

**HOUSE JOURNAL**  
**ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE**  
**THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE**  
**SECOND SPECIAL SESSION**

**Juneau, Alaska**

**Friday**

**July 19, 2019**

**Twelfth Day**

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Edgmon at 11:08 a.m.

Roll call showed 31 members present. Representative Rauscher had been excused from a call of the House today. Representative Rasmussen was absent and later excused.

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that Representatives Carpenter, Fields, Jackson, Lincoln, Neuman, Revak, and Story be excused from a call of the House today. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The invocation was offered by the Chaplain, Representative Tuck. Representative Drummond moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

With the deepest respect for the religious beliefs of all Alaskans, I offer the following prayer:

Dear Father God,

You are the God of all creations, and we thank you that you have created us for your glory.

We are not perfect but being created in your image, we know we can be perfected.

We are all part of one body with many individual parts, and we thank you for giving each one of us a special purpose in life and for giving us our unique talents, skills, and abilities.

As we work to solve the problems facing our great state, we ask that you bless us with knowledge and wisdom and help us find common ground and good favor with one another so that we may work together for the greater good.

May we continue your good work using our unique talents and abilities in the spirit of unity, as in one body, to help create your kingdom right here on earth, right here in Alaska, as it is in heaven.

For all those who agree, we say...Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Foster.

### **CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL**

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the fourth through eleventh legislative days of the second special session be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk.

Representative Vance objected.

The question being: "Shall the House approve certification of the journal?" The roll was taken with the following result:

Certification of the Journal

**YEAS: 21 NAYS: 10 EXCUSED: 8 ABSENT: 1**

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, LeDoux, Ortiz, Spohnholz, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tuck, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Eastman, Johnson, Merrick, Pruitt, Shaw, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tilton, Vance, Wilson

Excused: Carpenter, Fields, Jackson, Lincoln, Neuman, Rauscher, Revak, Story

Absent: Rasmussen

And so, the journal was certified.

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that Representative Rasmussen be excused from a call of the House today. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

### **MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR**

The following Governor's first supplemental proclamation dated July 17 was read:

"Under the authority of Article II, Section 9, and Article III, Section 17, Constitution of the State of Alaska and in the public interest, I am amending my June 13, 2019 proclamation calling the Thirty-First Legislature of the State of Alaska into its second special session at 1:00 p.m., on July 8, 2019 as follows:

The Legislature shall continue the second special session that began on July 8, 2019, at 1:00 p.m., under my June 13, 2019 proclamation. From July 17, 2019 forward through the remainder of the constitutional period, the second special session shall continue in the Legislative Chambers in Juneau, Alaska.

The Legislature shall consider, in addition to the subject identified in my June 13, 2019 proclamation, an act authorizing capital appropriations, operating appropriations for certain state programs, repealing appropriations, and making appropriations to capitalize funds.

Dated this 17th day of July, 2019.

Time: 12:00 p.m.

/s/  
Michael J. Dunleavy  
Governor"

**INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE  
OF HOUSE BILLS****HB 2002**

HOUSE BILL NO. 2002 by the House Rules Committee by request of the Governor, entitled:

"An Act making appropriations, including capital appropriations, supplemental appropriations, and other appropriations; repealing appropriations; making appropriations to capitalize funds; and providing for an effective date."

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

The Governor's transmittal letter dated July 18 follows:

"Dear Speaker Edgmon:

Under the authority of Article III, Section 18, of the Alaska Constitution, I am transmitting an appropriation bill that authorizes capital appropriations, operating appropriations for certain state programs, repeals appropriations and makes appropriations to capitalize funds for consideration by the Thirty-First Alaska State Legislature in the Second Special Session.

I recognize the importance of many items that were left unfunded or improperly funded during the Regular and First Special Session. This budget includes funding for the comprehensive criminal justice reform package, state match to leverage over \$915 million in federal transportation funds, and various projects and programs that will provide services to Alaskans. Many Alaskans rely on the funds outlined in this budget to provide for their families, put a roof over their head, and keep them safe.

I appreciate the Legislature's focus and attention on this legislation. My Administration stands ready to provide additional information to help you during your swift, deliberative process.

Sincerely,

/s/

Michael J. Dunleavy  
Governor"

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

Representative Thompson 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 Jackson – from today to 10:00 p.m., July 21

Representative Neuman – from today to 10:00 p.m., July 26

Representative Story – from today to 10:00 p.m., July 20

Representative Carpenter – from today to 10:00 a.m., August 7

Representative Revak – from today to 10:00 p.m., July 21

**ENROLLMENT****HB 78**

The following was enrolled, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, President and Secretary of the Senate, and the engrossed and enrolled copies were transmitted to the Office of the Governor at 1:44 p.m., July 16 with a manifest error memorandum (page 1153):

SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 78(RLS) am S

"An Act relating to insurance; relating to an insurer's corporate governance; relating to insurance holding companies and insurance company holding systems; amending Rule 26, Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure, and Rules 402 and 501, Alaska Rules of Evidence; and providing for an effective date."

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Rule 23(d) of the Uniform Rules is in effect.

House committee schedules are published under separate cover.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:30 a.m., July 20. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 11:31 a.m.

Crystalline Jones  
Chief Clerk