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One Hundred Eighteenth Day

The House was called to order by Speaker Stutes at 1:08 p.m.

Roll call showed 33 members present. Representatives Edgmon, Kreiss-Tomkins, and Zulkosky were absent and their presence was noted later. Representative Rauscher was absent and later excused (page 2892). Representatives McCarty, Nelson, and Shaw were absent.

The House observed a meditative moment of silence. Representative Thompson moved and asked unanimous consent that the invocation be spread on the journal. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Representative Merrick.

CERTIFICATION OF THE JOURNAL

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the journal for the 117th legislative day be approved as certified by the Chief Clerk. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Eastman, citing Uniform Rule 13, rose to a point of order regarding the House meeting on Sunday without a majority vote of the body to do so.

The Speaker ruled the point out of order.

Representative Eastman appealed the ruling of the chair.

The question being: "Shall the ruling of the Chair be sustained?" The roll was taken with the following result:

Sustain Ruling of the Chair

YEAS: 20 NAYS: 13 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 7

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Josephson, LeBon, Merrick, Ortiz, Rasmussen, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tuck, Wool

Nays: Carpenter, Cronk, Eastman, Gillham, Johnson, Kaufman, Kurka, McCabe, McKay, Patkotak, Prax, Tilton, Vance

Absent: Edgmon, Kreiss-Tomkins, McCarty, Nelson, Rauscher, Shaw, Zulkosky

And so, the ruling of the Chair was sustained.

**The presence of Representative Zulkosky was noted.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

A Declaration of Disaster Emergency and accompanying letter dated May 14, regarding flooding of the Tanana and Kuskokwim Rivers, were received and are on file in the Chief Clerk's office.

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

CONCUR IN SENATE AMENDMENTS

HB 282

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the House consider the Senate message (page 2855) on the following:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 282(FIN)

"An Act making appropriations for the operating and capital expenses of the state's integrated comprehensive mental health program; and providing for an effective date."

and

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 282(FIN) am S
(same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

**The presence of Representatives Edgmon and Kreiss-Tomkins was noted.

Representative Tuck 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 282(FIN) am S

Concur

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

Nays: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Excused: Rauscher

Absent: McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

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 Merrick, Chair

Representative Ortiz

Representative LeBon

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**SB 174**

A message dated May 11 was read stating the Senate concurred in the House amendment to CSSB 174(EDC), thus adopting:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 174(L&C) am H
"An Act relating to dress codes and natural hairstyles."

HB 281

A message dated May 14 was read stating the Senate failed to recede from its amendment to:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 281(FIN) am(brf sup maj fld)(efd fld)
"An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; amending appropriations; and making capital appropriations, supplemental appropriations, and reappropriations."

namely:

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 281(FIN) am S
"An Act making appropriations for the operating and loan program expenses of state government and for certain programs; capitalizing funds; amending appropriations; making capital appropriations, supplemental appropriations, and reappropriations; and providing for an effective date."

(technical title change)

The President appointed the following members to a Conference Committee to meet with a like committee from the House to consider the bills:

Senator Stedman, Chair
Senator Bishop
Senator Wielechowski

COMMUNICATIONS

Letters of disclosure received from the Select Committee on Legislative Ethics, as required by AS 24.60, were published in House Journal Supplement No. 10 and House and Senate Joint Journal Supplement No. 16.

The following was received:

Dept. of Labor & Workforce Development
Alaska Labor Relations Agency Board
2021 Annual Report
May 12, 2022
(as required by AS 23.05.370)

**The presence of Representative Rauscher, who was excused (page 2892), was noted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**HJR 35**

The Transportation Committee considered:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 35

Supporting the completion of the Northern Rail Extension; supporting the increase in defensive capabilities at Fort Greely, Alaska; and encouraging the development of critical Arctic infrastructure.

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 35(TRA)

Supporting the completion of the Port MacKenzie Rail Extension and the Northern Rail Extension; supporting the increase in defensive capabilities at Fort Greely, Alaska; encouraging a renewed commitment by the Alaska Railroad to a community-minded approach to future rail expansion; and encouraging the development of critical Arctic infrastructure.

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

Do pass (3): Cronk, McKay, McCabe

No recommendation (2): Hannan, Hopkins

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHJR 35(TRA):

2. Zero, House Transportation Committee

HJR 35 was referred to the Rules Committee.

HB 66

The State Affairs Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 66

"An Act relating to voting, voter qualifications, and voter registration; relating to poll watchers; relating to absentee ballots and questioned ballots; relating to election worker compensation; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 66(STA)

"An Act relating to elections; relating to voters; relating to the crimes of unlawful interference with voting, unlawful interference with an election, election fraud, and election official misconduct; and providing for an effective date."

The report was signed by Representative Kreiss-Tomkins, Chair, with the following individual recommendations:

Do pass (3): Story, Tarr, Kreiss-Tomkins

Do not pass (1): Eastman

No recommendation (1): Claman

Amend (2): Kaufman, Vance

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 66(STA):

2. Fiscal, Office of the Governor

HB 66 was referred to the Finance Committee.

HB 220

The Finance Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 220

"An Act relating to the Public Employees' Retirement System of Alaska and the teachers' retirement system; providing certain employees an opportunity to choose between the defined benefit and defined contribution plans of the Public Employees' Retirement System of Alaska and the teachers' retirement system; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 220(FIN)
(same title)

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

Do pass (4): Ortiz, Wool, Josephson, Foster

No recommendation (3): LeBon, Rasmussen, Merrick

The following fiscal note(s) apply to CSHB 220(FIN):

3. Fiscal, Dept. of Administration/Retirement Payments

HB 220 was referred to the Rules Committee.

