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Sixty-seventh Day

Pursuant to adjournment the Senate was called to order by President Kelly at 10:54 a.m.

The roll showed nineteen members present. Senator Costello was excused from a call of the Senate.

The prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Major Kirk Thorsteinson, Alaska Army National Guard. Senator Hoffman moved and asked unanimous consent that the prayer be spread. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Almighty God, I invite and acknowledge Your presence with us as the members of this Senate consider how best to enact laws and appropriate money necessary to creatively and efficiently operate Alaska's government. As the Fountain from where all blessings flow, may You bless these senators, their families, and their staff members who willingly and sacrificially serve their districts and our great State!

Lord God, knowing many issues and potential solutions facing Alaska have passionate supporters, please grant these senators boldness to respectfully and assertively communicate their positions to those with alternate viewpoints, just as on this same day in 1775, Patrick Henry, as a delegate to the Second Virginia Convention, boldly voiced opposition to British policy and stated, "I know not what course others may take, but as for me, give me liberty or give me death." If ever they feel timid, fill these senators with a spirit of power and love and discipline.

Eternal God, in all they do, strengthen their desire to daily conform to Your image and rely on You in all situations for Your holy purposes. It is my sincere desire their day's business be pleasing and honoring to You. Amen.

Senator Begich led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Certification

Senator Micciche moved and asked unanimous consent that the journals for the sixty-fifth and sixty-sixth legislative days 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:

Department of Education and Early Development
Reported Incidents of Harassment, Intimidation, or Bullying Resulting
in Suspension or Expulsion
School Years 2016-2017
in accordance with AS 14.33.210

Standing Committee Reports

Report dated March 22 was read stating:

In accordance with AS 39.05.080 and AS 44.19.040, the State Affairs Committee reviewed the following and recommends the appointment be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

Lieutenant Governor Successor

Valerie Davidson

This does not reflect an intent by any of the members to vote for or against the confirmation of the individual during any further sessions.

Signing the report: Senator Meyer, Chair; Senators Wilson, Giessel, Egan.

Report dated March 22 was read stating:

In accordance with AS 39.05.080, the State Affairs Committee reviewed the following and recommends the appointment be forwarded to a joint session for consideration:

Board of Fisheries

Orville Huntington – Huslia

This does not reflect an intent by any of the members to vote for or against the confirmation of the individual during any further sessions.

Signing the report: Senator Meyer, Chair; Senators Wilson, Giessel, Egan, Coghill.

SB 65

The Finance Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 65 "An Act establishing the Jonesville Public Use Area" and recommended the adoption of the Resources Committee Substitute offered on page 866. Signing do pass: Senators Hoffman, MacKinnon, Cochairs; Senators Bishop, von Imhof, Stevens, Micciche. Signing no recommendation: Senator Olson.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 5, zero, Office of the Governor

Fiscal Note No. 6, zero, Department of Natural Resources

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

HB 31

The State Affairs Committee considered CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 31(FIN) "An Act relating to law enforcement training in domestic violence and sexual assault; relating to sexual assault investigation

protocols; requiring an inventory and reports on untested sexual assault examination kits; and providing for an effective date" and recommended it be replaced with

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL
NO. 31(STA)

Signing do pass: Senator Meyer, Chair; Senators Wilson, Giessel, Coghill, Egan.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 3, zero, Department of Public Safety

Fiscal Note No. 4, zero, Office of the Governor

The bill was referred to the Finance Committee.

Consideration of the Calendar

Second Reading of Senate Bills

SB 155

SENATE BILL NO. 155 "An Act relating to the registration and regulation of real estate appraisal management companies; relating to the establishment of fees by the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development; relating to the Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers; and relating to real estate appraisers" was read the second time.

Senator MacKinnon, Cochair, moved and asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the Finance Committee Substitute offered on page 2330. Senator Gardner objected, then withdrew her objection. There being no further objection, CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 155(FIN) "An Act relating to the registration and regulation of real estate appraisal management companies; relating to the establishment of fees by the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development; relating to the Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers; relating to real estate appraisers; and providing for an effective date" was adopted.

