

26th ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE
2nd SESSION
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HB 300 and HB 302
April 18, 2010

CALL TO ORDER

Representative Hoffman called the Conference Committee meeting on HB 300 and HB 302 to order at [10:59:34 AM](#)

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Senate:

Senator Lyman Hoffman
Senator Bert Stedman, Member
Senator Joe Thomas, Member

House:

Representative Mike Hawker,
Representative Kevin Meyer, Member
Representative Les Gara, Member

ALSO PRESENT

David Teal, Director, Legislative Finance Division; fiscal analysts with the Office of Management and Budget and Legislative Finance Division; and aides to committee members and other members of the Legislature.

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SUMMARY

CSHB 300(FIN)

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government, for certain programs, and to capitalize funds; and providing for an effective date."

CSHB 302(FIN)

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and capital expenses of the state's integrated comprehensive mental health program; and providing for an effective date."

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"An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government, for certain programs, and to capitalize funds; and providing for an effective date."

Senate CS for CSHB 302(FIN)

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and capital expenses of the state's integrated comprehensive mental health program; and providing for an effective date."

[10:59:52 AM](#)

OIL AND GAS

Vice-Chair Hawker MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following items for Oil and Gas:

Item 3 - House; Item 11 - Senate minus \$400 and minus 2 permanent full time positions.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

[11:00:45 AM](#)

LANGUAGE

Chairman Hoffman noted that a language difference was omitted from the motion sheet. The House version of the bill stated that a transfer of money from the earnings reserve account to the Permanent Fund Dividend does not lapse. The Senate version omits the reference so the transfer to the Permanent Fund would lapse on June 30, 2011. The difference is shown as Item 14 on the language motion sheet.

[11:01:00 AM](#)

Co-Chair Hawker MOVED that the committee reopen the language section of the bill.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

Co-Chair Hawker MOVED to ADOPT the House version of Item 14.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

[11:02:33 AM](#)

FISCAL NOTES

Vice-Chair Hawker MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following fiscal notes "FY11 Fiscal Notes- Conference Committee, April 17, 2010 (copy on file).

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

Chairman Hoffman thanked the House members for their work on the Conference Committee. He believed that the balance of the budget will serve the citizens of the state.

Co-Chair Stoltze acknowledged his colleagues for the hard work on the budgeting process. Representative Gara and Co-Chair Hawker echoed the sentiment.

Vice-Chair Hawker MOVED that the Committee give authorization to Legislative Finance and Alaska Legislative Legal Division to make any necessary technical and conforming amendments on the two bills and that the Committee report out of Committee CS for HB 300 and HB 302.

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ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at

[11:04:25 AM](#)