HB 350

The Finance Committee considered:

HOUSE BILL NO. 350

"An Act relating to school bond debt reimbursement; and providing for an effective date."

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

Do pass (5): Ortiz, Johnson, Wool, Josephson, Foster

Do not pass (2): Carpenter, Thompson

No recommendation (2): LeBon, Merrick

Amend (1): Rasmussen

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

1. Indeterminate, Dept. of Education & Early Development/Debt Service

HB 350 was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 20

The Finance Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 20(FIN)

"An Act relating to teaching certificates for teachers holding out-of-state certificates."

and recommends it be replaced with:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 20(EDC)

(same title)

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

Do pass (5): Ortiz, Wool, Johnson, Merrick, Foster

Do not pass (1): Carpenter

No recommendation (3): LeBon, Josephson, Rasmussen

Amend (1): Thompson

The following fiscal note(s) apply to HCS CSSB 20(EDC):

3. Fiscal, Dept. of Education & Early Development

CSSB 20(FIN) was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 45

The Finance Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 45(FIN)

"An Act raising the minimum age to purchase, sell, exchange, or possess tobacco, a product containing nicotine, or an electronic smoking product; relating to selling a tobacco product; relating to possession of tobacco, electronic smoking products, or products containing nicotine by a person under 21 years of age; relating to the definition of 'nicotine'; relating to transporting tobacco, a product containing nicotine, or an electronic smoking product; relating to the taxation of electronic smoking products; relating to electronic smoking products; relating to the marketing of electronic smoking products; relating to tobacco products; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 45(FIN)

"An Act raising the minimum age to purchase, sell, exchange, or possess tobacco, a product containing nicotine, or an electronic smoking product; relating to selling a tobacco product; relating to possession of tobacco, electronic smoking products, or products containing nicotine by an underaged person; relating to the definition of 'nicotine'; relating to transporting tobacco, a product containing nicotine, or an electronic smoking product; relating to the taxation of electronic smoking products; relating to electronic smoking products; relating to the marketing of electronic smoking products; relating to tobacco products; and providing for an effective date."

(HCR 16 - title change resolution)

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

Do pass (1): Josephson

No recommendation (5): Johnson, LeBon, Carpenter, Rasmussen, Merrick

Amend (4): Ortiz, Edgmon, Wool, Foster

The following fiscal note(s) apply to HCS CSSB 45(FIN):

4. Zero, Dept. of Health & Social Services/Dept. of Health
6. Zero, Office of the Governor/Combined
7. Fiscal, Dept. of Revenue

CSSB 45(FIN) was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 173

The Finance Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 173(FIN)

"An Act relating to the practice of dentistry; relating to dental radiological equipment; and providing for an effective date."

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

Do pass (7): Ortiz, Edgmon, LeBon, Thompson, Johnson, Wool, Foster

No recommendation (4): Carpenter, Josephson, Rasmussen, Merrick

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

1. Fiscal, Dept. of Health & Social Services
2. Fiscal, Dept. of Health & Social Services
3. Fiscal, Dept. of Commerce, Community, & Economic Development

CSSB 173(FIN) was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 182

The Judiciary Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 182(JUD)

"An Act establishing the crime of interference with emergency communications."

and recommends it be replaced with:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 182(STA)
(same title)

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

Do pass (3): Drummond, Snyder, Claman

Do not pass (1): Eastman

No recommendation (1): Kreiss-Tomkins

Amend (1): Kurka

The following fiscal note(s) apply to HCS CSSB 182(STA):

1. Zero, Dept. of Law

CSSB 182(JUD) was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 185

The Labor & Commerce Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 185(L&C)

"An Act relating to exemptions from minimum wage."

and recommends it be replaced with:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 185(L&C)
(same title)

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

Do pass (4): Snyder, Nelson, Fields, Spohnholz

No recommendation (2): Schrage, McCarty

The following fiscal note(s) apply to HCS CSSB 185(L&C):

1. Zero, Dept. of Labor & Workforce Development

CSSB 185(L&C) was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 190

The Labor & Commerce Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 190(FIN)

"An Act extending the termination date of the Regulatory Commission of Alaska; relating to Regulatory Commission of Alaska regulations regarding refuse utilities; relating to the powers and duties of the legislative audit division; and providing for an effective date."

and recommends it be replaced with:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 190(L&C)

"An Act extending the termination date of the Regulatory Commission of Alaska; relating to Regulatory Commission of Alaska regulations regarding refuse utilities; relating to municipal refuse utilities; relating to the powers and duties of the legislative audit division; and providing for an effective date."

(HCR 17 - title change resolution)

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

Do pass (3): Snyder, Fields, Spohnholz

No recommendation (4): McCarty, Schrage, Kaufman, Nelson

The following fiscal note(s) apply to HCS CSSB 190(L&C):

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

CSSB 190(FIN) was referred to the Finance Committee.

