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Ninth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Chenault at 10:33 a.m.

Roll call showed 37 members present. Representative Gatto had been excused from a call of the House today. Representatives Holmes and Pruitt were absent.

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, Representative Petersen. Representative P. Wilson moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

With the greatest respect for all beliefs, I offer the following prayer.

Dear Lord, who made this beautiful land that we call Alaska, help provide guidance to us public servants to do our best to preserve what you have created for us all. Teach us to be open-minded to others' points of view so we may find the best solutions to our problems. Make us better listeners so we may understand each other better and therefore serve our constituents better. Help us to keep our hearts open to all people from all walks of life so we may not judge anyone because we have heard your word when you said, "Let he who is without sin cast the first stone!" Help us to find our way through the great maze that we know as our modern world so

we may reach the promised land that you have awaiting all of us. I ask this in your name. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Guttenberg.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the eighth legislative day of the first special session be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR

LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS

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

In Memoriam – Thomas Anthony Busch

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following meeting today was changed:

Finance Committee

CHANGED TO:

Call of the Chair

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the House would revert to Messages from the Senate.

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the House would recess to a Call of the Chair; and so, the House recessed at 10:41 a.m.

AFTER RECESS

The Speaker called the House back to order at 12:07 p.m.

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT**HR 8**

The following was engrossed and enrolled, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and the engrossed and enrolled copies were transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 4:52 p.m., April 25, 2011.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 8

Opposing the designation by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration of 3,016 square miles of upper Cook Inlet and Kachemak Bay as critical habitat for beluga whales.

House Resolve No. 8

ANNOUNCEMENTS

With appointment of the Conference Committee on the operating budget, Rule 23(d) of the Uniform Rules is in effect as of April 6, 2011.

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., April 27, 2011. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 12:08 p.m.

Suzi Lowell
Chief Clerk