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

Roll call showed 38 members present. Representatives Nageak and Vazquez had been excused from a call of the House today.

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, the Reverend Anna Frank of the Episcopal Diocese of Alaska. Representative Wilson moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Creator *Denauto*, thank you for this sacred circle of leaders who help manage what happens in our state. We have different backgrounds, different ideas and thoughts.

I ask your blessings today. Help us never to forget the poor, the sick, the under privileged who have no voice.

Thank you for the value of working together and the people we represent. We ask all this in your precious name. *Ana Basee*.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Herron.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Millett moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 21st and 22nd legislative days be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

COMMUNICATIONS

The following were received:

Alaska Citizen Review Panel (CRP)
2014 Annual Report
(as required by AS 47.14.255)

Dept. of Health & Social Services
Office of Children's Services
2014 Response to the CRP Annual Report
(as required by AS 47.14.255)

Dept. of Health & Social Services
Statewide Suicide Prevention Council
Alaska State Suicide Prevention Plan, 2012-2017
Annual Implementation Report 2014

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**HCR 3**

The Rules Committee considered:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3
Urging the governor and the attorney general to pursue all legal and legislative options to open the coastal plain of the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge and areas of the Chukchi and Beaufort Seas to oil and gas exploration, development, and production.

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3(RLS)
(same title)

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

Do pass (6): Hawker, Tuck, Chenault, Reinbold, Kreiss-Tomkins, Johnson

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHCR 3(RLS):

1. Zero, House Rules Committee

HCR 3 was returned to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 1

The State Affairs Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1

"An Act declaring the Arctic policy of the state."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 1(EDA)

(same title)

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

Do pass (3): Talerico, Stutes, Lynn

No recommendation (1): Keller

Amend (2): Kreiss-Tomkins, Gruenberg

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 1(EDA):

1. Zero, Dept. of Environmental Conservation
2. Zero, Dept. of Environmental Conservation
3. Zero, Dept. of Health & Social Services
4. Zero, Legislative Agency

HB 1 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

HB 13

The State Affairs Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 13

"An Act requiring notice of the postage required to mail an absentee ballot on the envelope provided by the division of elections for returning an absentee ballot; and repealing the authority to include certain material from a political party in the election pamphlet."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 13(STA)

"An Act repealing the authority to include certain material from a political party in the election pamphlet."

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

Do pass (2): Kreiss-Tomkins, Lynn

Do not pass (1): Keller

No recommendation (2): Talerico, Stutes

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 13(STA):

1. Indeterminate, Office of the Governor

HB 13 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

REPORTS OF SPECIAL COMMITTEES**HJR 13**

The House Special Committee on Military & Veterans' Affairs considered:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13

Urging the United States Department of the Army to maintain the current level of its combat-capable structure in the state and not to

take structural realignment actions with regard to Fort Wainwright and Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson.

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13(MLV)
Urging the United States Department of the Army to maintain and strengthen the current level of its combat-capable structure in the state and not to take structural realignment actions with regard to Fort Wainwright and Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson.

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

Do pass (7): Hughes, Lynn, Colver, LeDoux, Gruenberg, Tuck, Herron

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHJR 13(MLV):

1. Zero, Legislative Agency

HJR 13 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

The following citation was introduced and taken up later as a Special Order of Business:

In Memoriam - Ellen Toll
By Representative Claman; Senator Costello

The following citations were introduced and referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar:

Commemorating - Black History Month 2015
By Representative Tarr

In Memoriam - Lars Spurkland
By Representative Claman; Senator Gardner

In Memoriam - Will Troyer
By Senator Micciche

**INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE
OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS**

HCR 4

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4 by Representative HUGHES:

Relating to the duties of delegates selected by the legislature to attend a convention of the states called under art. V, Constitution of the United States, to consider a countermand amendment to the Constitution of the United States; establishing as a joint committee of the legislature the Delegate Credential Committee and relating to the duties of the committee; providing for an oath for delegates and alternates to a countermand amendment convention; providing for a chair and assistant chair of the state's countermand amendment delegation; providing for the duties of the chair and assistant chair; providing instructions for the selection of a convention president; and providing specific language for the countermand amendment on which the state's convention delegates are authorized by the legislature to vote to approve.

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

HJR 14

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14 by Representative HUGHES:

Making application to the United States Congress to call a convention of the states to propose a countermand amendment to the Constitution of the United States as provided under art. V, Constitution of the United States; and urging the legislatures of the other 49 states to make the same application.