SB 203

The Finance Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 203(FIN)

"An Act designating the Alaska marine highway system and portions of the Parks, Glenn, Seward, and Sterling Highways as a part of the State's Purple Heart Trail and relating to signage and informational displays for the trail."

and recommends it be replaced with:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 203(FIN)
(same title)

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

Do pass (9): Ortiz, LeBon, Thompson, Johnson, Wool, Josephson, Rasmussen, Merrick, Foster

No recommendation (1): Carpenter

The following fiscal note(s) apply to HCS CSSB 203(FIN):

2. Fiscal, Dept. of Transportation & Public Facilities

CSSB 203(FIN) is on today's calendar.

SB 243

The Finance Committee considered:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 243(FIN)

"An Act relating to the power cost equalization endowment fund; relating to power cost equalization; and providing for an effective date."

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

Do pass (5): Ortiz, Edgmon, Carpenter, Josephson, Foster

No recommendation (5): LeBon, Thompson, Wool, Rasmussen, Merrick

The following fiscal note(s) apply:

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

CSSB 243(FIN) is on today's calendar.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE OF HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

HCR 16

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16 by the House Finance Committee:

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning Senate Bill No. 45, raising the minimum age to purchase, sell, exchange, or possess tobacco, a product containing nicotine, or an electronic smoking product; relating to selling a tobacco product; relating to possession of tobacco, electronic smoking products, or products containing nicotine by a person under 21 years of age; relating to the definition of 'nicotine'; relating to transporting tobacco, a product containing nicotine, or an electronic smoking product; relating to the taxation of electronic smoking products; relating to electronic smoking products; relating to the marketing of electronic smoking products; and relating to tobacco products.

was read the first time.

HCR 17

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17 by the House Labor and Commerce Committee:

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning Senate Bill No. 190, extending the termination date of the Regulatory Commission of Alaska; relating to Regulatory Commission of Alaska regulations regarding refuse utilities; and relating to the powers and duties of the legislative audit division.

was read the first time.

HCR 18

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18 by the House State Affairs Committee:

Suspending Rules 24(c), 35, 41(b), and 42(e), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, concerning Senate Bill No. 203, designating the Alaska marine highway system and portions of the Parks, Glenn, Seward, and Sterling Highways as a part of the State's Purple Heart Trail and relating to signage and informational displays for the trail.

was read the first time.

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the notice and publication requirements be waived and the citations on the first special order citation calendar be taken up as a Special Order of Business. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the House approve the citation, In Memoriam - Clement "Clem" V. Tillion.

Representative Eastman objected.

The question being: "Shall the House approve the citation, In Memoriam - Clement "Clem" V. Tillion?" The roll was taken with the following result:

In Memoriam - Clement "Clem" V. Tillion
Approve Citation(s) on the Calendar

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YEAS: 33 NAYS: 1 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 6

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Snyder, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool

Nays: Eastman

Absent: McCarty, Nelson, Patkotak, Shaw, Spohnholz, Zulkosky

And so, the following citation was approved and sent to enrolling:

In Memoriam - Clement "Clem" V. Tillion
By Senator Micciche; Representative Vance

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the House approve the remaining citations on the first special order citation calendar.

Representative Hannan objected to the citation, In Memoriam - Jeff Jemison, offered remarks, and withdrew the objection.

Representative Tuck objected to the citation, Honoring - Helen & Gene Vik, offered remarks, and withdrew the objection.

There being no further objection, the following citations were approved and sent to enrolling:

Honoring - Bruce C. Brueggeman
By Representative Vance

Honoring - Shannon Farstad
By Representative Ortiz; Senator Stedman

Honoring - Nancy DeCherney
By Representatives Story, Hannan; Senator Kiehl

Honoring - Dale Bontrager
By Representatives Hannan, Story; Senator Kiehl

Honoring - Helen & Gene Vik
By Representative Tuck

Honoring - Brent Sass
By Representatives Hopkins, Cronk; Senator Bishop

Honoring - David Mollett
By Representatives Wool, Hopkins

Honoring - Sandra Pahlke
By Representatives Story, Hannan; Senator Kiehl

Honoring - Lillian Petershoare
By Representatives Story, Hannan; Senator Kiehl

Honoring - Cafecito Bonito
By Representatives Spohnholz, Fields; Senator Wielechowski

Honoring - Ketchikan Public Library
By Representative Ortiz

Honoring - Dimond High School Boys Hockey Team
By Representatives Rasmussen, McKay

Honoring - Dimond-West Girls Hockey Team
By Representatives Rasmussen, McKay

Honoring - Juneau Capitals 10U-B Hockey Team
By Representatives Hannan, Story; Senator Kiehl

Honoring - West Valley High School, Girls Track and Field Team
By Representatives Hopkins, Wool; Senator Kawasaki

Honoring - Dorain Gross-Stangeland
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Loren Jones
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Eileen Donahue
By Senators von Imhof, Stedman; Representative Tuck

Honoring - Dorine Grace McCall
By Senator Revak

Honoring - Locolithophores, 2022 Tsunami Bowl Champions
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - 2021 Haines High School Cross Country Team
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - Juneau-Douglas High School: Yadaa.at Kalé Girls 2021
Soccer State Champions
By Senator Kiehl; Representatives Hannan, Story

Honoring - The Senate Secretary, Deputy Senate Secretaries, and
Senate Records Staff
By Senator Stevens