Senator Micciche moved and asked unanimous consent the bill be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading and placed on final passage. Without objection, it was so ordered.

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 155(FIN) was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 155(FIN) "An Act relating to the registration and regulation of real estate appraisal management companies; relating to the establishment of fees by the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development; relating to the Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers; relating to real estate appraisers; and providing for an effective date" pass the Senate?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 155(FIN)

Third Reading - Final Passage

Effective Dates

YEAS: 19 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Egan, Gardner, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Olson, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

Excused: Costello

and so, CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 155(FIN) passed the Senate.

Senator Micciche moved and asked unanimous consent the vote on the passage of the bill be considered the vote on the effective date clauses. Without objection, it was so ordered and the bill was referred to the Secretary for engrossment.

Third Reading of Senate Bills

SB 196

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 196(FIN) "An Act relating to an appropriation limit; relating to the budget responsibilities of the governor; and providing for an effective date" was read the third time.

Senator Begich moved and asked unanimous consent the bill be returned to second reading for the purpose of a specific amendment, that being Amendment No. 1. Without objection, the bill was returned to second reading.

Senator Begich offered Amendment No. 1:

Page 2, line 3:

Delete "\$4,100,000,000"

Insert "\$2,900,000,000"

Page 2, line 13:

Delete "or"

Page 2, line 15, following "law":

Insert "; or

(6) for the state public primary through secondary school program"

Page 3, line 10:

Delete "\$4,100,000,000"

Insert "\$2,900,000,000"

Senator Begich moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 1. Senator Micciche objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 1 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)

Second Reading

Amendment No. 1?

YEAS: 5 NAYS: 13 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Olson, Wielechowski

Nays: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Hughes, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Excused: Costello

Absent: Hoffman

and so, Amendment No. 1 failed.

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 196 (FIN) was automatically in third reading.

Senator Micciche moved the bill be returned to second reading for the purpose of all amendments offered today. Without objection, the bill was returned to second reading.

Senator Begich offered Amendment No. 2:

Page 2, line 4:

Following "in":

Insert "population and"

Following "indices.":

Insert "The determination of the change in population for purposes of this subsection shall be based on an annual estimate of population by the Department of Labor and Workforce Development."

Senator Begich moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 2. Senator MacKinnon objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 2 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)
Second Reading
Amendment No. 2?

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

Yeas: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Olson, Wielechowski

Nays: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Excused: Costello

and so, Amendment No. 2 failed.

Senator Gardner offered Amendment No. 3:

Page 2, line 13:
Delete "or"

Page 2, line 15, following "law":
Insert "; or
(6) for senior programs"

Senator Gardner moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 3.
Senator Micciche objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 3 be adopted?" The roll
was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)
Second Reading
Amendment No. 3?

YEAS: 6 NAYS: 13 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Begich, Bishop, Egan, Gardner, Olson, Wielechowski

Nays: Coghill, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer,
Micciche, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Excused: Costello

and so, Amendment No. 3 failed.

Senator Wielechowski offered Amendment No. 4:

Page 2, line 13:
Delete "or"

Page 2, line 15, following "law":
Insert "; or
(6) to meet public safety needs"

Page 2, following line 18:

Insert a new paragraph to read:

"(3) "public safety" includes emergency disaster services, fire protection, law enforcement, the village public safety officer program, the Council on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault, and the criminal and juvenile justice system."

Renumber the following paragraph accordingly.

Senator Wielechowski moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 4.
Senator Micciche objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 4 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)

Second Reading

Amendment No. 4?

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

Yeas: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Olson, Wielechowski

Nays: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Excused: Costello

and so, Amendment No. 4 failed.

Amendment No. 5 was not offered.

Senator Wielechowski offered Amendment No. 6:

Page 2, line 12:

Delete all material and insert:

"(3) required to pay principal or interest on general obligation bond debt of the state;"

Senator Wielechowski moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 6.
Senator Micciche objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 6 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)
Second Reading
Amendment No. 6?

YEAS: 8 NAYS: 10 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Hughes, Olson, Shower, Wielechowski, Wilson

Nays: Coghill, Giessel, Hoffman, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof

Excused: Costello

Absent: Bishop

and so, Amendment No. 6 failed.

