to adopt CSHB 227, Version 24-LS0599\I, Bannister, 3/17/06, as the working document. There being no objection, Version I was before the committee.

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MR. APPLEBEE, in response to Chair Anderson, specified that the next committee of referral for HB 227 is the House Judiciary Standing Committee.

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REPRESENTATIVE KOTT moved to report CSHB 227, Version 24-LS0599\I, Bannister, 3/17/06, out of committee with individual recommendations and the accompanying fiscal note. There being no objection, CSHB 227(L&C) was reported from the House Labor and Commerce Standing Committee.

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ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the committee, the House Labor and Commerce Standing Committee meeting was adjourned at 3:48 p.m.