

**SENATE JOURNAL**  
**ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE**  
**THIRTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE**  
**FIRST SESSION**

**Juneau, Alaska**

**Friday**

**May 3, 2019**

**One Hundred Ninth Day**

Pursuant to adjournment the Senate was called to order by President Giessel at 11:04 a.m.

The roll showed eighteen members present. Senator Birch was excused from a call of the Senate. Senator Stedman was absent.

The prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Dani Cherian, Valley Church. Senator Hoffman moved and asked unanimous consent the prayer be spread. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Dear Lord Jesus,

Thank you for a new day and for calling each Senator and their staff here, to accomplish your plans today.

I ask that you would guide them, as they share and decide on the topics of the day. Please bless them with strength and give them harmony as they make decisions for Alaska.

It says that, “My help comes from the LORD, who made heaven and earth! He will not let you stumble; the one who watches over you will not slumber.” (Psa. 121:2-3)

Give them boldness to seek your help and access to your wisdom, knowledge and understanding, and help these leaders, make good decisions for the great State of Alaska. In Jesus’ Name, Amen.

Senator Shower led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Certification**

Senator Costello moved and asked unanimous consent the journal for the one hundred eighth legislative day be approved as certified by the Secretary. Without objection, it was so ordered.

The presence of Senator Stedman was noted.

**Messages from the House****SB 40**

Message dated May 2 was read stating the House passed and returned:

SENATE BILL NO. 40 "An Act establishing the month of February as Black History Month."

The bill was referred to the Secretary for enrollment.

**Concur Messages****SB 78**

Message dated May 2 was read stating the House passed and returned for consideration SENATE BILL NO. 78 "An Act establishing May 31 of each year as Katie John Day" with the following amendment:

HOUSE CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 78(TRB) "An Act establishing May 31 of each year as Katie John Day; and providing for an effective date."

Senator Costello moved the Senate concur in the House amendment. Senator Begich objected, then withdrew his objection.

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

HCS SB 78(TRB)

Shall the Senate Concur in the House

Amendment to SB 78?

Effective Date

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

Yeas: Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Giessel, Gray-Jackson, Hoffman, Hughes, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Micciche, Olson, Reinbold, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

Excused: Birch

and so, the Senate concurred in the House amendment, thus adopting HOUSE CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 78(TRB) "An Act establishing May 31 of each year as Katie John Day; and providing for an effective date."

Senator Costello moved and asked unanimous consent the vote on concurrence be considered the vote on the effective date clause. Without objection, it was so ordered.

The Secretary was requested to notify the House.

The bill was referred to the Secretary for enrollment.

## **Consideration of the Calendar**

### **Second Reading of Senate Bills**

#### **SB 71**

SENATE BILL NO. 71 "An Act making corrective amendments to the Alaska Statutes as recommended by the revisor of statutes" was read the second time.

Senator Costello 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.

SENATE BILL NO. 71 was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall SENATE BILL NO. 71 "An Act making corrective amendments to the Alaska Statutes as recommended by the revisor of statutes" pass the Senate?" The roll was taken with the following result:

SB 71

Third Reading - Final Passage

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

Yeas: Begich, Bishop, Coghill, Costello, Giessel, Gray-Jackson, Hoffman, Hughes, Kawasaki, Kiehl, Micciche, Olson, Reinbold, Shower, Stedman, Stevens, von Imhof, Wielechowski, Wilson

Excused: Birch

and so, SENATE BILL NO. 71 passed the Senate and was referred to the Secretary for engrossment.

### **Citations**

Honoring - Fritz Moser & Liz Moser  
Senator Kiehl  
Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Linda Hulbert  
Representative LeBon  
Senator Coghill

Honoring - Kelly Corrigan  
Representatives Claman, Revak

In Memoriam - Linda "Lena" Sorenson  
Senator Kiehl  
Representatives Hannan, Story

In Memoriam - Peter Larsen Jr.  
Senators Olson, Bishop

In Memoriam - Nathaniel Charles Simon  
Senator Olson  
Representative Foster

In Memoriam - Joyce Elaine Peterson Galleher  
Senator Olson  
Representative Foster

In Memoriam - John J. Cadigan  
Senator Kiehl  
Representatives Hannan, Story

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

### **Unfinished Business**

Pursuant to AS 44.33.431, President Giessel made the following appointments:

**Alaska Minerals Commission**  
Peter Illig (three-year term)  
Rob Retherford (two-year term)

### **Announcements**

Announcements are at the end of the journal.

### **Engrossment**

#### **SB 71**

SENATE BILL NO. 71 "An Act making corrective amendments to the Alaska Statutes as recommended by the revisor of statutes" was engrossed, signed by the President and Secretary and transmitted to the House for consideration.

### **Adjournment**

Senator Costello moved and asked unanimous consent the Senate stand in adjournment until 2:00 p.m., May 6, 2019. Without objection, the Senate adjourned at 11:24 a.m.