Senator Wielechowski offered Amendment No. 7:

Page 2, following line 15:

Insert a new subsection to read:

(c) If, in an effort to meet the appropriation limit in (a) of this section, the legislature mandates a new program or higher level of service on a municipality, the legislature shall provide a grant to reimburse the municipality for the costs of the program or increased level of service.

Reletter the following subsection accordingly.

Senator Wielechowski moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 7. Senator MacKinnon objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 7 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)
Second Reading
Amendment No. 7?

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

Yeas: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Olson, Wielechowski

Nays: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Excused: Costello

and so, Amendment No. 7 failed.

Recess

Senator Micciche moved and asked unanimous consent the Senate stand in recess to 1:00 p.m. Without objection, the Senate recessed at 12:13 p.m.

After Recess

The Senate reconvened at 1:11 p.m.

SB 196

Senator Wielechowski offered Amendment No. 8:

Page 2, line 2:

Delete "**Appropriation**"

Insert "**Appropriations; appropriation**"

Page 2, following line 15:

Insert a new subsection to read:

"(c) Each fiscal year, any money in the general fund available for appropriation at the end of the preceding fiscal year, after the transfer under AS 37.10.420(b), shall be appropriated to the dividend fund established under AS 43.23.045 to pay a supplemental 2016 and 2017 permanent fund dividend to each eligible individual who received a 2016 or 2017 permanent fund dividend, until the 2016 and 2017 permanent fund dividends have been fully restored. The commissioner of revenue shall implement this subsection."

Reletter the following subsection accordingly.

Senator Wielechowski moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 8. Senator Micciche objected.

President Kelly cited Mason's Manual Sec. 402 and ruled Amendment No. 8 out of order.

Senator Wielechowski appealed the ruling of the chair.

The question being: "Shall the Senate Uphold the Ruling of the Chair?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)
Amendment No. 8
Uphold Ruling of the Chair?

YEAS: 13 NAYS: 5 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Hughes, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Nays: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Olson, Wielechowski

Excused: Costello

Absent: Hoffman

and so, the ruling of the chair was upheld.

Senator Wielechowski offered Amendment No. 9:

Page 2, following line 15:

Insert a new subsection to read:

"(c) Each fiscal year, the amount appropriated from the earnings reserve account, established under AS 37.13.145, to the general fund may not exceed 50 percent of the income available for distribution under AS 37.13.140."

Reletter the following subsection accordingly.

Senator Wielechowski moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 9. Senator Micciche objected.

President Kelly cited Mason's Manual Sec. 402 and ruled Amendment No. 9 out of order.

Senator Wielechowski appealed the ruling of the chair.

The question being: "Shall the Senate Uphold the Ruling of the Chair?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)
Amendment No. 9
Uphold Ruling of the Chair?

YEAS: 11 NAYS: 7 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Nays: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Hughes, Olson, Shower, Wielechowski

Excused: Costello

Absent: Hoffman

and so, the ruling of the chair was upheld.

Senator Wielechowski offered Amendment No. 10:

Page 2, following line 15:

Insert a new subsection to read:

"(c) Each fiscal year, the amount appropriated from the earnings reserve account, established under AS 37.13.145, to the general fund may not exceed the amount appropriated from the earnings reserve account to the dividend fund, established under AS 43.23.045, for payment of permanent fund dividends."

Reletter the following subsection accordingly.

Senator Wielechowski moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 10. Senator Micciche objected.

President Kelly cited Mason's Manual Sec. 402 and ruled Amendment No. 10 out of order.

Senator Wielechowski appealed the ruling of the chair.

The question being: "Shall the Senate Uphold the Ruling of the Chair?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)
Amendment No. 10
Uphold Ruling of the Chair?

YEAS: 11 NAYS: 7 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Nays: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Hughes, Olson, Shower, Wielechowski

Excused: Costello

Absent: Hoffman

and so, the ruling of the chair was upheld.

