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# **Sixty-third Day**

Pursuant to adjournment the House was called to order by Speaker Edgmon at 3:24 p.m.

Roll call showed 36 members present. Representative Kreiss-Tomkins was absent, and his presence was noted later.

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that Representatives Lincoln, Rasmussen, and Neuman 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 Fields. Representative Drummond moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered

With respect for the religious beliefs of each person here, I invite you into a time of prayer and reflection. Let us pray:

In times of crisis we turn to a higher power; a broader view. In doing so we recognize that in our darkest times there is always light, and it is our responsibility to reflect that light for others and to nurture that light so it grows.

In the darkness of world wars, forces of evil marched across the earth, costing the lives of millions. But fueled by hope and compassion, brave men and women stood up against them. The night was dark, but through the force of will, morning came.

Alaska's great earthquake struck, the earth swallowed homes and businesses, and Valdez slipped into the inky blackness of the sea. Yet Alaskans rebuilt and brought light back to our communities

As we are taught in the 30th Psalm, weeping may endure for the night, but joy comes in the morning.

And now, in quarantines and lockdowns, as a virus spreads death and economic turmoil around the globe, the people of Alaska wonder, *how will we endure this dark and lonely night?* They are looking to us, and it is our honor and duty to reflect and nurture the light of hope.

And so today, we pray that we may humbly serve with wisdom and compassion until the joy of morning comes again. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Claman.

#### CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 61st and 62nd legislative days be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

#### HB 124

A message dated March 22 was read stating the Senate passed:

#### SPONSOR SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 124

"An Act relating to the recording of documents; relating to notaries and notarization, including notarial acts performed for remotely located individuals; and providing for an effective date."

SSHB 124 was referred to the Chief Clerk for enrollment.

#### **HB 308**

A message dated March 22 was read stating the Senate passed HB 308 am with the following amendment, and it is transmitted for consideration:

# SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 308(FIN)

"An Act relating to unemployment benefits during a period of state or national emergency resulting from a novel coronavirus disease (COVID-19) outbreak; and providing for an effective date."

HB 308 am is under Unfinished Business.

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

#### **HB 190**

The State Affairs Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 190

"An Act relating to allowable absences for a permanent fund dividend; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 190(STA) (same title)

The report was signed by Representatives Kreiss-Tomkins and Fields, Co-chairs, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (4): Vance, Story, Kreiss-Tomkins, Fields

No recommendation (2): Hopkins, Shaw

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 190(STA):

1. Zero, Dept. of Revenue

HB 190 was referred to the Finance Committee

#### HB 307

The Judiciary Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 307

"An Act relating to living conditions for prisoners."

and recommends it be replaced with:

# CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 307(JUD)

"An Act relating to state identifications and driver's licenses for persons in the custody of the Department of Corrections; relating to the duties of the commissioner of corrections; relating to living conditions for prisoners; and providing for an effective date."

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

Do pass (4): Stutes, Kopp, Shaw, Claman

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 307(JUD):

- 1. Zero, Dept. of Corrections
- 2. Zero, Dept. of Administration

HB 307 was referred to the Rules Committee for placement on the calendar.

#### SB 55

The Finance Committee considered:

# CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 55(2d JUD)

"An Act relating to judges of the court of appeals; and providing for an effective date."

The report was signed by Representatives Johnston and Foster, Cochairs, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (9): Josephson, Sullivan-Leonard, Ortiz, Carpenter, Tilton, LeBon, Knopp, Johnston, Foster

No recommendation (2): Merrick, Wool

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

2. Fiscal, Alaska Judiciary System

CSSB 55(2d JUD) is on today's calendar.

#### **SB 172**

The Finance Committee considered:

## CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 172(L&C)

"An Act extending the termination date of the State Medical Board; requiring a report on the State Medical Board's audit compliance; and providing for an effective date."

The report was signed by Representatives Johnston and Foster, Co-Chairs, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (8): Wool, LeBon, Knopp, Ortiz, Carpenter, Tilton, Johnston, Foster

No recommendation (3): Merrick, Josephson, Sullivan-Leonard

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

2. Fiscal, Dept. of Commerce, Community, & Economic Development

CSSB 172(L&C) is on today's calendar.