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

**INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE
OF HOUSE BILLS****HB 27**

SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 27 by
Representative GARA, entitled:

"An Act relating to the duties of the Department of Health and Social Services; relating to hearings on and plans for permanent placement of a child in need of aid; relating to school placement and transportation for children in foster care; relating to foster care transition programs; relating to emergency and temporary placement of a child in need of aid; relating to the confidentiality of information regarding child protection; and amending Rule 17.2, Alaska Child in Need of Aid Rules of Procedure."

was read the first time and referred to the Health & Social Services and Judiciary Committees.

HB 101

HOUSE BILL NO. 101 by Representatives HERRON, Edgmon, and Kito, entitled:

"An Act relating to the Alaska Municipal Bond Bank Authority; authorizing the Alaska Municipal Bond Bank Authority to issue bonds or notes for a regional health organization; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the Finance Committee.

HB 102

HOUSE BILL NO. 102 by the House Education Committee, entitled:

"An Act providing for funding of educational services for students in residential psychiatric treatment centers."

was read the first time and referred to the Education and Finance Committees.

HB 103

HOUSE BILL NO. 103 by Representative WILSON, entitled:

"An Act relating to the authority of the Board of Fisheries and the Board of Game to adopt, amend, or repeal regulations."

was read the first time and referred to the House Special Committee on Fisheries and the Resources Committee.

HB 104

HOUSE BILL NO. 104 by Representative TILTON, entitled:

"An Act relating to immunity for a fire department and employees or members of a fire department."

was read the first time and referred to the Community & Regional Affairs and Judiciary Committees.

HB 105

HOUSE BILL NO. 105 by the House Rules Committee by request of the Governor, entitled:

"An Act relating to the programs and bonds of the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority; related to the financing authorization through the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority of a liquefied natural gas production plant and natural gas energy projects and distribution systems in the state; amending and repealing bond authorizations granted to the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority; and providing for an effective date."

was read the first time and referred to the House Special Committee on Energy and the Resources, Labor & Commerce, and Finance Committees.

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

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

The Governor's transmittal letter dated February 10, 2015, follows:

"Dear Speaker Chenault:

Under the authority of Article III, Section 18 of the Alaska Constitution, I am transmitting a bill relating to the programs of the Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority (AIDEA). The bill would increase the dollar amount limitations imposed on AIDEA in bond and loan participation programs. The bill also would amend provisions relating to the authority of AIDEA to advance a liquefied natural gas production plant and natural gas energy projects and distribution systems in the state. Additionally, the bill would repeal eight bond authorizations for AIDEA that it has not used and does not intend to use.

AIDEA is subject to dollar limits that it cannot exceed without obtaining approvals from the Legislature or local governmental bodies. The dollar amount limitations restrict the bonds that AIDEA may issue under its loan participation program or under its development finance program, and they limit the loan participations AIDEA can purchase from its own funds that are not derived from bond proceeds.

The bill would amend AS 44.88.155 to authorize AIDEA to issue up to \$25,000,000 in bonds for loan participations without the necessity of obtaining prior legislative approval. The amendment to AS 44.88.155 also would allow AIDEA to purchase loan participations up to \$25,000,000 out of AIDEA's enterprise development account without the use of bond proceeds. The \$25,000,000 limit established in the bill's amendment is a \$5,000,000 increase over the existing limit now in effect.

The bill also would amend AS 44.88.095(g) to authorize AIDEA to issue up to \$25,000,000 in bonds for development finance projects without the necessity of obtaining prior legislative approval. The \$25,000,000 amount set in this section of the bill is a \$15,000,000 increase over the existing limit now in the statute.

In addition, the bill revises AIDEA's dollar limit on issuing bonds for a project without obtaining a certified resolution from the local governing body or the Regional Resource Advisory Council consenting to the location of the project. The \$10,000,000 limit in the

bill is an increase over the present \$6,000,000 limit in AS 44.88.095(c).

The dollar limits on AIDEA's bonding authority and loan participation purchases were established years ago and have not been adjusted for inflation. AIDEA needs to have its limits increased to keep pace with inflation and to better reflect the current finance market environment. Also, increasing the limits on AIDEA's bonding authority and on its loan participations will allow AIDEA to finance larger projects and thereby better fulfill its mission of promoting economic development in the state. The existing bonding limits imposed on AIDEA have lessened its ability to utilize bonding as a financing tool due to the time it takes to get authorization from the Legislature and to go through the local government approval process.