Honoring - Senate Floor Staff
By Senator Stevens

Honoring - 2022 Business Hall of Fame Laureates
By Senator Revak

Honoring - 2021 Top Forty Under Forty Recipients
By Senator Revak

Honoring - 2022 Top Forty Under Forty Recipients
By Senator Revak

In Memoriam - Len "Mr. Ketchikan" Laurance
By Representative Ortiz

In Memoriam - Steven Robert Wolf
By Representatives Story, Hannan; Senator Kiehl

In Memoriam - Dr. Jason Ohler
By Representatives Hannan, Story; Senator Kiehl

In Memoriam - Jeff Jemison
By Representatives Hannan, Story; Senator Kiehl

In Memoriam - Mark Drygas
By Representative Hopkins; Senator Bishop

In Memoriam - Kevin Araki
By Representatives Story, Hannan; Senator Kiehl

In Memoriam - Noel Woods
By Senators Revak, Hughes

In Memoriam - Anita Jean Higgins Woods
By Senators Revak, Hughes

In Memoriam - Judith "Judi" Ann Slajer (Sabine)
By Senators Kawasaki, Begich; Representative Ortiz

In Memoriam - Kenneth Creamer
By Senator Stedman; Representative Kreiss-Tomkins

In Memoriam - Theodore Merwin Smith
By Senator Stedman

CONSIDERATION OF THE DAILY CALENDAR

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 276

The following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2885), was read the second time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 276

"An Act relating to licensing of psychologists and psychological associates; and relating to the practice of psychology."

with the:

Journal Page

L&C RPT CS(L&C) 4DP 2NR
FN1: ZERO(CED)

2617
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Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the following committee substitute be adopted in lieu of the original bill:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 276(L&C)
(same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Amendment No. 1 was offered by Representative Eastman:

Page 2, line 5 following "(9)":

Insert "may"

Representative Eastman moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 1 be adopted.

Representative Fields objected and withdrew the objection. There being no further objection, Amendment No.1 was adopted.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that CSHB 276(L&C) am be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage.

There was objection.

CSHB 276(L&C) am will advance to third reading on tomorrow's calendar.

HB 325

The following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2885), was read the second time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 325
"An Act relating to domestic violence."

with the:

Journal Page

JUD RPT 3DP 1DNP 1NR 1AM	2832
FN1: ZERO(COR)	2832
FN2: ZERO(LAW)	2832
FN3: ZERO(DPS)	2832

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that HB 325 be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HB 325 was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall HB 325 pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HB 325

Third Reading

Final Passage

YEAS: 35 NAYS: 2 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 3

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Eastman, Kurka

Absent: McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

And so, HB 325 passed the House and was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

HB 413

The following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2885), was read the second time:

HOUSE BILL NO. 413

"An Act relating to facilities constituting a school; and providing for an effective date."

with the:

Journal Page

EDC RPT 2DP 3NR	2621
FN1: ZERO(EED)	2621
FN2: (EED/FUND CAP)	2621
FIN RPT 4DP 6NR	2748
FN1: ZERO(EED)	2748
FN2: (EED/FUND CAP)	2748

The Speaker stated that, without objection, HB 413 would be moved to the bottom of the calendar.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SB 7

The following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2885), was read the second time:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 7(JUD)

"An Act requiring the Department of Public Safety to publish certain policies and procedures on the department's Internet website."

with the:

Journal Page

STA RPT 4DP 2NR 1AM	2265
FN2: ZERO(DPS)	2265
JUD RPT 3DP 1DNP 3NR	2652
FN2: ZERO(DPS)	2652

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that CSHB 7(JUD) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage.

There was objection.

CSHB 7(JUD) will advance to third reading on tomorrow's calendar.

SB 9

The following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2885), was read the second time:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 9(FIN)

"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."

with the:	Journal Page
L&C RPT HCS(L&C) 7DP	1902
FN6: (AJS)	1902
FN7: INDETERMINATE(REV)	1902
FN8: (CED)	1902
FN9: ZERO(CED)	1902
FN10: ZERO(DHS)	1902
FIN RPT HCS(FIN) 2DP 4NR	2731
FN6: (AJS)	2731
FN7: INDETERMINATE(REV)	2731
FN8: (CED)	2731
FN9: ZERO(CED)	2731
FN10: ZERO(DHS)	2731

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the following committee substitute be adopted in lieu of the original bill:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 9(FIN)
(same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Amendment No. 1 was offered by Representative Kurka:

Page 71, line 16:

Delete "**and (k)**"

Insert "**(k), and (o)**"

Page 74, following line 8:

Insert a new bill section to read:

** **Sec. 53.** AS 04.11.400 is amended by adding a new subsection to read:

(o) A first class city, second class city, home rule city, or unified municipality may, by ordinance, exempt itself from the population limits established in (a)(2) of this section. The ordinance may establish a population limit for a restaurant or eating place license, brewery retail, winery retail, distillery retail, or another type of license, except a type listed in (i) of this section, that is lower than the population limit for that type of license under (a)(2) of this section."

Renumber the following bill sections accordingly.