#### INTRODUCTION OF CITATIONS

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

Honoring - Dr. Rhonda M. Johnson By Representative Tarr; Senator Begich

Honoring - Richard Iannolino By Representatives Hannan, Story; Senator Kiehl

Honoring - Shelley Lynn Biss By Representative Rasmussen; Senator Costello

Honoring - Daniel James O'Hara By Representatives Kopp, Johnston; Senator Hoffman

Honoring - U.S. Women's National Soccer Team By Representative Tarr

Honoring - Credit Union 1 By Representatives Rasmussen, Fields, Tuck

Honoring - Ardy Robertson By Senator Costello; Representative Claman

Honoring - Rick Caulfield By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Mary Becker By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Pete Carran By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Angela Rodell By Senators Giessel, von Imhof; Representative Johnston

Honoring - Juneau-Douglas High School Yadaa.at Kalé, 2019-2020 Academic Decathlon Team By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Haines High School Cross Country Teams By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Alaska Counts 2020 Census Team By Senator Begich; Representative Tarr

In Memoriam - Alice Lawrence By Representative Tarr; Senator Begich

In Memoriam - Barbara Ann McNeil By Representative Rasmussen; Senator Costello

In Memoriam - Linda Jean Cook Clement By Senator Stedman; Representative Ortiz

In Memoriam - Llewellyn Morris Williams III By Senator Stedman; Representative Ortiz

# INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

#### **HCR 19**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19 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. 120, relating to administration of psychotropic medication to a patient without the patient's informed consent.

was read the first time and taken up later as a Special Order of Business.

# INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF HOUSE BILLS

#### HB 311

HOUSE BILL NO. 311 by the House Rules Committee by request of the Governor, entitled:

"An Act extending the March 11, 2020, governor's declaration of a public health disaster emergency in response to the COVID-19 pandemic; relating to the powers of the director of insurance; relating to standing orders issued by the chief medical officer; relating to professional licensing; relating to telemedicine and telehealth; relating to board of nursing fingerprint requirements; relating to the 2020 primary and general elections; relating to permanent fund dividend applications; relating to automatic voter registration; relating to tax; relating to shareholder meetings; and providing for an effective date."

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

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

- 1. Zero, Dept. of Commerce, Community, & Economic Development
- 2. Zero, Dept. of Commerce, Community, & Economic Development
- 3. Zero, Office of the Governor
- 4. Zero, Office of the Governor
- 5. Zero, Dept. of Health & Social Services
- 6. Zero, Dept. of Health & Social Services
- 7. Zero, Dept. of Public Safety
- 8. Fiscal, Dept. of Revenue
- 9. Indeterminate, Dept. of Military & Veterans' Affairs

The Governor's transmittal letter dated March 20 follows:

# "Dear Speaker Edgmon:

Under the authority of Article III, Section 18, of the Alaska Constitution, I am transmitting a bill relating to an extension of my March 11, 2020, public health disaster emergency declaration.

On March 11, 2020, the commissioner of the Department of Health and Social Services certified that a credible threat exists of an imminent outbreak of disease due to the worldwide spread of the novel coronavirus disease COVID-19. Accordingly, on March 12, 2020, I declared a public health disaster emergency to initiate a unified command structure between the Department of Health and Social Services and the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs to implement statutory powers to address the public health emergency and keep Alaskans safe. This bill allows for an extension of this declaration until March 12, 2021. I have proposed a one year extension due to the uncertainty and unknown duration of the global pandemic. The bill further provides for necessary actions to protect public health, safety, and general welfare to address the effects of the COVID-19 outbreak.

We understand from solid public health evidence and the experiences of other countries that major, long-term measures will be needed to address this pandemic. I urge your prompt support to safeguard the health and wellbeing of all Alaskans.

Sincerely, /s/ Mike Dunleavy Governor"

# CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR

In accordance with Uniform Rule 43(b), the Speaker announced that engrossment may be waived on the bills on today's calendar.

#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

## **HB 290**

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the following, which was held from the March 21 calendar (page 1999), would be moved to the bottom of the calendar:

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 290

"An Act establishing an alternative to arrest procedure for persons in acute episodes of mental illness; relating to emergency detention for mental health evaluation; and relating to licensure of crisis stabilization centers."

#### **HB 309**

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the following, which was held from the March 21 calendar (page 2000), would be held to tomorrow's calendar:

# HOUSE BILL NO. 309

"An Act relating to the procedure for confirmation of the governor's appointments; and providing for an effective date."

#### SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

#### **SB 55**

The following was read the second time:

# CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 55(2d JUD)

"An Act relating to judges of the court of appeals; and providing for an effective date."

with the: Journal Page

FIN RPT 9DP 2NR 2024 FN2: (AJS) 2024

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that CSSB 55(2d JUD) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSSB 55(2d JUD) was read the third time.

\*\*The presence of Representative Kreiss-Tomkins was noted.