The bill would amend AIDEA's authorization with respect to financing a liquefied natural gas production facility and affiliated infrastructure. The original enactment (Chap. 26, SLA 2013) authorized AIDEA to provide up to \$275,000,000 in financing under the sustainable energy transmission and supply development (SETS) program for a liquefied natural gas production plant on the North Slope and for a natural gas distribution system in Interior Alaska. The bill would expand the authority to allow for the development, construction, and installation of, and the startup costs of operation and maintenance for, a liquefied natural gas production plant and affiliated infrastructure and natural gas energy projects and distribution systems and affiliated infrastructure in the state. This broadening of AIDEA's authorization would allow AIDEA the flexibility to finance projects designed to address energy needs in the state.

In addition, the bill would repeal eight prior bond authorizations that AIDEA has not used or, in one case, only partially used. These bond authorizations were for projects that did not proceed or that went forward without using bond financing or the full amount of bond financing authorized. The eight bond authorizations the bill would repeal are:

- (1) 1992 authorization to issue \$85,000,000 in bonds for aircraft maintenance facilities at the Anchorage International Airport; AIDEA issued \$28,000,000 in bonds to finance the FedEx

maintenance hangar at the airport, but never issued the remaining \$57,000,000 in authorized bonds, and the \$28,000,000 in bonds AIDEA actually issued have now been fully repaid;

- (2) 1993 authorization, amended in 1996, to issue \$50,000,000 in bonds for bulk commodity port facilities located within Cook Inlet;
- (3) 1993 authorization to issue \$50,000,000 in bonds for a seafood processing facility in Anchorage;
- (4) 1995 authorization to issue \$20,000,000 in bonds to finance the Kodiak rocket launch complex and tracking station;
- (5) 1998 authorization to issue \$80,000,000 in bonds to expand and modify AIDEA's existing port facilities connected to the DeLong Mountain transportation system and to add new facilities to DeLong Mountain transportation system, which serve the Red Dog Mine in the Northwest Arctic Borough;
- (6) 1998 authorization to issue \$30,000,000 in bonds to finance improvements to the Nome port facilities;
- (7) 1998 authorization, amended in 2006, to issue \$25,000,000 in bonds to finance the development of Hatcher Pass in the Matanuska-Susitna Borough; and
- (8) 2004 authorization to issue \$20,000,000 in bonds to finance the development of a port and related facilities at Slate Creek and Cascade Point on Lynn Canal in Southeast Alaska.

Repealing these "stale" authorizations would allow AIDEA to remove them from AIDEA's financial statements and disclosure statements, which would strengthen AIDEA's creditworthiness and its position with the bond-rating agencies and put AIDEA in a better position to proceed with providing financing for a liquefied natural gas production and distribution system and natural gas energy projects and distribution systems in the state.

I urge your prompt and favorable action on this measure.

Sincerely,
/s/
Bill Walker
Governor"

HB 106

HOUSE BILL NO. 106 by the House Rules Committee by request of the Governor, entitled:

"An Act relating to the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act, including jurisdiction by tribunals of the state, registration and proceedings related to support orders from other state tribunals, foreign support orders, foreign tribunals, and certain persons residing in foreign countries; relating to determination of parentage of a child; and providing for an effective date."

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

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

1. Zero, Dept. of Revenue

The Governor's transmittal letter dated February 10, 2015, follows:

"Dear Speaker Chenault:

Under the authority of Article III, Section 18 of the Alaska Constitution, I am transmitting a bill relating to the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act to update Alaska's laws on enforcement of family support orders. The Uniform Interstate Family Support Act (UIFSA) applies to actions relating to the establishment, modification, and enforcement of support orders and the determination of parentage in situations where the parties reside in different states or where one party resides in a foreign country.

In 1995, Alaska adopted the UIFSA (AS 25.25.010 - 25.25.903). In 2008, the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State

Laws (also known as the Uniform Law Commission) approved amendments to UIFSA to incorporate the provisions of the Convention on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance (Convention), concluded at The Hague, November 23, 2007. The Convention contains provisions to establish uniform procedures for the processing of international child support orders.

In order to maintain compliance with federal law and treaty obligations and to continue to qualify for federal funding programs for child support matters, there is a compelling need to update Alaska's statutes this legislative session by adopting the 2008 amendments to the UIFSA.

The proposed bill is limited to amendments needed to integrate the 2008 updates to UIFSA into State law. The amendments must be effective by July 1, 2015, to comply with federal law.

First, the bill would amend the UIFSA to remove the fiction that a "foreign country" is a state of the United States by amending existing text referring to a tribunal of this state to add "or a foreign country."