Page 75, line 27:

Delete "sec. 53"

Insert "sec. 54"

Page 76, line 2:

Delete "sec. 53"

Insert "sec. 54"

Page 120, lines 20 - 21:

Delete "84 - 87, 89 - 134, 139 - 142, 144, and 152 - 154"

Insert "85 - 88, 90 - 135, 140 - 143, 145, and 153 - 155"

Page 120, line 24:

Delete "sec. 127"

Insert "sec. 128"

Page 120, line 25:

Delete "sec. 128"

Insert "sec. 129"

Delete "sec. 133"

Insert "sec. 134"

Page 120, line 30:

Delete "sec. 175"

Insert "sec. 176"

Page 121, line 2:

Delete "74, and 168"

Insert "75, and 169"

Page 121, line 5:

Delete "74, and 168"

Insert "75, and 169"

Page 121, line 6:

Delete "74, and 168"

Insert "75, and 169"

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Page 121, line 14:
Delete "sec. 164"
Insert "sec. 165"

Page 121, line 20:
Delete "sec. 164"
Insert "sec. 165"

Page 121, line 26:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 121, line 30:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 3:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 6:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 9:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 12:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 15:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 19:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 25:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 29:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 4:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 6:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 10:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 16:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 18:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 22:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 28:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 125, line 21:

Delete "Sections 168(a) and 169"

Insert "Sections 169(a) and 170"

Page 125, line 24:

Delete "sec. 108"

Insert "sec. 109"

Page 125, lines 24 - 25:

Delete "sec. 162"

Insert "sec. 163"

Page 125, line 25:

Delete "sec. 162"

Insert "sec. 163"

Page 125, line 27:

Delete "53, 58, 164, 168(a), 168(d)(8), 169, and 170"

Insert "54, 59, 165, 169(a), 169(d)(8), 170, and 171"

Page 125, line 29:

Delete "Section 167"

Insert "Section 168"

Page 125, line 30:

Delete "secs. 173 and 174"

Insert "secs. 174 and 175"

Representative Kurka moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 1 be adopted.

Representative Wool objected.

Representatives Johnson and Tilton moved and asked unanimous consent to abstain from voting because of a conflict of interest. Objection was heard, and they were required to vote.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that Representatives LeBon, Merrick, and Ortiz be excused from a call of the House today. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

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

HCS CSSB 9(FIN)
Second Reading
Amendment No. 1

YEAS: 3 NAYS: 30 EXCUSED: 3 ABSENT: 4

Yeas: Eastman, Kurka, Prax

Nays: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, McCabe, McKay, Patkotak, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Excused: LeBon, Merrick, Ortiz

Absent: McCarty, Nelson, Shaw, Tarr

And so, Amendment No. 1 was not adopted.

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the House would recess to 3:45 p.m.; and so, the House recessed at 3:01 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

The Speaker called the House back to order at 3:53 p.m.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SB 9

The following was before the House in second reading:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 9(FIN)

"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."

Amendment No. 2 was offered by Representative Kurka:

Page 71, line 25:

Delete "1,500"

Insert "300 [1,500]"

Representative Kurka moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 2 be adopted.

Representative Spohnholz objected.

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

HCS CSSB 9(FIN)

Second Reading

Amendment No. 2

YEAS: 3 NAYS: 34 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 3

Yeas: Eastman, Kurka, Prax

Nays: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Absent: McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

And so, Amendment No. 2 was not adopted.

Amendment No. 3 was offered by Representative Kurka:

Page 71, line 25:

Delete "1,500"

Insert "750 [1,500]"

Representative Kurka moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 3 be adopted.

There was objection.

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

HCS CSSB 9(FIN)
Second Reading
Amendment No. 3

YEAS: 5 NAYS: 32 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 3

Yeas: Eastman, Gillham, Kurka, McKay, Prax

Nays: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, McCabe, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Absent: McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

And so, Amendment No. 3 was not adopted.

Amendment No. 4 was not offered.

Amendment No. 5 was offered by Representative Kreiss-Tomkins:

Page 71, line 27:
Delete "**9,000**"
Insert "**4,500**"

Page 72, line 12:
Delete "**9,000**"
Insert "**4,500**"

Page 72, line 28:
Delete "**9,000**"
Insert "**4,500**"

Representative Kreiss-Tomkins moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 5 be adopted.

Representative Spohnholz objected.

The question being: "Shall Amendment No. 5 be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HCS CSSB 9(FIN)
Second Reading
Amendment No. 5

YEAS: 15 NAYS: 22 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 3

Yeas: Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, Schrage, Snyder, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Vance, Zulkosky

Nays: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Fields, Foster, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Spohnholz, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Wool

Absent: McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

And so, Amendment No. 5 was not adopted.

Amendment No. 6 was offered by Representative Kreiss-Tomkins :

Page 73, following line 6:

Insert a new bill section to read:

"* **Sec. 51.** AS 04.11.400(a), as amended by sec. 50 of this Act, is amended to read:

(a) Except as provided in (f), (i), and (k) of this section and AS 04.11.405, a new license may not be issued and the board may prohibit relocation of an existing license

(1) outside an established village, incorporated city, unified municipality, or organized borough if, after the issuance or relocation, in a radius of five miles of the licensed premises, excluding the populations of established villages, incorporated cities, unified municipalities, and organized boroughs that are wholly or partly included within the radius, there would be

(A) more than one restaurant or eating place license for each 1,500 population or fraction of that population;

(B) more than one brewery retail, one winery retail, and one distillery retail license for each **4,500** [9,000] population or fraction of that population; or

(C) more than one license of each other type, except a type listed in (i) of this section, for each 3,000 population or

fraction of that population;

(2) inside an established village, incorporated city, or unified municipality if, after the issuance or relocation, there would be inside the established village, incorporated city, or unified municipality

(A) more than one restaurant or eating place license for each 1,500 population or fraction of that population;

(B) more than one brewery retail, one winery retail, and one distillery retail license for each 4,500 [9,000] population or fraction of that population; or

(C) more than one license of each other type, except a type listed in (i) of this section, for each 3,000 population or fraction of that population;

(3) inside an organized borough but outside an established village or incorporated city located within the borough if, after the issuance or relocation, there would be inside the borough, but outside the established villages and incorporated cities located within the borough, excluding the population of those established villages that have adopted a local option under AS 04.11.491(b)(1) or (3), and excluding the population of incorporated cities located within the organized borough;

(A) more than one restaurant or eating place license for each 1,500 population or fraction of that population;

(B) more than one brewery retail, one winery retail, and one distillery retail license for each 4,500 [9,000] population or fraction of that population; or

(C) more than one license of each other type, except a type listed in (i) of this section, for each 3,000 population or fraction of that population."