Senator Wielechowski offered Amendment No. 11:

Page 2, following line 15:

Insert a new subsection to read:

"(c) Each fiscal year, if an appropriation is made from the earnings reserve account established under AS 37.13.145 to the general fund, an appropriation equal to 50 percent of the income available for distribution under AS 37.13.140 must be made to the dividend fund established under AS 43.23.045."

Reletter the following subsection accordingly.

Senator Wielechowski moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 11. Senator Micciche objected.

President Kelly cited Mason's Manual Sec. 402 and ruled Amendment No. 11 out of order.

Senator Wielechowski appealed the ruling of the chair.

The question being: "Shall the Senate Uphold the Ruling of the Chair?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)
Amendment No. 11
Uphold Ruling of the Chair?

YEAS: 11 NAYS: 7 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Nays: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Hughes, Olson, Shower, Wielechowski

Excused: Costello

Absent: Hoffman

and so, the ruling of the chair was upheld.

Senator Wielechowski offered Amendment No. 12:

Page 2, lines 10 - 15:

Delete all material and insert:

"(1) for payment of permanent fund dividends;
(2) for revenue bond proceeds;
(3) required to pay the principal of and interest on
general obligation bonds; and
(4) of money received from a non-State source in trust
for a specific purpose, including revenue of a public enterprise or
public corporation of the state that issues revenue bonds."

Page 2, line 17:

Delete all material.

Renumber the following paragraphs accordingly.

Senator Wielechowski moved for the adoption of Amendment No. 12. Senator Micciche objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 12 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)
Second Reading
Amendment No. 12?

YEAS: 5 NAYS: 13 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Olson, Wielechowski

Nays: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Hughes, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Excused: Costello

Absent: Hoffman

and so, Amendment No. 12 failed.

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 196(FIN) was automatically in third reading.

Senator Micciche moved and asked unanimous consent Senator Hoffman be excused from a call of the Senate today. Without objection, Senator Hoffman was excused.

SB 196

Senator Stedman called the Senate then lifted the call.

The question being: "Shall CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 196(FIN) "An Act relating to an appropriation limit; relating to the budget responsibilities of the governor; and providing for an effective date" pass the Senate?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)
Third Reading - Final Passage

YEAS: 13 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 2 ABSENT: 5

Yeas: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Hughes, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Excused: Costello, Hoffman

Absent: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Olson, Wielechowski

and so, CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 196(FIN) passed the Senate.

Senator Micciche moved for the adoption of the effective date clause.

The question being: "Shall the effective date clause be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 196(FIN)

Effective Date Clause

YEAS: 13 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 2 ABSENT: 5

Yeas: Bishop, Coghill, Giessel, Hughes, Kelly, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wilson

Excused: Costello, Hoffman

Absent: Begich, Egan, Gardner, Olson, Wielechowski

and so, the effective date clause failed to be adopted and CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 196(FIN)(efd fld) "An Act relating to an appropriation limit; and relating to the budget responsibilities of the governor" was referred to the Secretary for engrossment.

Citations

Honoring - North Pole High School JROTC State Drill Team Champions

Representative(s) Wilson, Thompson

Senator(s) Kelly, Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Egan, Gardner, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Olson, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski

Honoring - Kikkan Randall

Representative(s) Millett, Claman

Senator(s) Kelly, Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Egan, Gardner, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Olson, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

Honoring - Anchorage Schools Foundation

Representative(s) LeDoux

Senator(s) Wielechowski, Kelly, Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Egan, Gardner, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Olson, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof

Honoring - Sergeant William Eugene Worthy IV

Representative(s) Birch

Senator(s) Kelly, Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Egan, Gardner, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Olson, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

In Memoriam - Jeff Scott

Senator(s) von Imhof, Kelly, Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Egan, Gardner, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Olson, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, Wielechowski, Wilson

Representative(s) Claman

In Memoriam - Ruth Ann Yurkovich

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Kelly, Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Egan, Gardner, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Olson, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

In Memoriam - Michael Sterling Seaman

Representative(s) Wilson

Senator(s) Kelly, Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Egan, Gardner, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Olson, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

In Memoriam - Patrick "Jack" Cooper

Representative(s) Josephson

Senator(s) Gardner, Kelly, Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Egan, Giessel, Hoffman, Hughes, MacKinnon, Meyer, Micciche, Olson, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

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

Unfinished Business

Senator Stedman moved and asked unanimous consent to be excused from a call of the Senate on March 26. Without objection, Senator Stedman was excused.