Second, the proposed bill would provide guidelines relating to the registration, enforcement, and modification of foreign support orders from countries that, like the United States, are parties to the Convention.

A third component of the bill would improve the enforcement of United States child support orders abroad and would ensure that children living in the United States would receive financial support due them from parents, wherever the parents reside.

These amendments would benefit Alaska families by ensuring stable and predictable enforcement of Alaska family support orders in other states and abroad. Additionally, it would ensure that residents of this state would be able to enforce support orders in this state, regardless of where they originated.

Presently, 11 states have enacted the 2008 amendments to the UIFSA; this number will grow considerably this year as other states work to

enact the 2008 amendments. In addition, at least 12 states have introduced legislation this year to enact the 2008 changes; we expect others will follow. This bill has the support of Alaska's child support enforcement agency.

Additional information on the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act 2008 amendments prepared by the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws is available from my staff.

I urge your prompt and favorable action on this measure.

Sincerely,

/s/

Bill Walker
Governor"

The Speaker stated that the House would stand at ease to allow members of the Senate to enter the Chamber; and so, the House stood at ease at 10:52 a.m.

AFTER AT EASE

The Speaker called the House back to order at 11:02 a.m.

JOINT SESSION IN THE HOUSE

In accordance with Uniform Rule 51, Speaker Chenault turned the gavel over to President Meyer who called the joint session to order at 11:03 a.m.

The purpose of the joint session was to hear the State of the Judiciary Address by the Honorable Dana Fabe, Chief Justice of the Alaska Supreme Court.

Senator Coghill moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call of the Senate be waived and all members be shown as present. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Millett moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call of the House be waived and all members be shown as present. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

President Meyer appointed Representative Claman and Senator McGuire to escort the Honorable Dana Fabe to the joint session.

The Senate Sergeant-at-Arms announced the Chief Justice's entrance into the House Chamber.

Chief Justice Fabe was escorted to the rostrum and welcomed by President Meyer.

The Chief Justice delivered her address, and it is published in House and Senate Joint Journal Supplement No. 4.

Chief Justice Fabe received a standing ovation and was escorted from the Chamber by Representative Claman and Senator McGuire.

Senator Coghill moved and asked unanimous consent that the joint session adjourn. There being no objection, President Meyer adjourned the joint session at 11:42 a.m.

The Speaker ordered the House at ease to allow members of the Senate to leave the Chamber.

IN THE HOUSE

The Speaker called the House back to order at 11:57 a.m.

**Representative Kito, who was excused (page 82), left the Chamber.

CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 4

The following, which was advanced to third reading from the February 9, 2015, calendar (page 172), was read the third time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 4

"An Act relating to automated external defibrillators."

The question being: "Shall HB 4 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HB 4

Third Reading

Final Passage

YEAS: 37 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Chenault, Claman, Colver, Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Gara, Gattis, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Hughes, Johnson, Josephson, Kawasaki, Keller, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Lynn, Millett, Munoz, Neuman, Olson, Ortiz, Pruitt, Reinbold, Saddler, Seaton, Stutes, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Wilson, Wool

Excused: Kito, Nageak, Vazquez

And so, HB 4 passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS

Representative Millett 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:

Commemorating - Elizabeth Peratrovich Day, February 16, 2015

By Representatives Munoz, Kito, Chenault, Claman, Colver, Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Gara, Gattis, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Hughes, Johnson, Josephson, Kawasaki, Keller, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Lynn, Millett, Nageak, Neuman, Olson, Ortiz, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Stutes, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vazquez, Wilson, Wool; Senator Egan

Honoring - Christine Cunningham, 2014 Prois Award Recipient

By Representatives Olson, Chenault, Claman, Colver, Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Gara, Gattis, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Hughes, Johnson, Josephson, Kawasaki, Keller, Kito, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Lynn, Millett, Munoz, Nageak, Neuman, Ortiz, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Stutes, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vazquez, Wilson, Wool; Senator Micciche

Honoring - Alaska Native Sisterhood, 100 Year Celebration

By Representatives Munoz, Kito, Chenault, Claman, Colver, Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Gara, Gattis, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Hughes, Johnson, Josephson, Kawasaki, Keller, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Lynn, Millett, Nageak, Neuman, Olson, Ortiz, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Stutes, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vazquez, Wilson, Wool; Senator Egan

Honoring - John D. Squires, M.S., P.E.

