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Eleventh Day

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Chenault at 10:37 a.m.

Roll call showed 28 members present. Representatives Gardner, Hawker, and Johnson had been excused from a call of the House today.

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 Fairclough – from today to 10:30 a.m., May 2

Representative Costello – from today to 10:30 a.m., May 2

Representative Millett – from today to 9:00 p.m., April 29

Representative Petersen – from today to 10:30 a.m., May 1

Representative Tuck – from today to 10:30 a.m., May 1

Representative Edgmon – from today to 9:00 p.m., May 1

Representative Joule – from today to 9:00 p.m., May 1

Representative Neuman – from today to 10:00 a.m., May 2

Representative Stoltze – from today to 2:00 p.m., May 1

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

Dear Heavenly Father,

We thank you for this day, beautiful as it is with the sun shining so bright. Let us remember the many that are in different situations from us. Let us remember that even though we are here and would rather be home that others are in much more difficult circumstances than we are. Last night and actually for the last several nights, tornadoes have ripped through the lower 48 leaving havoc and death in their wake. Be with all who have lost loved ones or property. Help them, Lord, to have a heart of rebuilding and faith to continue ahead with their lives. Help them turn to you in their suffering. Help them find help in their need and comfort in their loss.

Be with our troopers and our troops wherever they are led. Keep them safe and guide each footstep and each direction they take. We are so fortunate to be here safe from all harm and that our challenges are minor compared to the ones across the country and world.

Help us be thankful for where we are today and to realize that you are in control of all situations in our lives. May we turn to you for guidance, and may we learn the lesson we are to learn so we can go on to the next learning experience knowing that through it all we have learned and gained knowledge and understanding for the next step we are to take in our lives.

Thank you, Lord, for the beautiful day and help us to live this day in joy and excitement, in thankfulness for our situation and hope for the future. In your name we pray. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Holmes.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Austerman moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 10th legislative day of the first special session be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

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

In Memoriam – Angayuqaq Oscar Kawagley
By Senator Hoffman; Representative Herron

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:

Honoring – Susan McLean

By Senator French; Representatives Chenault, Austerman, Cissna, Costello, Dick, Doogan, Edgmon, Fairclough, Feige, Foster, Gara, Gardner, Gatto, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Holmes, Johansen, Johnson, Joule, Kawasaki, Kerttula, Lynn, Miller, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Petersen, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Stoltze, 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 Feige – from 6:30 p.m., April 29 to 9:30 p.m., May 2

Representative Gara – from 6:00 a.m., April 29 to 10:00 a.m., May 2

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Representative Kawasaki – from 5:00 a.m., May 19 to midnight, May 22; and from 11:00 a.m., May 31 to 2:00 a.m., June 6

Representative Olson – from 6:00 a.m., April 29 to 9:30 p.m., May 1

Representative Herron – from 6:00 a.m., April 29 to 9:30 p.m., May 2

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 29, 2011. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 10:51 a.m.

Suzi Lowell
Chief Clerk