The question being: "Shall CSSB 55(2d JUD) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 55(2d JUD) Third Reading Final Passage

## YEAS: 36 NAYS: 1 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillis, Hannan, Hopkins, Jackson, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, LeDoux, Merrick, Ortiz, Prax, Pruitt, Rauscher, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Eastman

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

And so, CSSB 55(2d JUD) passed the House.

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the bill be considered the roll call on the effective date clause.

There was objection.

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

CSSB 55(2d JUD) Third Reading Effective Date

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

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillis, Hannan, Hopkins, Jackson, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, LeDoux, Merrick, Ortiz, Prax, Pruitt, Rauscher, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

And so, the effective date clause was adopted.

CSSB 55(2d JUD) was signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk and returned to the Senate.

## **SB 172**

The following was read the second time:

# CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 172(L&C)

"An Act extending the termination date of the State Medical Board; requiring a report on the State Medical Board's audit compliance; and providing for an effective date."

with the: Journal Page

FIN RPT 8DP 3NR	2025
FN2: (CED)	2025

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that CSSB 172(L&C) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSSB 172(L&C) was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall CSSB 172(L&C) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 172(L&C) Third Reading Final Passage

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

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillis, Hannan, Hopkins, Jackson, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, LeDoux, Merrick, Ortiz, Prax, Pruitt, Rauscher, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

And so, CSSB 172(L&C) passed the House.

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the bill be considered the roll call on the effective date clause. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSSB 172(L&C) was signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk and returned to the Senate.

#### THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

#### HB 232

The following, which was advanced to third reading from the March 21 calendar (page 1997), was read the third time:

# CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 232(L&C)

"An Act relating to a municipal air quality improvement tax credit; and relating to a municipal energy efficient construction tax credit."

The question being: "Shall CSHB 232(L&C) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHB 232(L&C) Third Reading Final Passage

YEAS: 31 NAYS: 4 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 2

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillis, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, Merrick, Ortiz, Prax, Pruitt, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Talerico, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Eastman, Jackson, Rauscher, Sullivan-Leonard

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

Absent: LeDoux, Tarr

And so, CSHB 232(L&C) passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

#### **HB 247**

The following, which was advanced to third reading from the March 21 calendar (page 1998), was read the third time:

# CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 247(FSH)

"An Act relating to the fish and game fund; relating to a sport fishing surcharge; providing for an effective date by amending the effective date of sec. 21, ch. 18, SLA 2016; and providing for an effective date."

The question being: "Shall CSHB 247(FSH) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

# CSHB 247(FSH)

Third Reading

Final Passage

#### YEAS: 25 NAYS: 11 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, Ortiz, Prax, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tuck, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Carpenter, Eastman, Gillis, Jackson, Johnson, Merrick, Pruitt, Rauscher, Shaw, Tilton, Vance

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

Absent: LeDoux

And so, CSHB 247(FSH) passed the House.

Representative Thompson moved the effective date clause.

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

CSHB 247(FSH) Third Reading Effective Date

## YEAS: 35 NAYS: 1 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillis, Hannan, Hopkins, Jackson, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, Merrick, Ortiz, Prax, Pruitt, Rauscher, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Eastman

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

Absent: LeDoux

And so, the effective date clause was adopted.

Representative Pruitt gave notice of reconsideration of the vote on CSHB 247(FSH).

#### **HB 268**

The following, which was advanced to third reading from the March 21 calendar (page 1999), was read the third time:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 268(FIN)

"An Act relating to the Alaska Municipal Bond Bank Authority."

The question being: "Shall CSHB 268(FIN) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHB 268(FIN) Third Reading Final Passage

YEAS: 31 NAYS: 5 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 1

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillis, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, Merrick, Ortiz, Prax, Pruitt, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Carpenter, Eastman, Jackson, Rauscher, Vance

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

Absent: LeDoux

And so, CSHB 268(FIN) passed the House.

Representative Rauscher later gave notice of reconsideration of the vote on CSHB 268(FIN), and reconsideration was taken up then.

## THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

#### SB 120

The following, which was advanced to third reading from the March 21 calendar (page 2009), was read the third time:

# CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 120(HSS) am H

"An Act establishing an alternative to arrest procedure for persons suffering from an acute behavioral health crisis; relating to emergency detention for mental health evaluation; relating to administration of psychotropic medication to a patient without the patient's informed consent; relating to licensure of crisis stabilization centers; and providing for an effective date."