Renumber the following bill sections accordingly.

Page 75, line 27:

Delete "sec. 53"

Insert "sec. 54"

Page 76, line 2:

Delete "sec. 53"

Insert "sec. 54"

Page 120, lines 20 - 21:

Delete "84 - 87, 89 - 134, 139 - 142, 144, and 152 - 154"

Insert "85 - 88, 90 - 135, 140 - 143, 145, and 153 - 155"

Page 120, line 24:

Delete "sec. 127"

Insert "sec. 128"

Page 120, line 25:

Delete "sec. 128"

Insert "sec. 129"

Delete "sec. 133"

Insert "sec. 134"

Page 120, line 30:

Delete "sec. 175"

Insert "sec. 177"

Page 121, line 2:

Delete "74, and 168"

Insert "75, and 169"

Page 121, line 5:

Delete "74, and 168"

Insert "75, and 169"

Page 121, line 6:

Delete "74, and 168"

Insert "75, and 169"

Page 121, line 14:

Delete "sec. 164"

Insert "sec. 165"

Page 121, line 20:

Delete "sec. 164"

Insert "sec. 165"

Page 121, line 26:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 121, line 30:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 3:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 6:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 9:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 12:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 15:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 19:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 25:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 122, line 29:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 4:
Delete "sec. 163"
Insert "sec. 164"

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Page 123, line 6:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 10:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 16:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 18:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 22:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 123, line 28:

Delete "sec. 163"

Insert "sec. 164"

Page 125, line 21:

Delete "Sections 168(a) and 169"

Insert "Sections 169(a) and 170"

Page 125, line 24:

Delete "sec. 108"

Insert "sec. 109"

Page 125, lines 24 - 25:

Delete "sec. 162"

Insert "sec. 163"

Page 125, line 25:

Delete "sec. 162"

Insert "sec. 163"

Page 125, line 27:

Delete "53, 58, 164, 168(a), 168(d)(8), 169, and 170"

Insert "54, 59, 165, 169(a), 169(d)(8), 170, and 171"

Page 125, line 29:

Delete "Section 167"

Insert "Section 168"

Page 125, following line 29:

Insert a new bill section to read:

**** Sec. 176.** Section 51 of this Act takes effect January 1, 2030."

ReNUMBER the following bill section accordingly.

Page 125, line 30:

Delete "secs. 173 and 174"

Insert "secs. 174 - 176"

Representative Kreiss-Tomkins moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 6 be adopted.

Representative Wool objected.

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

HCS CSSB 9(FIN)

Second Reading

Amendment No. 6

YEAS: 20 NAYS: 17 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 3

Yeas: Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Tarr, Vance, Zulkosky

Nays: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Fields, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Stutes, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Wool

Absent: McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

And so, Amendment No. 6 was adopted.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that HCS CSSB 9(FIN) am H be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HCS CSSB 9(FIN) am H was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall HCS CSSB 9(FIN) am H pass the House?"
The roll was taken with the following result:

HCS CSSB 9(FIN) am H

Third Reading

Final Passage

YEAS: 35 NAYS: 2 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 3

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Eastman, Kurka

Absent: McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

And so, HCS CSSB 9(FIN) am H passed the House.

Representative Tuck 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:

HCS CSSB 9(FIN) am H

Third Reading

Effective Date

YEAS: 35 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 5

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Absent: Fields, McCarty, Nelson, Schrage, Shaw

And so, the effective date clause was adopted.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the roll call on the passage of the bill be considered the roll call on the court rule change.

There was objection.

The question being: "Shall the court rule change be adopted?" The roll was taken with the following result:

HCS CSSB 9(FIN) am H

Third Reading

Court Rule(s)

YEAS: 36 NAYS: 0 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 4

Yeas: Carpenter, Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Absent: Fields, McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

And so, the court rule change was adopted.

HCS CSSB 9(FIN) am H was referred to the Chief Clerk for engrossment.

SB 71

The following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2886), was read the second time:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 71(FIN)

"An Act relating to special request registration plates celebrating the arts; relating to artwork in public buildings and facilities; relating to the management of artwork under the art in public places fund; relating to the powers and duties of the Alaska State Council on the Arts; establishing the Alaska arts and cultural investment fund; and providing for an effective date."

with the:	Journal Page
STA RPT HCS(STA) 4DP 3AM	2041
FN4: (GOV/FUND CAP)	2041
FN5: (ADM)	2041
FN6: (EED)	2041
FIN RPT HCS(STA) 9DP 1NR	2652
FN4: (GOV/FUND CAP)	2652
FN7: (ADM)	2652
FN8: (EED)	2652

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the following committee substitute be adopted in lieu of the original bill:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 71(STA)
(same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that HCS CSSB 71(STA) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage.

