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Twenty-fourth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the Senate was called to order by President Stevens at 1:01 p.m.

The roll showed eighteen members present. Senators Dyson, French were excused from a call of the Senate.

The prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Joshua White. Senator Hoffman moved and asked unanimous consent that the prayer be spread. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Father, Mother, Creator,

We thank you for this day and all its glory. For a day as grand as this clearly shines light on the inherent good in the world.

We ask for the power, strength and wisdom to receive your light; to see and brighten ourselves, so we too, can shine our light on the world.

Amen.

Senator Menard led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Certification

Senator Meyer moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the twenty-third legislative day be approved as certified by the Secretary. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Communications

The following report is on file in the Office of the Secretary of the Senate:

Alaska Labor Relations Agency 2010 Annual Report
from Mark Torgerson, Administrator and Hearing Examiner
in accordance with AS 23.05.370(a)(4)

Unfinished Business**Special Order of Business**

Senator Meyer moved and asked unanimous consent that the following Citation Calendar be made a special order of business. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Citation Calendar

Honoring - Kinross Fort Knox Mine and Its Employees, For Producing Five Million Ounces of Gold

Senator(s) Thomas, Stevens, Coghill, Davis, Dyson, Egan, Ellis, Giessel, Hoffman, Huggins, Kookesh, McGuire, Menard, Meyer, Olson, Paskvan, Stedman, Wagoner, Wielechowski

Honoring - Captain Carl Uchtyl, On the Occasion of His Retirement
Representative(s) Pruitt

Senator(s) Davis, Stevens, Coghill, Dyson, Egan, Ellis, Giessel, Hoffman, Huggins, Kookesh, McGuire, Menard, Meyer, Olson, Paskvan, Stedman, Thomas, Wagoner, Wielechowski

Honoring - ChangePoint Church's Downtown Soup Kitchen
Representative(s) Tuck

Senator(s) Meyer, Stevens, Coghill, Davis, Dyson, Egan, Ellis, Giessel, Hoffman, Huggins, Kookesh, McGuire, Menard, Olson, Paskvan, Stedman, Thomas, Wagoner, Wielechowski

In Memoriam - Major David L. Brodeur

Representative(s) Saddler

Senator(s) Dyson, Stevens, Coghill, Davis, Egan, Ellis, Giessel, Hoffman, Huggins, Kookesh, McGuire, Menard, Meyer, Olson, Paskvan, Stedman, Thomas, Wagoner, Wielechowski

Senator Meyer moved and asked unanimous consent that the citations be adopted. Without objection, the citations were adopted and referred to the Secretary for transmittal.

Announcements

Rule 23(d) of the Alaska State Legislature Uniform Rules is currently in effect.

Announcements are at the end of the journal.

Adjournment

Senator Meyer moved and asked unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment until 1:00 p.m., May 12, 2011. Without objection, the Senate adjourned at 1:12 p.m.

Kirsten Waid
Secretary of the Senate

Announcements

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STANDING COMMITTEES

+ indicates teleconference
 = indicates bill previously heard/scheduled

FINANCE

May 11	Wednesday	Senate Finance 532	9:00 AM
	-- MEETING CANCELED --		
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
May 12	Thursday	Senate Finance 532	9:00 AM
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		

JOINT COMMITTEES

ALASKA NORTHERN WATERS TASK FORCE

May 17	Tuesday	Bethel	9:00 AM
	-- Meeting Postponed to October --		
+	Hearing in Bethel on Coastal Erosion and Flooding Location: Yukon Kuskokwim Health Corporation Boardroom		
May 18	Wednesday	Anch Lio Conf Rm	9:00 AM
	-- Meeting Postponed to October --		
+	Hearings in Anchorage: Current Research on the Arctic Ocean		
Jul 07	Thursday	Kotzebue	Time TBA
+	Location: Kotzebue Heritage Center		

JOINT COMMITTEES (continued)

ALASKA NORTHERN WATERS TASK FORCE (continued)

Jul 08	Friday	Nome	Time TBA
+	Location: Nome City Chambers		

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

May 12	Thursday	House Finance 519	5:00 PM
+	Sanctioning of a Charitable Event:		
	-Midnight Sun Charity Shoot & Banquet		
	-19th Annual Coal Classic Golf Tournament		
	-2011 Copper River Nouveau		
	IT Subcommittee Report Approvals:		
	-2011 Hardware Refresh		
	-Mobile Device Policy		
	-Legislature Three Year Technology Plan Update		
	-Microsoft Office Upgrades & Email Storage Upgrade		
	ITB 536 - Thomas Stewart Building Door Closers Approval		
	Discovery Preschool LLC Renewal & Report		
	Anchorage Office Space - ACDA Proposal		