The question being: "Shall CSSB 120(HSS) am H pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 120(HSS) am H Third Reading Final Passage

#### YEAS: 28 NAYS: 7 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 2

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillis, Hannan, Hopkins, Jackson, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, Merrick, Ortiz, Pruitt, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tuck, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Carpenter, Eastman, Prax, Rauscher, Sullivan-Leonard, Tilton,

Vance

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

Absent: LeDoux, Talerico

And so, CSSB 120(HSS) am H passed the House.

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the bill be considered the roll call on the effective date clause. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSSB 120(HSS) am H was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

#### SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

#### HCR 19

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the following be taken up as a Special Order of Business:

#### HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning Senate Bill No. 120, relating to administration of psychotropic medication to a patient without the patient's informed consent.

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The question being: "Shall HCR 19 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

#### HCR 19

Special Order of Business

#### YEAS: 34 NAYS: 1 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 2

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Gillis, Hannan, Hopkins, Jackson, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, Merrick, Ortiz, Prax, Pruitt, Rauscher, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Eastman

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

Absent: Fields, LeDoux

And so, HCR 19 passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

#### SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

#### **HB 290**

Representative Claman moved and asked unanimous consent to withdraw the following, which was moved to the bottom of the calendar (page 2029):

## HOUSE BILL NO. 290

"An Act establishing an alternative to arrest procedure for persons in acute episodes of mental illness; relating to emergency detention for mental health evaluation; and relating to licensure of crisis stabilization centers."

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

#### LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS

Representative Thompson 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:

Honoring - Dr. F. Stuart "Terry" Chapin III By Representative Hopkins

In Memoriam - Philip Allen Daniel By Representative Stutes; Senator Stevens

In Memoriam - Henry Dan "Sonny" Peterson By Representative Stutes; Senator Stevens

#### CONCUR IN SENATE AMENDMENTS

#### **HB 308**

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the House consider the Senate message (page 2023) on the following:

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 308 am

"An Act relating to unemployment benefits during a period of state or national emergency resulting from a novel coronavirus disease (COVID-19) outbreak; and providing for an effective date."

and

SENATE CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 308(FIN) (same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Thompson moved that the House concur in the Senate amendment and recommended that the members vote yes.

The question being: "Shall the House concur in the Senate amendment?" The roll was taken with the following result:

SCS HB 308(FIN)

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

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillis, Hannan, Hopkins, Jackson, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, LeDoux, Merrick, Ortiz, Prax, Pruitt, Rauscher, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

And so, the House concurred in the Senate amendment, thus adopting SCS HB 308(FIN).

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the bill be considered the roll call on the effective date clause. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The Chief Clerk notified the Senate.

The bill was referred to the Chief Clerk for enrollment.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

#### **HB 311**

Representative Kopp, Chair of the Rules Committee, moved and asked unanimous consent to waive Uniform Rule 23 so the Rules Committee can hear the following March 24 at 3:00 p.m.:

### HOUSE BILL NO. 311

"An Act extending the March 11, 2020, governor's declaration of a public health disaster emergency in response to the COVID-19 pandemic; relating to the powers of the director of insurance; relating to standing orders issued by the chief medical officer; relating to professional licensing; relating to telemedicine and telehealth; relating to board of nursing fingerprint requirements; relating to the 2020 primary and general elections; relating to permanent fund dividend applications; relating to automatic voter registration; relating to tax; relating to shareholder meetings; and providing for an effective date."

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

# RECONSIDERATION

#### **HB 268**

Representative Rauscher gave notice of reconsideration of the vote on CSHB 268(FIN) (page 2034).

Representative Rauscher moved and asked unanimous consent that reconsideration of CSHB 268(FIN) be taken up on the same day. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The following was before the House in third reading:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 268(FIN)

"An Act relating to the Alaska Municipal Bond Bank Authority."

The question to be reconsidered: "Shall CSHB 268(FIN) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHB 268(FIN) Third Reading Final Passage Reconsideration

## YEAS: 33 NAYS: 4 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillis, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Johnston, Josephson, Knopp, Kopp, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, LeDoux, Merrick, Ortiz, Prax, Pruitt, Rauscher, Shaw, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Carpenter, Eastman, Jackson, Vance

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

And so, CSHB 268(FIN) passed the House on reconsideration and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

#### SB 52

Representative Johnston, Co-chair of the Finance Committee, moved and asked unanimous consent to waive the five-day notice requirement in Uniform Rule 23(a) so the Finance Committee can hear the following tomorrow:

# CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 52(FIN) am

"An Act relating to alcoholic beverages; relating to the regulation of manufacturers, wholesalers, and retailers of alcoholic beverages; relating to licenses, endorsements, and permits involving alcoholic beverages; relating to common carrier approval to transport or deliver alcoholic beverages; relating to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board; relating to offenses involving alcoholic beverages; amending Rule 17(h), Alaska Rules of Minor Offense Procedure; and providing for an effective date."