There was objection.

HCS CSSB 71(STA) will advance to third reading on tomorrow's calendar.

SB 177

The following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2886), was read the second time:

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CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 177(RES)

"An Act relating to nuclear facility siting permits; and relating to microreactors."

with the:	Journal Page
RES RPT 5DP 1DNP 2NR 1AM	2859
FN1: ZERO(DEC)	2859

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that CSSB 177(RES) be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

CSSB 177(RES) was read the third time.

The question being: "Shall CSSB 177(RES) pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSSB 177(RES)
Third Reading
Final Passage

YEAS: 29 NAYS: 7 EXCUSED: 0 ABSENT: 4

Yeas: Carpenter, Cronk, Edgmon, Fields, Foster, Gillham, Hopkins, Johnson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, Kurka, LeBon, McCabe, McKay, Merrick, Ortiz, Patkotak, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Snyder, Story, Stutes, Thompson, Tilton, Tuck, Vance, Wool

Nays: Claman, Drummond, Eastman, Hannan, Josephson, Spohnholz, Tarr

Absent: McCarty, Nelson, Shaw, Zulkosky

And so, CSSB 177(RES) passed the House.

SB 186

The following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2887), was read the second time:

SENATE BILL NO. 186

"An Act extending the termination date of the Board of Examiners in Optometry; and providing for an effective date."

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with the:	Journal Page
L&C RPT 7DP	2707
FN1: (CED)	2707
FIN RPT 3DP 3NR	2811
FN1: (CED)	2811

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that SB 186 be considered engrossed, advanced to third reading, and placed on final passage.

There was objection.

SB 186 will advance to third reading on tomorrow's calendar.

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the House would recess to 7:30 p.m.; and so, the House recessed at 6:30 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

The Speaker called the House back to order at 7:41 p.m.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SB 203

The following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2887), was read the second time:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 203(FIN)

"An Act designating the Alaska marine highway system and portions of the Parks, Glenn, Seward, and Sterling Highways as a part of the State's Purple Heart Trail and relating to signage and informational displays for the trail."

with the:	Journal Page
TRA RPT 2DP 3NR 1AM	2708
FN2: (DOT)	2708
FIN RPT HCS(FIN) 9DP 1NR	2903
FN2: (DOT)	2903

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the following committee substitute be adopted in lieu of the original bill:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 203(FIN)
(same title)

There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Amendment No. 1 was offered by Representatives Tarr and Gillham:

Page 1, line 2, following "**Trail**" (title amendment):

Insert "**; naming the Bragaw Street overcrossing of the Glenn Highway the Insook Baik Bridge; naming the Congressman Don Young Bridge;**"

Page 1, line 3, following "**trail**":

Insert "**and the bridges**"

Page 2, following line 18:

Insert new bill sections to read:

**** Sec. 4.** AS 35.40 is amended by adding a new section to read:

Sec. 35.40.223. Insook Baik Bridge. The Bragaw Street overcrossing of the Glenn Highway located in Mountain View in Anchorage is named the Insook Baik Bridge.

*** Sec. 5.** AS 35.40 is amended by adding a new section to read:

Sec. 35.40.405. Congressman Don Young Bridge. Bridge number 1818 to be built across the Juneau Creek Canyon on the Sterling Highway is named the Congressman Don Young Bridge."

Renumber the following bill sections accordingly.

Page 3, following line 5:

Insert a new bill section to read:

**** Sec. 8.** The uncodified law of the State of Alaska is amended by adding a new section to read:

DONATIONS FOR INSOOK BAIK BRIDGE SIGNAGE AND INFORMATIONAL DISPLAYS. Notwithstanding the absence of separate accounting authority under AS 37.05.146, the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities may accept gifts, donations, and grants from a person or agency for the purpose of providing signage

and informational displays for the Insook Baik Bridge. Gifts, donations, and grants shall be used in accordance with a memorandum of understanding agreed on by the donor and the department."

Representative Gillham moved and asked unanimous consent that Amendment No. 1 be adopted.

Representative Carpenter objected.

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

Representative Gillham moved and asked unanimous consent to withdraw Amendment No. 1. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The Speaker stated that, without objection, HCS CSSB 203(FIN) would be held in second reading to tomorrow's calendar.

SB 243

The following was read the second time:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 243(FIN)

"An Act relating to the power cost equalization endowment fund; relating to power cost equalization; and providing for an effective date."

with the:

Journal Page

FIN RPT 5DP 5NR

2904

FN1: (CED)

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The Speaker stated that, without objection, CSSB 243(FIN) would be held to tomorrow's calendar and will advance to third reading.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HB 226

The following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2887), was read the third time:

CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 226(FIN) am

"An Act relating to the compensation of certain employees of the executive branch, judicial branch, and University of Alaska; relating to the compensation of certain employees of the legislative branch; increasing the salaries of certain attorneys and administrative law judges employed by the state; and providing for an effective date."

Representative Hopkins moved and asked unanimous consent to abstain from voting because of a conflict of interest. Objection was heard, and he was required to vote.

The question being: "Shall CSHB 226(FIN) am pass the House?" The roll was taken with the following result:

CSHB 226(FIN) am

Third Reading

Final Passage

YEAS: 21 NAYS: 14 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 4

Yeas: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, Ortiz, Rasmussen, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tuck, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Carpenter, Cronk, Eastman, Foster, Gillham, Kaufman, Kurka, McCabe, McKay, Patkotak, Prax, Rauscher, Tilton, Vance

Excused: Merrick

Absent: Fields, McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

And so, CSHB 226(FIN) am passed the House.