Liz Clark  
Secretary of the Senate

**Announcements**

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**STANDING COMMITTEES**

+ indicates teleconference

= indicates bill previously heard/scheduled

**COMMUNITY & REGIONAL AFFAIRS**

**May 07      Tuesday      Beltz 105 (tsbldg)      3:30 PM**

+ HJR 10 SUPPORTING ROAD BELT ELECTRICAL LINE

-- Public Testimony --

+ HJR 14 URGING SUPPORT FOR NOME DEEP-DRAFT PORT

-- Public Testimony --

+ HJR 9 ELIZABETH PERATROVICH COMMEMORATIVE COIN

-- Public Testimony --

**May 09      Thursday      Beltz 105 (tsbldg)      3:30 PM**

+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

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**EDUCATION**

**May 06      Monday      Capitol 106      8:30 AM**

-- Please Note Time & Location --

-- Joint with House Education --

+ Presentation:

"Alaska's University for Alaska's Schools:

Teacher Preparation, Retention & Recruitment

Initiatives at the University of Alaska" (Annual Report per AS 14.40.190b)

-- Teleconference Listen Only --

\*\*Streamed live on AKL.tv\*\*

**May 07      Tuesday      Butrovich 205      9:00 AM**

No Meeting Scheduled

**May 09      Thursday      Butrovich 205      9:00 AM**

No Meeting Scheduled

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## FINANCE

<b>May 03</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled:		
+= SB 19	APPROP: CAPITAL BUDGET; SUPPLEMENTAL		
+= SB 34	PROBATION; PAROLE; SENTENCES; CREDITS		
<b>May 03</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled:		
+= SB 32	CRIMES; SENTENCING; MENT. ILLNESS; EVIDENCE		
	-- Public Testimony --		
+= SB 33	ARREST; RELEASE; SENTENCING; PROBATION		
	-- Public Testimony --		
+= SB 34	PROBATION; PAROLE; SENTENCES; CREDITS		
	-- Public Testimony --		
<b>May 04</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled:		
+= SB 74	INTERNET FOR SCHOOLS		
+ HB 14	ASSAULT; SEX OFFENSES; SENT. AGGRAVATOR		
+= SB 35	CRIMES; SEX CRIMES; SENTENCING; PAROLE		
<b>May 05</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
<b>May 06</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
+ HB 106	SCHOOL BOND DEBT REIMBURSEMENT		
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
<b>May 06</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
<b>May 07</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
+= SB 19	APPROP: CAPITAL BUDGET; SUPPLEMENTAL		
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
<b>May 07</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
<b>May 08</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
<b>May 08</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		

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## FINANCE (continued)

<b>May 09</b> +	<b>Thursday</b> Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
<b>May 09</b> +	<b>Thursday</b> Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
<b>May 10</b> +	<b>Friday</b> Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
<b>May 10</b> +	<b>Friday</b> Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
<b>May 11</b> +	<b>Saturday</b> Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>
<b>May 12</b> +	<b>Sunday</b> Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>

## HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES

<b>May 03</b>	<b>Friday</b> No Meeting Scheduled	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
<b>May 06</b>	<b>Monday</b> No Meeting Scheduled	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
<b>May 08</b>	<b>Wednesday</b> No Meeting Scheduled	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
<b>May 10</b>	<b>Friday</b> No Meeting Scheduled	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
<b>May 13</b>	<b>Monday</b> No Meeting Scheduled	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
<b>May 15</b>	<b>Wednesday</b> No Meeting Scheduled	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
<b>May 17</b>	<b>Friday</b> No Meeting Scheduled	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
<b>May 20</b>	<b>Monday</b> No Meeting Scheduled	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>



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### JUDICIARY

<b>May 03</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Beltz 105 (tsbldg)</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
+	-- MEETING CANCELED -- Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
<b>May 06</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Beltz 105 (tsbldg)</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
	No Meeting Scheduled		
<b>May 08</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Beltz 105 (tsbldg)</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
	No Meeting Scheduled		
<b>May 10</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Beltz 105 (tsbldg)</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
	No Meeting Scheduled		

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### LABOR & COMMERCE

<b>May 07</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Beltz 105 (tsbldg)</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
<b>May 09</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Beltz 105 (tsbldg)</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
	No Meeting Scheduled		

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### RESOURCES

<b>May 03</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>
	No Meeting Scheduled		
<b>May 06</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>
	No Meeting Scheduled		
<b>May 08</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>
	No Meeting Scheduled		
<b>May 10</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>
	No Meeting Scheduled		

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## STATE AFFAIRS

<b>May 03</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>
	-- MEETING CANCELED --		
+ SB 116	BALLOT CUSTODY/TAMPERING; VOTER REG		
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		

  

<b>May 07</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		

  

<b>May 09</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>3:30 PM</b>
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		

## TRANSPORTATION

<b>May 07</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
	No Meeting Scheduled		

  

<b>May 09</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	<b>1:30 PM</b>
	No Meeting Scheduled		

## JOINT COMMITTEES

### JOINT ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE

<b>May 09</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>11:15 AM</b>
	-- Please Note Time Change --		
+	Presentations by:		
	- Brigadier General Torrence Saxe, The Adjutant General, Alaska National Guard Commissioner, Alaska Department of Military & Veterans' Affairs		
	- Colonel Cory Mendenhall, Representing the Lieutenant General, Alaska North American Aerospace Defense Region, Alaskan Command, Eleventh Air Force		
	- Colonel Adam Lange, Representing the Commanding General, U.S. Army Alaska		
	- Rear Admiral Matthew Bell, Commander, Seventeenth U.S. Coast Guard District		

**LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

<b>May 06</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Senate Finance 532</b>	<b>12:00 PM</b>
+	Ratification of Charity Events - 2nd Annual "Flying Through Time" Silver Gala Committee Business - Per Diem Budget Transfer Contract Approvals - ITB 633 - Terry Miller Building Retaining Wall Cap & Rail - Bethel Office Space Renewal - FY20 Microsoft Enterprise Software Renewal -- Teleconference Listen Only -- **Streamed live on AKL.tv**		