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the House would revert to:

## MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

#### HB 205

A message dated March 23 was read and received at 5:05 p.m., stating the Senate passed:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 205(FIN)(Corrected) am(brf sup maj fld)

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; making supplemental appropriations; and providing for an effective date."

with the following amendment, and it is transmitted for consideration:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 205(FIN) am S "An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; making capital appropriations, supplemental appropriations, and reappropriations; making appropriations for the operating and capital expenses of the state's integrated comprehensive mental health program; making appropriations under art. IX, sec. 17(c), Constitution of the State of Alaska, from the constitutional budget reserve fund; and providing for an effective date."

(SCR 15 - title change resolution)

The message further stated that engrossment had been waived and Certified Amendment Nos. 2, 3, 6, and 8 were attached.

CSHB 205(FIN)(Corrected) am(brf sup maj fld) is under Unfinished Business.

A message dated March 24 was read stating the Senate passed the following, and they are transmitted for consideration:

# FIRST READING AND REFERENCE OF SENATE RESOLUTIONS

#### **SCR 14**

CS FOR SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14(RLS) by the Senate Rules Committee:

Authorizing the House of Representatives and the Senate to recess for a period of more than three days.

was read the first time.

#### **SCR 15**

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15 by the Senate Finance Committee:

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning House Bill No. 205, making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; and making supplemental appropriations.

was read the first time

## CONCUR IN SENATE AMENDMENTS

#### HB 205

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent to waive Uniform Rule 41(c). There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the House consider the Senate message (page 2041) on the following:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 205(FIN)(Corrected) am(brf sup maj fld)

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; making supplemental appropriations; and providing for an effective date."

and

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 205(FIN) am S "An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; making capital appropriations, supplemental appropriations, and reappropriations; making appropriations for the operating and capital expenses of the state's integrated comprehensive mental health program; making appropriations under art. IX, sec. 17(c), Constitution of the State of Alaska, from the constitutional budget reserve fund; and providing for an effective date."

(SCR 15 - title change resolution)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Thompson moved that the House concur in the Senate amendment and recommended that the members vote no.

The question being: "Shall the House concur in the Senate amendment?" The roll was taken with the following result:

SCS CSHB 205(FIN) am S Concur

#### YEAS: 14 NAYS: 23 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 0

Yeas: Carpenter, Gillis, Jackson, Johnson, LeDoux, Merrick, Prax, Pruitt, Rauscher, Shaw, Sullivan-Leonard, Talerico, Tilton, Vance

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

Excused: Lincoln, Neuman, Rasmussen

And so, the House failed to concur in the Senate amendment.

The Chief Clerk notified the Senate and respectfully requested it to recede.

In the event the Senate fails to recede from its amendment, the Speaker appointed the following members to a Conference Committee to meet with a like committee from the Senate to consider the bills:

Representative Foster, Chair Representative Johnston Representative Tilton

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

#### HB 182

Representative Hopkins added as a cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO 182

An Act relating to testing of sexual assault examination kits; and providing for an effective date.

## HB 232

Representatives Tuck, Kopp, and Tarr added as cosponsors to:

# CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 232(L&C)

"An Act relating to a municipal air quality improvement tax credit; and relating to a municipal energy efficient construction tax credit."

#### HB 268

Representatives Kopp and Story added as cosponsors to:

# CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 268(FIN)

"An Act relating to the Alaska Municipal Bond Bank Authority."

#### SB 52

Representative Tuck added as a cross sponsor to:

# CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 52(FIN) am

"An Act relating to alcoholic beverages; relating to the regulation of manufacturers, wholesalers, and retailers of alcoholic beverages; relating to licenses, endorsements, and permits involving alcoholic beverages; relating to common carrier approval to transport or deliver alcoholic beverages; relating to the

Alcoholic Beverage Control Board; relating to offenses involving alcoholic beverages; amending Rule 17(h), Alaska Rules of Minor Offense Procedure; and providing for an effective date."

# **SB 55**

Representatives Kopp and Josephson added as cross sponsors to:

# CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 55(2d JUD)

"An Act relating to judges of the court of appeals; and providing for an effective date."

#### ENGROSSMENT

#### HCR 19

HCR 19 was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

#### **HB 232**

CSHB 232(L&C) was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

#### **HB 268**

CSHB 268(FIN) was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

#### SB 120

CSSB 120(HSS) am H 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 Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:30 a.m., March 24. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 6:03 p.m.

Crystaline Jones Chief Clerk