HB 44

President Kelly added a Finance Committee referral to CS FOR SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 44(STA) "An Act requiring a legislator to abstain from taking or withholding official action or exerting official influence that could benefit or harm an immediate family member or certain employers; and requiring a legislator to request to be excused from voting in an instance where the legislator may have a financial conflict of interest."

The bill was referred to the State Affairs, then Judiciary, then Finance Committees.

Announcements

Announcements are at the end of the journal.

Engrossment

SB 155

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 155(FIN) "An Act relating to the registration and regulation of real estate appraisal management companies; relating to the establishment of fees by the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development; relating to the Board of Certified Real Estate Appraisers; relating to real estate appraisers; and providing for an effective date" was engrossed, signed by the President and Secretary and transmitted to the House for consideration.

SB 196

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 196(FIN)(efd fld) "An Act relating to an appropriation limit; and relating to the budget responsibilities of the governor" was engrossed.

Adjournment

Senator Micciche moved and asked unanimous consent the Senate stand in adjournment until 11:00 a.m., March 26, 2018. Without objection, the Senate adjourned at 2:54 p.m.

Liz Clark
Secretary of the Senate

Announcements

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STANDING COMMITTEES

+ indicates teleconference
= indicates bill previously heard/scheduled

COMMUNITY & REGIONAL AFFAIRS

Mar 27	Tuesday No Meeting Scheduled	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	3:30 PM
Mar 29	Thursday No Meeting Scheduled	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	3:30 PM

EDUCATION

Mar 23	Friday -- MEETING CANCELED -- Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled	Butrovich 205	8:00 AM
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Mar 26	Monday -- Testimony <Invited and Public> -- Consideration of Governor's Appointees Professional Teaching Practices Commission: - Diane Kardash - Phillip Graham - Kent Runion	Butrovich 205	8:00 AM
+			
+	SB 216 SCHOOL FUNDING FOR CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled **Streamed live on AKL.tv**		
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EDUCATION (continued)

Mar 28 Wednesday Butrovich 205 8:00 AM
 -- Testimony <Invited and Public> --
 += SB 216 SCHOOL FUNDING FOR CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 + **Streamed live on AKL.tv**

Mar 30 Friday Butrovich 205 8:00 AM
 No Meeting Scheduled

FINANCE

Mar 23 Friday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled:
 += SB 65 JONESVILLE PUBLIC USE AREA

Mar 26 Monday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM
 + SB 116 EDUCATION TAX CREDITS;SUNSET;REPEALS
 + SB 198 UAA LONG-ACTING CONTRACEPTION STUDY
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 27 Tuesday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM
 + HB 286 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS
 <Pending Referral>
 Invited Testimony:
 David Teal, Legislative Finance Division
 Public Testimony - Written Comments for the
 Official Public Record Can be Sent to:
 Finance.Committee@akleg.gov
 9:30 - 10:30: Juneau
 10:30 - 11:00: Barrow, Tok, Delta Junction
 11:00 - 11:30: Kenai, Kodiak, Dillingham
 11:30 - 12:00: Ketchikan, Wrangell, Petersburg
 -- Public Testimony Limited to 2 Minutes --
 Please Sign in to Testify 15 Minutes Before the
 Scheduled End Time for Your Area
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

FINANCE (continued)

Mar 27 Tuesday Senate Finance 532 1:30 PM

-- Please Note Time Change --
+ HB 286 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS
<Pending Referral>
Public Testimony - Written Comments for the
Official Public Record Can be Sent to:
Finance.Committee@akleg.gov
1:30 - 2:30: Bethel, Nome, Kotzebue, Unalaska
2:30 - 3:00: Sitka, Cordova, Valdez
3:00 - 3:45: Fairbanks, Mat-Su
-- Public Testimony Limited to 2 Minutes --
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Scheduled End Time for Your Area
+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 28 Wednesday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM

