

27th ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE
1st SESSION
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HB 108 and HB 109
April 14, 2011

CALL TO ORDER

Representative Hoffman called the Conference Committee meeting on HB 108 and HB 109 to order at

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MEMBERS PRESENT:

Senate:

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

House:

Representative Bill Thomas, Chair
Representative Bill Stoltze, 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.

SUMMARY

HB 108 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS

CCSHB 108(FIN) was HEARD and HELD in Committee for further consideration.

HB 109 APPROP: MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET

CCSHB 109(FIN) was HEARD and HELD in Committee for further consideration.

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#hb109

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 108(FIN)

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and

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 109(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 capital expenses of the state's integrated comprehensive mental health program; and providing for an effective date."

Department of Administration
Department of Commerce, Community and Economic
Development
Department of Corrections
Department of Education and Early Development
Department of Environmental Conservation
Department of Fish and Game
Office of the Governor
Department of Health and Social Services
Department of Labor and Workforce Development
Department of Law
Department of Military and Veterans Affairs
Department of Natural Resources

Department of Public Safety
Department of Revenue
Department of Transportation and Public Facilities
Alaska Court System
Alaska Legislature

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Chairman Thomas noted that the committee had been granted powers of free conference.

Chairman Thomas provided members with recommendations for the Department of Administration.

Department of Administration

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Administration:

Item 1 - House; Item 2 - House; Item 3 - Senate; Item 4 - House; Item 5 - House; Item 6 - House minus \$40 thousand; Item 7 - House; Item 10 - Senate; Item 11 - Senate; Item 12 - House; Item 13 - House; Item 14 - House; Item 15 - Senate minus \$100 thousand; Item 16 - House; Item 17 - House minus \$100 thousand; Item 20 - House. Items 8, 9, 18 and 19 remained open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development:

Item 3 - House; Item 4 - Senate; Item 5 - House. Items 1 and 2 remained open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

Department of Corrections

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Corrections:

Item 2 - Senate; Item 3 - Senate deleting words "current and future;" Item 4 - House; Item 5 - House; Item 6 - Senate; Item 7 - House. Item 1 remained open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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Department of Education and Early Development

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Education and Early Development:

Item 1 - Senate; Item 2 - House; Item 3 - House; Item 4 - Senate; Item 5 - Senate; Item 6 - House; Item 7 - Senate for all three fund sources.

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to change fund sources for Item 8 to provide 40.0 of I/A receipts and 160.0 of Unrestricted GENERAL FUND, for a total of 200.0.

Vice-Chair Hoffman Moved to accept the Senate number for Item 9 of 150.0 with a fund source change to provide 38.0 of GENERAL FUND Mental Health and 112.0 of Mental Health Trust Receipts.

Item 10 - House; Item 11 - House; Items 12 through 20 remain open.

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to include in Item 21 the intent language regarding the Mt. Edgecombe Boarding School in the committee report.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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Department of Environmental Conservation

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Environmental Conservation:

Item 1 - Senate; Item 2 - Senate; Item 3 - Senate for both fund sources; Item 4 - House; Item 5 - House; Item 6 - House.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

Department of Fish and Game

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Fish and Game:

Item 1 - House; Item 2 - Senate; Item 3 - Senate; Item 4 - Senate; Item 5 - Senate; Item 6 - House; Item 7 - House; Item 8 - House; Item 9 - House; Item 10 - House; Item 11 - House; Item 12 - House; Item 13 - House; Item 14 - House; Item 20 - Senate; Item 21 - House; Item 22 - Senate; Item 23 - House; Item 24 - Senate; Item 25 - Senate; Item 26 - House; Items 15 through 19 remained open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

Office of the Governor

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Office of the Governor:

Item 1 - House; Item 2 - House, One Time Item (OTI); Item 3 - House.

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Department of Health and Social Services

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Health and Social Services.

Item 1 - Senate; Item 2 - Senate; Item 3 - Senate, OTI; Item 4 - House; Item 7 - House; Item 9 - House; Item 12 - Senate; Item 13 - House for both fund sources; Item 19 - Senate; Item 22 - House; Item 23 - Senate; Item 24 - Senate. Items 5, 6, 8, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20 and 21 remained open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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Department of Labor and Workforce Development

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Labor and Workforce Development:

Item 1 - Senate; Item 3 - Senate; Item 4 - House for both funding sources; Item 5 - Senate; Item 6 - House; Item 7 - House; Items 8 and 9 - Senate for all three funding sources; Item 10 - House. Item 2 remained open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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Department of Law

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Law:

Item 2 - House; Item 3 - House; Item 4 - House; Item 5 - Senate; Item 6 - Senate; Item 7 - Senate minus \$700 thousand. Item 1 remained open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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Department of Military and Veterans Affairs

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs.

Item 1 - House; Item 2 - House; Item 3 - House; Item 4 - House; Item 5 - House; Item 6 - House; Item 7 - Senate.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

Department of Natural Resources

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Natural Resources:

Item 1 - House; Item 2 - Senate; Item 3 - House; Item 4 - Senate; Item 5 - House; Item 6 - House; Item 9 - House; Item 10 - House; Item 11 - House OTI; Item 12 - House; Item 13 - House; Item 14 - House; Item 14 - Senate; Item 16 - Senate; Item 17 - Senate; Item 18 - Senate; Item 19 - Senate; Item 7 and 8 remained open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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Department of Public Safety

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Public Safety:

Item 1 - House; Item 2 - House; Item 3 - House; - Item 5 - Senate; Items 4 and 6 were held open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

Department of Revenue

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Revenue:

Item 1 - Senate; Item 2 - House; Item 3 - House minus \$167 thousand; Item 4 - House; Item 5 - Senate.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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Department of Transportation and Public Facilities

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities:

Item 1 - House; Item 2 - House; Item 3 - Senate; Item 4 - Senate; Item 5 - Senate; Item 6 - House; Item 7 - House; Item 9 - Senate; Item 10 - House; Item 11 - House; Item 12 - Senate; Item 13 - House; Items 8, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 remained open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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Alaska Court System

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Alaska Court System:

Item 1 - House; Item 2 - Senate; Item 4 - House; Item 5 - House; Item 8 - Senate OTI; Item 9 - House; Item 10 - House; Items 3, 6 and 7 remained open.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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Alaska Legislature

Vice-Chair Hoffman MOVED to ADOPT the chairman's recommendation on the following Items for the Alaska Legislature:

Item 1 - Senate; Item 2 - Senate; Item 3 - Senate;
Item 4 - House; Item 5 - Senate; Item 6 - Senate; Item
7 - Senate; Item 8 - Senate; Item 9 - Senate; Item 10
- House.

There being NO OBJECTION, it was so ordered.

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ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 4:27:39 PM