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Juneau, Alaska **Monday** **February 21, 2011**
Thirty-fifth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Chenault at 11:04 a.m.

Roll call showed 36 members present. Representative Thompson had been excused from a call of the House today. Representatives Hawker and Seaton were absent.

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that Representative Cissna be excused from a call of the House from today to 6:00 p.m., February 23. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, the Reverend Dr. Paul Beran, Pastor Emeritus of Resurrection Lutheran Church. Representative P. Wilson moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

I invite each of us to a time of silence, inner reflection, and prayer in our own way.

Gracious God, on this Presidents' Day, we remember and give you thanks for those leaders who put their nation ahead of themselves. We are thankful for the privilege, honor, and responsibility of being representatives in this unique and diverse state of Alaska. This morning and every day lift our vision way beyond the next election to the people and the needs of our state. As we seek to give wise leadership, give

us that integrity that enables us to hear that still small voice within and the courage to heed it. This I pray in the name of the One who came not to be served, but to serve - Jesus the Christ. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Johansen.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 32nd, 33rd, and 34th legislative days be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

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Representative Munoz introduced Hannah Everett, Guest Page, from Juneau.

COMMUNICATIONS

Letters of disclosure, as required by AS 24.60, were published in House Journal Supplement No. 1 and House and Senate Joint Journal Supplement No. 2.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES

HB 120

The House Special Committee on Economic Development, Trade, & Tourism considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 120

"An Act creating a new markets tax credit assistance guarantee and loan program within the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority; and providing for an effective date."

The report was signed by Representative Herron, Chair, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (3): Thompson, Foster, Herron

No recommendation (3): Gardner, Olson, Tuck

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

1. Zero, Dept. of Commerce, Community, & Economic Development

HB 120 was referred to the Finance Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

The following citation was introduced and referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar:

Honoring - Peggy Barry

By Senator Dyson

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 165

HOUSE BILL NO. 165 by Representative Kerttula, entitled:

"An Act adding to the powers and duties of the State Commission for Human Rights; and relating to and prohibiting discrimination based on sexual orientation."

was read the first time and referred to the State Affairs and Judiciary Committees.

CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR

LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the House approve the citations on the calendar. There being no objection, the following citations were approved and sent to enrolling:

Honoring - Steve Nerland

By Representatives Stoltze, Chenault, Cissna, Costello, Dick, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Feige, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Miller, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Thomas, Thompson, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson

Honoring - Mat-Su Miners Baseball Team, 2010 Alaska Baseball League Champions

By Representatives Stoltze, Chenault, Cissna, Costello, Dick, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Feige, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Miller, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Thomas, Thompson, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson

Honoring - The Wasilla High School Wrestling Team, 2010 State Champions

By Representatives Stoltze, Chenault, Cissna, Costello, Dick, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Feige, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Miller, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Thomas, Thompson, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson

In Memoriam - Gertrude Dorsey Gardner

By Senator Davis; Representatives Chenault, Cissna, Costello, Dick, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Feige, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Miller, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Thomas, Thompson, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson

In Memoriam - Gladstone Albert Shaw

By Senator Davis; Representatives Chenault, Cissna, Costello, Dick, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Feige, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Miller, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Thomas, Thompson, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson

In Memoriam - Delbert Ray Moss

By Senator Coghill; Representatives Chenault, Cissna, Costello, Dick, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Feige, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Keller, Kerttula, Lynn, Miller, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Thomas, Thompson, Tuck, P. Wilson, T. Wilson

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the following members be excused from a call of the House. There being no objection, the members were excused as noted:

Representative Edgmon – from 11:00 a.m., February 24 to 8:00 p.m., March 4

Representative Feige – from noon, February 26 to 10:00 p.m., February 27

Representative Gatto – from 11:00 a.m., February 25 to 10:00 p.m., March 6

Representative Herron – from 11:30 a.m., February 24 to 9:00 p.m., February 27

Representative Johnson – from 11:30 a.m., February 25 to 10:00 a.m., February 28

Representative Keller – from noon to 5:30 p.m., February 25

Representative Neuman – from 6:00 p.m., February 25 to 10:30 a.m., February 28

Representative Pruitt – from 6:30 p.m., February 24 to 9:30 p.m., February 27

HCR 5

Representative Millett added her name as cosponsor to:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5
Relating to prevention of disease and to vitamin D.

SB 33

Representative Thomas added his name as cross sponsor to:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 33(STA)

"An Act relating to the disposition of remains of a member of the armed forces if the member dies while in a duty status."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

House committee schedules are published under separate cover.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:30 a.m., February 23, 2011. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 11:42 a.m.

Suzi Lowell
Chief Clerk