+ SB 192 VOTING: ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY; FEES
+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled:
+= SB 154 PFD CONTRIBUTIONS TO GENERAL FUND

Mar 28 Wednesday Senate Finance 532 1:30 PM

-- Please Note Time Change --
+ HB 286 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS
<Pending Referral>
Public Testimony - Written Comments for the
Official Public Record Can be Sent to:
Finance.Committee@akleg.gov
1:30 - 2:00: Glennallen, Seward, Homer
2:00 - 3:00: Statewide Offnets
3:00 - 4:00: Anchorage
-- Public Testimony Limited to 2 Minutes --
Please Sign in to Testify 15 Minutes Before the
Scheduled End Time for Your Area
+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 29 Thursday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM

+ SB 122 OCS CITIZEN REVIEW PANEL
+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 30 Friday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM

No Meeting Scheduled

HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES

- Mar 23 Friday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM**
 -- MEETING CANCELED --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled:
 += SB 193 MED. ASSISTANCE WORK REQUIREMENT
 += HB 215 DHSS: PUBLIC HEALTH FEES
- Mar 26 Monday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM**
 + HB 176 EMER. MEDICAL TRANSPORT SERVICE PAYMENTS
 -- Testimony <Invited and Public> --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
- Mar 28 Wednesday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM**
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
- Mar 30 Friday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM**
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
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JUDICIARY

- Mar 23 Friday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM**
 -- MEETING CANCELED --
 Consideration of Governor's Appointees
 + Alaska Police Standards Council
 - Justin Doll
 - Larry Nicholson
 - Michael Craig
 - David Knapp
 -- Above Items Added to Agenda --
 += SJR 14 CONST. AM: PARENTAL CONSENT TO ABORTION
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
- Mar 26 Monday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM**
 += SB 175 DNR: DISCLOSURE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFO
 -- Public Testimony --
 + SB 202 NATIVE CORP. LIABILITY FOR CONTAMINATION
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

JUDICIARY (continued)

Mar 28 Wednesday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM
 += SB 184 ACCESS TO MARIJUANA CONVICTION RECORDS
 -- Public Testimony --
 += HB 43 NEW DRUGS FOR THE TERMINALLY ILL
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 30 Friday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM
 No Meeting Scheduled

LABOR & COMMERCE

Mar 27 Tuesday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 29 Thursday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM
 + HB 273 EXTEND: MARIJUANA CONTROL BOARD
 + HB 274 EXTEND: BD OF PSYCHOLOGISTS/PSYCH ASSOC.
 + HB 275 EXTEND: BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPISTS
 + HB 278 EXTEND: CERT. REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS BOARD
 + HB 279 EXTEND: REAL ESTATE COMMISSION
 + HB 280 EXTEND: BOARD OF MARITAL & FAMILY THERAPY
 + HB 302 EXTEND: BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS
 + Consideration of Governor's Appointees
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

RESOURCES

Mar 23 Friday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 + HB 105 TAKING WOLVES NEAR DENALI PARK; TRAPPING
 -- Public Testimony --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled:
 += SB 176 TAX CREDIT CERT. BOND CORP; ROYALTIES
 -- Public Testimony --

Mar 26 Monday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 Consideration of Governor's Appointees
 + Board of Game:
 - Mrs. Teresa Sager-Albaugh, Tok
 - Mr. Larry Van Daele, Kodiak
 -- Public Testimony on Appointees --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

RESOURCES (continued)

Mar 28 Wednesday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 + Overview of State of Alaska's Permitting System
 for Anadromous Streams
 - Department of Natural Resources
 - Department of Environmental Conservation
 - Department of Fish & Game
 -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 30 Friday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 No Meeting Scheduled

STATE AFFAIRS

Mar 27 Tuesday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 Consideration of Governor's Appointees
 + Alaska Public Office Commission
 - Anne Helzer
 + Alaska Police Standards Council
 - Michael Craig
 - Justin Doll
 - David Knapp
 - Larry "Shane" Nicholson
 -- Public Testimony on Appointees --
 + HB 138 MARCH: SOBRIETY AWARENESS MONTH
 + SB 210 SEAFOOD MISREPRESENTATION ON MENUS
 -- Public Testimony --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Mar 29 Thursday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 No Meeting Scheduled

