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One Hundred Fifteenth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the Senate was called to order by President Meyer at 11:11 a.m. in the Terry Miller Legislative Office Building gymnasium.

The roll showed nineteen members present. Senator Hoffman was absent.

The prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Romo Marasigan. Senator Giessel moved and asked unanimous consent that the prayer be spread. Without objection, it was so ordered.

1 Corinthians 13:13 says, "And now these three
remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these
is love." Amen.

Senator Huggins led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Certification

Senator Coghill moved and asked unanimous consent that the journals for the one hundred thirteenth and one hundred fourteenth legislative days be approved as certified by the Secretary. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Messages from the House**HB 137**

Message dated May 11 was read stating the House adopted the report of the Conference Committee with limited powers of free conference considering SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 137(FIN) am S and CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 137(FIN) am, thus adopting:

CONFERENCE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 137

"An Act relating to the duties of the commissioner of fish and game; establishing an intensive management surcharge; providing for the repeal of the intensive management surcharge; establishing certain special hunting and fishing licenses and permits for residents with developmental disabilities; establishing a separate sustainable wildlife account in the fish and game fund; raising certain fees related to sport fishing, hunting, and trapping; relating to the fish and game fund; providing for the repeal of the sport fishing surcharge and sport fishing facility revenue bonds; relating to hunting and fishing by proxy; relating to fish and game conservation decals; raising the age at which a state resident is required to obtain a license for sport fishing, hunting, or trapping; relating to the Chitina dip net fishery; and providing for an effective date."

Message dated May 11 was read stating the House passed and transmitted for consideration:

**First Reading and Reference of
House Resolutions****HCR 32**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 32 BY THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE,

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e),
Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature,
concerning Senate Bill No. 91, relating to criminal

law and procedure; relating to controlled substances; relating to immunity from prosecution for the crime of prostitution; relating to probation; relating to sentencing; establishing a pretrial services program with pretrial services officers in the Department of Corrections; relating to the publication of suspended entries of judgment on a publicly available Internet website; relating to permanent fund dividends; relating to electronic monitoring; relating to penalties for violations of municipal ordinances; relating to parole; relating to correctional restitution centers; relating to community work service; relating to revocation, termination, suspension, cancellation, or restoration of a driver's license; relating to the excise tax on marijuana; establishing the recidivism reduction fund; relating to the Alaska Criminal Justice Commission; relating to the disqualification of persons convicted of specified drug offenses from participation in the food stamp and temporary assistance programs; relating to the duties of the commissioner of corrections; and amending Rules 32, 32.1, 38, 41, and 43, Alaska Rules of Criminal Procedure, and repealing Rules 41(d) and (e), Alaska Rules of Criminal Procedure.

was read the first time and held on the Secretary's desk.

Concur Messages

SB 91

Message dated May 11 was read stating the House passed and returned for consideration CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL NO. 91(FIN) am "An Act relating to criminal law and procedure; relating to controlled substances; relating to immunity from prosecution for the crime of prostitution; relating to probation; relating to sentencing; establishing a pretrial services program with pretrial services officers in the Department of Corrections; relating to the publication of suspended entries of judgment on a publicly available Internet website; relating to permanent fund dividends; relating to

electronic monitoring; relating to penalties for violations of municipal ordinances; relating to parole; relating to correctional restitution centers; relating to community work service; relating to revocation, termination, suspension, cancellation, or restoration of a driver's license; relating to the excise tax on marijuana; establishing the recidivism reduction fund; relating to the Alaska Criminal Justice Commission; relating to the disqualification of persons convicted of specified drug offenses from participation in the food stamp and temporary assistance programs; relating to the duties of the commissioner of corrections; amending Rules 32, 32.1, 38, 41, and 43, Alaska Rules of Criminal Procedure, and repealing Rules 41(d) and (e), Alaska Rules of Criminal Procedure; and providing for an effective date" with the following amendments:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SPONSOR
SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL
NO. 91(FIN) am H "An Act relating to civil in
rem forfeiture actions; relating to criminal law
and procedure; relating to controlled substances;
relating to victims of criminal offenses; relating to
probation; relating to sentencing; relating to
treatment program credit for time spent toward
service of a sentence of imprisonment; relating to
the Violent Crimes Compensation Board;
establishing a pretrial services program with
pretrial services officers in the Department of
Corrections; relating to permanent fund
dividends; relating to electronic monitoring;
relating to penalties for violations of municipal
ordinances; relating to parole; relating to
correctional restitution centers; relating to
community work service; relating to revocation,
termination, suspension, cancellation, or
restoration of a driver's license; relating to
identification cards and driver's licenses for
parolees; relating to the disqualification of
persons convicted of certain felony drug offenses
from participation in the food stamp and
temporary assistance programs; relating to the
duties of the commissioner of corrections;

amending Rules 32, 32.1, 38, and 43, Alaska Rules of Criminal Procedure; and providing for an effective date."
(Title Change HCR 32)

The message was held on the Secretary's desk.