By Senator Giessel; Representatives Chenault, Claman, Colver, Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Gara, Gattis, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Hughes, Johnson, Josephson, Kawasaki, Keller, Kito, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Lynn, Millett, Munoz, Nageak, Neuman, Olson, Ortiz, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Stutes, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vazquez, Wilson, Wool

In Memoriam - Lenora Fern Moore

By Representatives Ortiz, Chenault, Claman, Colver, Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Gara, Gattis, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Hughes, Johnson, Josephson, Kawasaki, Keller, Kito, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Lynn, Millett, Munoz, Nageak, Neuman, Olson, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Stutes, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vazquez, Wilson, Wool; Senator Stedman

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Representative Millett 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 Colver – from:

5:55 p.m., February 13 to 10:30 p.m., February 15

5:55 p.m., February 20 to 10:30 p.m., February 22

Representative Hawker – from 11:00 a.m., February 20 to 7:30 p.m., February 23

Representative Herron – from noon, February 15 to 10:00 a.m., February 18

Representative Pruitt – from:

6:00 p.m., February 13 to 10:00 p.m., February 15

6:00 p.m., February 20 to 10:00 p.m., February 22

Representative Chenault – from 6:30 p.m., February 13 to 10:00 a.m., February 18

Representative Johnson – from:

11:30 a.m., February 13 to 10:15 a.m., February 18 (amended from page 174)

noon, February 20 to 10:30 a.m., February 23

Representative Wool – from noon, February 13 to 10:15 a.m., February 16

Representative Kreiss-Tomkins – from noon, February 14 to 10:00 p.m., February 18

HB 13

The Speaker added a Finance Committee referral for the following:

HOUSE BILL NO. 13

"An Act requiring notice of the postage required to mail an absentee ballot on the envelope provided by the division of elections for returning an absentee ballot; and repealing the authority to include certain material from a political party in the election pamphlet."

HB 13 was removed from the Rules Committee and referred to the Finance Committee.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

Representative Millett moved and asked unanimous consent that the notice and publication requirements be waived and the citation, In Memoriam - Ellen Toll, be taken up as a Special Order of Business. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

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

In Memoriam - Ellen Toll

By Representatives Claman, Chenault, Colver, Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Gara, Gattis, Gruenberg, Guttenberg, Hawker, Herron, Hughes, Johnson, Josephson, Kawasaki, Keller, Kito, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeDoux, Lynn, Millett, Munoz, Nageak, Neuman, Olson, Ortiz, Pruitt, Saddler, Seaton, Stutes, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vazquez, Wilson, Wool; Senator Costello

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

HCR 2

Representatives Hughes and Lynn added their names as cosponsors to:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2

Designating January 25 - 31, 2015, as Alaska School Choice Week.

HJR 3

Representatives Kito and Tuck added their names as cosponsors to:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3

Urging members of the Alaska delegation to the United States Congress to introduce substantially similar legislation to the Alaska Safe Families and Villages Act of 2013; urging the United States Congress to affirm the criminal jurisdiction of Alaska tribal governments over tribal members within the boundaries of their villages; urging the United States Congress to cooperate with tribes' efforts to transfer Native land to trust; and supporting multilateral negotiations between tribal governments, nontribal municipalities, and the state and federal governments to delineate clearly tribal geographical jurisdictions.

HB 4

Representative Olson added his name as cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 4

"An Act relating to automated external defibrillators."

HB 35

Representatives Lynn, Keller, LeDoux, Gruenberg, Josephson, Thompson, Talerico, Chenault, Herron, Munoz, Johnson, and Colver added their names as cosponsors to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 35

"An Act establishing March 27 as Great Alaska Earthquake Remembrance Day."

HB 68

Representative Stutes added her name as cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 68

"An Act relating to the preparation, electronic distribution, and posting of reports by state agencies."

HB 81

Representatives Millett and Kito added their names as cosponsors to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 81

"An Act relating to an exemption from the regulation of construction contractors."

HB 90

Representatives Lynn, Hawker, LeDoux, and Stutes added their names as cosponsors to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 90

"An Act relating to the Protective Occupation Retirement Council; relating to participation of certain employees in the defined benefit and defined contribution plans of the public employees' retirement system; and providing for an effective date."

HB 99

Representative Gruenberg added his name as cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 99

"An Act relating to the voluntary termination of life by terminally ill individuals; and providing for an effective date."

ENGROSSMENT

HB 4

HB 4 was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

House committee schedules are published under separate cover.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Millett moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:30 a.m., February 13, 2015. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 12:22 p.m.

Suzi Lowell
Chief Clerk