TRANSPORTATION

Mar 27 Tuesday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM
 No Meeting Scheduled

TRANSPORTATION (continued)

Mar 29 Thursday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM
 + SB 199 DALTON HWY: ACCESS TO PRIVATE PROPERTY
 -- Public Testimony <Time Limit May Be Set> --
 + HB 259 CONFINING VEHICLE LOADS
 -- Public Testimony <Time Limit May Be Set> --

FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEES

ADMINISTRATION

Mar 28 Wednesday Fahrenkamp 203 4:00 PM
 -- Teleconference <Invitation Only> --
 Budget Subcommittee Closeout

COMMERCE, COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEV

Mar 28 Wednesday Senate Finance 532 8:30 AM
 -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --
 Closeout

CORRECTIONS

Mar 27 Tuesday Senate Finance 532 8:00 AM
 + FY19 Budget Closeout

EDUCATION & EARLY DEVELOPMENT

Mar 27 Tuesday Fahrenkamp 203 1:00 PM
 -- Teleconference <Invitation Only> --
 Budget Subcommittee Closeout

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

Mar 27 Tuesday Fahrenkamp 203 2:30 PM
 FY19 Budget Closeout

FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEES (continued)**FISH & GAME**

Mar 28 **Wednesday** **Senate Finance 532** **8:00 AM**
 Close-out

GOVERNOR

Mar 29 **Thursday** **Senate Finance 532** **8:15 AM**
 Governor's Budget
 FY19 Budget Closeout

HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES

Mar 27 **Tuesday** **Butrovich 205** **5:30 PM**
 +
 FY19 Budget Closeout
 -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --

Mar 29 **Thursday** **Butrovich 205** **5:30 PM**
 +
 FY19 Budget Closeout
 -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --

JUDICIARY

Mar 27 **Tuesday** **Senate Finance 532** **4:00 PM**
 FY19 Budget Closeout

LAW

Mar 27 **Tuesday** **Fahrenkamp 203** **4:00 PM**
 -- Teleconference <Invitation Only> --
 Budget Subcommittee Closeout

FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEES (continued)**LEGISLATURE**

Mar 29 **Thursday** **Senate Finance 532** **8:20 AM**
 Legislature's Budget
 FY19 Budget Closeout

MILITARY & VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Mar 28 **Wednesday** **Beltz 105 (tsbldg)** **7:00 AM**
 -- Agenda Change --
 + FY19 Budget Proposal Overview
 <Above Item Removed from Agenda>
 <New Item Added Below>
 + FY19 Budget Closeout
 -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --

NATURAL RESOURCES

Mar 27 **Tuesday** **Butrovich 205** **12:00 PM**
 + Budget Subcommittee Close-Out

Mar 29 **Thursday** **Butrovich 205** **12:00 PM**
 + Budget Subcommittee Close-Out, if Necessary

PUBLIC SAFETY

Mar 26 **Monday** **Beltz 105 (tsbldg)** **7:00 AM**
 + Closeout
 -- Testimony <Invitation Only> --

REVENUE

Mar 26 **Monday** **Senate Finance 532** **1:30 PM**
 + FY19 Budget Closeout

FINANCE SUBCOMMITTEES (continued)**TRANSPORTATION & PUBLIC FACILITIES**

Mar 27	Tuesday	Butrovich 205	11:00 AM
+	Budget Subcommittee Close-Out		
Mar 29	Thursday	Butrovich 205	11:00 AM
+	Budget Subcommittee Close-Out, if Necessary		

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA

Mar 28	Wednesday	Fahrenkamp 203	7:45 AM
	FY19 Budget Closeout		

OTHER MEETINGS**MISCELLANEOUS MEETINGS**

Mar 23	Friday	Butrovich 205	12:00 PM
	Lunch & Learn		
	Norway's Correctional System		
	Presenters:		
	Dept. of Corrections Commissioner Dean Williams		
	Judge Trevor Stephens		
	Senator Pete Kelly		
	Representative Bryce Edgmon		
	Sponsored by Senator Kelly		