Special Committee Reports

HB 137

The following report was received and distributed at 3:06 p.m., May 10:

May 10, 2016

Mr. President:

Mr. Speaker:

The Conference Committee considered SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 137(FIN) am S and CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 137(FIN) am and recommends

CONFERENCE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 137 "An Act relating to the duties of the commissioner of fish and game; establishing an intensive management surcharge; providing for the repeal of the intensive management surcharge; establishing certain special hunting and fishing licenses and permits for residents with developmental disabilities; establishing a separate sustainable wildlife account in the fish and game fund; raising certain fees related to sport fishing, hunting, and trapping; relating to the fish and game fund; providing for the repeal of the sport fishing surcharge and sport fishing facility revenue bonds; relating to hunting and fishing by proxy; relating to fish and game conservation decals; raising the age at which a state resident is required to obtain a license for sport fishing, hunting, or trapping; relating to the Chitina dip net fishery; and providing for an effective date"

be adopted.

The following fiscal information was published May 11:

Fiscal Note No. 5, Department of Fish and Game

Signing the report: Senator Giessel, Chair, Senators Stoltze, Stevens; Representative Talerico, Chair, Representative Tarr.

Senator Coghill moved that the Senate adopt the Conference Committee Report.

The question being: "Shall the Senate adopt the Conference Committee Report?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CCS HB 137

Shall the Senate Adopt the Conference
Committee Report? Effective Dates

YEAS: 14 NAYS: 5 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Kelly, MacKinnon, McGuire, Micciche, Olson, Stevens, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Egan, Ellis, Gardner, Giessel, Meyer

Nays: Huggins, Stedman, Stoltze, Wielechowski, Dunleavy

Absent: Hoffman

and so, the report was adopted, thus adopting:

CONFERENCE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 137 "An Act relating to the duties of the commissioner of fish and game; establishing an intensive management surcharge; providing for the repeal of the intensive management surcharge; establishing certain special hunting and fishing licenses and permits for residents with developmental disabilities; establishing a separate sustainable wildlife account in the fish and game fund; raising certain fees related to sport fishing, hunting, and trapping; relating to the fish and game fund; providing for the repeal of the sport fishing surcharge and sport fishing facility revenue bonds; relating to hunting and fishing by proxy; relating to fish and game conservation decals; raising the age at which a state resident is required to obtain a license for sport fishing, hunting, or trapping; relating to the Chitina dip net fishery; and providing for an effective date."

Senator Coghill moved and asked unanimous consent that the vote on the adoption of the Conference Committee Report be considered the vote on the effective date clauses. Without objection, it was so ordered.

The Secretary was requested to notify the House.

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 Coghill moved and asked unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment until 11:00 a.m., May 13, 2016. Without objection, the Senate adjourned at 11:44 a.m.

Liz Clark
Secretary of the Senate

Announcements

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STANDING COMMITTEES

+ indicates teleconference

= indicates bill previously heard/scheduled

FINANCE

May 12	Thursday	Bill Ray Center 230	10:00 AM
+ =	SB 138	BUDGET: CAPITAL	
+		Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled	

May 13	Friday	Bill Ray Center 230	9:30 AM
+		Oil and Gas Tax Credits	
		Commissioner Randall Hoffbeck	
		Director Ken Alper	
+		Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled	

JOINT COMMITTEES**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

May 16	Monday	Bill Ray Center 208	4:00 PM
+		Committee Business	
		a. Anchorage Office Space	
		b. Bill Ray Center Lease	

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HB256 AND HB257**

May 12 Thursday Bill Ray Center 230 3:00 PM

+ = HB 256 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS

+ = HB 257 APPROP: MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET

Legislature

Language

May 13 Friday Bill Ray Center 230 3:00 PM

+ = HB 256 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS

+ = HB 257 APPROP: MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET

May 14 Saturday Bill Ray Center 230 1:00 PM

+ = HB 256 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS

+ = HB 257 APPROP: MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET