

**ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE**  
**SENATE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES STANDING COMMITTEE**

May 6, 2005

1:33 p.m.

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Senator Fred Dyson, Chair  
Senator Gary Wilken, Vice Chair  
Senator Kim Elton  
Senator Donny Olson

**MEMBERS ABSENT**

Senator Lyda Green

**COMMITTEE CALENDAR**

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 16(RLS)

"An Act relating to funding for school districts operating secondary school boarding programs, to funding for school districts from which boarding students come, and to the effectiveness of district secondary school boarding programs; and providing for an effective date."

MOVED CSHB 16(RLS) OUT OF COMMITTEE

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11

Proclaiming July 24, 2005, as Parents' Day.

MOVED HCR 11 OUT OF COMMITTEE

SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 167

"An Act relating to selection of textbooks and curriculum materials by a public school district or regional attendance area and annulling a regulation relating to statewide correspondence study programs."

HEARD AND HELD

**PREVIOUS COMMITTEE ACTION**

BILL: HB 16

SHORT TITLE: SCHOOL FUNDS RELATED TO BOARDING SCHOOLS

SPONSOR(S): REPRESENTATIVE(S) COGHILL

01/10/05	(H)	PREFILE RELEASED 12/30/04
01/10/05	(H)	READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS
01/10/05	(H)	EDU, HES, FIN
02/24/05	(H)	EDU AT 11:00 AM CAPITOL 106

02/24/05 (H) -- Meeting Canceled --  
 03/01/05 (H) EDU AT 11:00 AM CAPITOL 106  
 03/01/05 (H) Moved Out of Committee  
 03/01/05 (H) MINUTE(EDU)  
 03/03/05 (H) EDU RPT 3DP 2NR  
 03/03/05 (H) DP: SALMON, WILSON, NEUMAN;  
 03/03/05 (H) NR: GATTO, THOMAS  
 03/08/05 (H) HES AT 3:00 PM CAPITOL 106  
 03/08/05 (H) Moved Out of Committee  
 03/08/05 (H) MINUTE(HES)  
 03/09/05 (H) HES RPT 6DP  
 03/09/05 (H) DP: CISSNA, GARDNER, ANDERSON, MCGUIRE,  
 SEATON, WILSON  
 03/30/05 (H) FIN AT 1:30 PM HOUSE FINANCE 519  
 03/30/05 (H) <Bill Hearing Postponed>  
 04/04/05 (H) FIN AT 1:30 PM HOUSE FINANCE 519  
 04/04/05 (H) Heard & Held  
 04/04/05 (H) MINUTE(FIN)  
 04/05/05 (H) FIN AT 1:30 PM HOUSE FINANCE 519  
 04/05/05 (H) Moved Out of Committee  
 04/05/05 (H) MINUTE(FIN)  
 04/06/05 (H) FIN RPT 5DP 4NR 1AM  
 04/06/05 (H) DP: FOSTER, CROFT, MOSES, MEYER,  
 CHENAULT;  
 04/06/05 (H) NR: HOLM, STOLTZE, WEYHRAUCH, KELLY;  
 04/06/05 (H) AM: HAWKER  
 04/13/05 (H) RLS AT 8:30 AM CAPITOL 106  
 04/13/05 (H) Moved CSHB 16(RLS) Out of Committee  
 04/13/05 (H) MINUTE(RLS)  
 04/14/05 (H) RLS RPT CS(RLS) NT 5DP  
 04/14/05 (H) DP: HARRIS, KOHRING, COGHILL, KERTTULA,  
 ROKEBERG  
 04/14/05 (H) RETURNED TO RULES COMMITTEE  
 04/18/05 (H) TRANSMITTED TO (S)  
 04/18/05 (H) VERSION: CSHB 16(RLS)  
 04/19/05 (S) READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS  
 04/19/05 (S) HES, FIN  
 04/25/05 (S) HES AT 2:00 PM BUTROVICH 205  
 04/25/05 (S) Heard & Held  
 04/25/05 (S) MINUTE(HES)  
 05/06/05 (S) HES AT 1:30 PM BUTROVICH 205

BILL: HCR 11

SHORT TITLE: PARENTS' DAY

SPONSOR(S): REPRESENTATIVE(S) CISSNA

04/22/05 (H) READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS

04/22/05 (H) HES  
04/26/05 (H) HES AT 3:00 PM CAPITOL 106  
04/26/05 (H) Moved Out of Committee  
04/26/05 (H) MINUTE(HES)  
04/27/05 (H) HES RPT 4DP  
04/27/05 (H) DP: CISSNA, GARDNER, ANDERSON, WILSON  
05/02/05 (H) TRANSMITTED TO (S)  
05/02/05 (H) VERSION: HCR 11  
05/03/05 (S) READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS  
05/03/05 (S) HES  
05/06/05 (S) HES AT 1:30 PM BUTROVICH 205

BILL: SB 167

SHORT TITLE: TEXTBOOKS & CURRICULUM MATERIALS

SPONSOR(S): SENATOR(S) DYSON

04/08/05 (S) READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS  
04/08/05 (S) HES, JUD  
04/18/05 (S) HES AT 1:30 PM BUTROVICH 205  
04/18/05 (S) Heard & Held  
04/18/05 (S) MINUTE(HES)  
05/03/05 (S) SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE INTRODUCED-REFERRALS  
05/03/05 (S) HES  
05/06/05 (S) HES AT 1:30 PM BUTROVICH 205

**WITNESS REGISTER**

REPRESENTATIVE SHARON CISSNA

Alaska State Capitol

Juneau, AK 99801-1182

**POSITION STATEMENT:** Introduced HCR 11

**ACTION NARRATIVE**

**CHAIR FRED DYSON** called the Senate Health, Education and Social Services Standing Committee meeting to order at [1:33:06 PM](#). Present were Senators Donny Olson, Kim Elton, Gary Wilken and Chair Fred Dyson.

**HB 16-SCHOOL FUNDS RELATED TO BOARDING SCHOOLS**

[1:33:46 PM](#)

CHAIR DYSON announced HB 16 to be up for consideration

SENATOR WILKEN moved CSHB 16(RLS) out of committee with individual recommendations and attached fiscal notes. Hearing no objections, the motion carried.

**SB 167-TEXTBOOKS & CURRICULUM MATERIALS**

[1:34:46 PM](#)

CHAIR DYSON announced SB 167 to be up for consideration. He informed committee members that he had a sponsor substitute that he would like adopted. It is a significant change to the bill.

SENATOR WILKEN moved to adopt Version \F as the working document before the committee. Hearing no objections, the motion carried.

CHAIR DYSON held SB 167 in committee.

**HCR 11-PARENTS' DAY**

[1:36:12 PM](#)

REPRESENTATIVE SHARON CISSNA introduced HCR 11 by saying: this bill sets aside July 24, 2005 as Parent's Day. The reason for doing this is that this is a national effort and a national day to celebrate parents. The process for a number of years has been that there is a group of faith-based community advocates for parenting that have picked a parent of the year and a runner up after which there is a large picnic and lots of celebration. The committee would like to make it a much larger effort to get parents across the state recognized and highlight the wonderful place that parents play in our society.

SENATOR WILKEN offered to co-sponsor the bill.

SEANTOR WILKEN moved HCR 11 out of committee with attached recommendations and no fiscal notes. Hearing no objections, the motion carried.

There being no further business to come before the committee, Chair Dyson adjourned the meeting at [1:39:42 PM](#).