Representative Tuck moved the effective date clause.

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

CSHB 226(FIN) am

Third Reading

Effective Date

YEAS: 29 NAYS: 6 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 4

Yeas: Claman, Cronk, Drummond, Eastman, Edgmon, Foster, Gillham, Hannan, Hopkins, Johnson, Josephson, Kaufman, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, Ortiz, Patkotak, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tuck, Vance, Wool, Zulkosky

Nays: Carpenter, Kurka, McCabe, McKay, Prax, Tilton

Excused: Merrick

Absent: Fields, McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

And so, the effective date clause was adopted.

Representative McCabe gave notice of reconsideration of the vote on CSHB 226(FIN) am.

HB 416

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the following, which was not taken up on the May 14 calendar (page 2887), would be held to tomorrow's calendar:

HOUSE BILL NO. 416

"An Act relating to the compensation of certain executive branch employees not covered by collective bargaining agreements; and providing for an effective date."

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS**HB 413**

The Speaker stated that, without objection, the following, which was moved to the bottom of the calendar (page 2912), would advance to third reading on tomorrow's calendar:

HOUSE BILL NO. 413

"An Act relating to facilities constituting a school; and providing for an effective date."

LEGISLATIVE CITATIONS

Representative Tuck 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 - Center for Alaskan Coastal Studies, 40th Anniversary
By Representative Vance

In Memoriam - Wilda Marston
By Representatives Claman, Fields, Hannan

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Representative Tuck 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 Tuck – from 5:00 p.m., June 24 to 1:00 p.m., July 11

Representative Rauscher – from 6:00 a.m., May 20 to 10:00 p.m., June 21

Representative Patkotak – from 7 p.m., May 22 to 9:00 a.m., June 1

SB 156

Representative Eastman moved and asked unanimous consent that the following bill be discharged from the State Affairs Committee:

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 156(HSS)

"An Act relating to COVID-19 immunization rights; relating to objection to the administration of a COVID-19 vaccine; relating to COVID-19 vaccination status and eligibility for health care insurance; and providing for an effective date."

There was objection.

The question being: "Shall CSSB 156(HSS) be discharged from the State Affairs Committee?" The roll was taken with the following result:

SB 156

Discharge Bill from State Affairs Committee

YEAS: 14 NAYS: 21 EXCUSED: 1 ABSENT: 4

Yeas: Carpenter, Cronk, Eastman, Gillham, Johnson, Kaufman, Kurka, McCabe, McKay, Prax, Rasmussen, Rauscher, Tilton, Vance

Nays: Claman, Drummond, Edgmon, Foster, Hannan, Hopkins, Josephson, Kreiss-Tomkins, LeBon, Ortiz, Patkotak, Schrage, Snyder, Spohnholz, Story, Stutes, Tarr, Thompson, Tuck, Wool, Zulkosky

Excused: Merrick

Absent: Fields, McCarty, Nelson, Shaw

And so, the motion failed.

Representative Tuck, Chair, moved and asked unanimous consent that Uniform Rule 23 be waived so the House Special Committee on Military & Veterans' Affairs can hear bills at 3:00 p.m., May 16. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

HB 122

Representative Hopkins removed as a cosponsor to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 122

"An Act relating to gun violence protective orders; relating to the crime of violating a protective order; relating to a central registry for protective orders; requiring physicians, psychologists, psychological associates, social workers, marital and family therapists, and licensed professional counselors to report annually threats of gun violence; relating to the powers of district judges and magistrates; amending Rules 4 and 65, Alaska Rules of Civil Procedure, and Rule 9, Alaska Rules of Administration; and providing for an effective date."

HB 325

Representatives Carpenter, Josephson, McCabe, Vance, and Tuck added as cosponsors to:

HOUSE BILL NO. 325

"An Act relating to domestic violence."

SB 9

Representative Tuck added as a cross sponsor to:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 9(FIN) am H

"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 71

Representative Josephson added as a cross sponsor to:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 71(STA)

"An Act relating to special request registration plates celebrating the arts; relating to artwork in public buildings and facilities; relating to the management of artwork under the art in public places fund; relating to the powers and duties of the Alaska State Council on the Arts; establishing the Alaska arts and cultural investment fund; and providing for an effective date."

SB 186

Representative Tarr added as a cross sponsor to:

SENATE BILL NO. 186

"An Act extending the termination date of the Board of Examiners in Optometry; and providing for an effective date."

SB 203

Representatives Merrick and Tarr added as cross sponsors to:

HOUSE CS FOR CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 203(FIN)

"An Act designating the Alaska marine highway system and portions of the Parks, Glenn, Seward, and Sterling Highways as a part of the State's Purple Heart Trail and relating to signage and informational displays for the trail."

ENGROSSMENT**HB 325**

HB 325 was engrossed, signed by the Speaker and Chief Clerk, and transmitted to the Senate for consideration.

SB 9

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

With appointment of the Conference Committee on the operating budget, Rule 23(d) of the Uniform Rules is in effect as of May 14.

House committee schedules are published under separate cover.

ADJOURNMENT

Representative Tuck moved and asked unanimous consent that the House adjourn until 10:00 a.m., May 16. There being no objection, the House adjourned at 9:23 p.m.

Crystaline Jones
Chief Clerk