# SENATE JOURNAL

# ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE

## THIRTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

### THIRD SPECIAL SESSION

Juneau, Alaska

#### Thursday

September 9, 2021

### Twenty-fifth Day

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

The roll showed fourteen members present. Senators Olson, von Imhof were excused from a call of the Senate. Senators Gray-Jackson, Shower, Stevens, Wielechowski were absent.

Senator Hughes moved and asked unanimous consent Senators Shower, Stevens be excused from a call of the Senate today. Without objection, Senators Shower, Stevens were excused.

Senator Begich moved and asked unanimous consent Senators Gray-Jackson, Wielechowski be excused from a call of the Senate today. Without objection, Senators Gray-Jackson, Wielechowski were excused.

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

Dear Heavenly Father,

Please grant us gratitude to appreciate all that we have; humility to understand the things we lack; and hope to continue to strive for a better future.

In Jesus' Name,

Amen.

Senator Reinbold led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

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### Certification

Senator Hughes moved and asked unanimous consent the journals for the eighteenth through twenty-fourth legislative days be approved as certified by the Secretary. Without objection, it was so ordered.

### **Standing Committee Reports**

#### SB 3006

The Labor and Commerce Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 3006 "An Act relating to utilization review requirements; making temporary changes to state law in response to the novel coronavirus disease (COVID-19); relating to telemedicine and telehealth; relating to background checks; and providing for an effective date" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 3006(L&C) "An Act relating to utilization review requirements; making temporary changes to state law in response to the novel coronavirus disease; relating to telemedicine and telehealth; relating to background checks; and providing for an effective date."

Signing no recommendation: Senator Costello, Chair. Signing do pass: Senators Revak, Micciche.

The following fiscal information was published today: Fiscal Note No. 4, zero, Department of Health and Social Services Fiscal Note No. 5, zero, Department of Public Safety

The following previously published fiscal information applies: Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development Fiscal Note No. 3, zero, Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development

The bill is on today's calendar.

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## **Consideration of the Calendar**

### Second Reading of Senate Bills

### SB 3006

SENATE BILL NO. 3006 "An Act relating to utilization review requirements; making temporary changes to state law in response to the novel coronavirus disease (COVID-19); relating to telemedicine and telehealth; relating to background checks; and providing for an effective date" was read the second time.

Senator Costello, Chair, moved and asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the Labor and Commerce Committee Substitute offered on page 1420. Senator Begich objected, then withdrew his objection. There being no further objection, CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 3006(L&C) "An Act relating to utilization review requirements; making temporary changes to state law in response to the novel coronavirus disease; relating to telemedicine and telehealth; relating to background checks; and providing for an effective date" was adopted.

President Micciche stated CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 3006(L&C) will advance to third reading on the September 10 calendar.

### **Unfinished Business**

Senator Reinbold moved and asked unanimous consent to be excused from a call of the Senate from September 11 through January 15, 2022. Without objection, Senator Reinbold was excused.

#### Announcements

Rule 23(d) of the Alaska State Legislature Uniform Rules is currently in effect.

Announcements are at the end of the journal.

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# Adjournment

Senator Hughes moved and asked unanimous consent the Senate stand in adjournment until 10:30 a.m., September 10, 2021. Without objection, the Senate adjourned at 11:13 a.m.

> Liz Clark Secretary of the Senate

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#### Announcements

Americans with Disabilities Act Notice - Persons with disabilities who require special accommodation or alternative communication formats to access committee meetings may contact the appropriate committee office or the Legislative Information Office in their community. Reasonable advance notice is needed to accommodate the request. For further information, call the ADA Coordinator at 465-3854 Voice/465-4980 TDD.

#### STANDING COMMITTEES

+ indicates teleconference

= indicates bill previously heard/scheduled

### FINANCE

<b>Sep 09</b> + SJR 5	•		
Sep 09	Thursday	Senate Finance 532	1:00 PM
+	MEETING CANCELI Agenda Forthcoming Bills Previously Heard/S		
Sep 10	•	Senate Finance 532	9:00 AM
+ SB 53	PERM FUND; ADVISO	RY VOTE	
+= HB3003	Testimony < Invitation	Only> ; PERM FUND; EDUCATIO	N

### **HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES**

Sep 10	Friday	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	3:30 PM
+= SB 67	NURSING: LICENSURE; M	ULTISTATE COMPAC	Т
	Please Note Time Change		
	Testimony <invitation only<="" td=""><td>&gt;</td><td></td></invitation>	>	

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# JUDICIARY

Sep 09	Thursday	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	1:30 PM
+= SJR301	CONST. AM: APPROP LIMI	Т	
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		
	**Streamed live on AKL.tv**	:	

## **LABOR & COMMERCE**

Sep 09	Thursday	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	1:30 PM
	MEETING CANCELED	)	
+= SB3006	HEALTH CARE REQS; C	OVID-19; TELEHEALTH	
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	**Streamed live on AKL.tv	V**	

### RESOURCES

<b>Sep 09</b> + SB3002	Thursday TAX: MOTOR FUEL, CORP. Testimony <invitation only:<br="">**Streamed live on AKL.tv**</invitation>	,	3:30 PM
Sep 10	Friday	<b>Butrovich 205</b>	1:30 PM
+= SB3002	Please Note Time Change TAX: MOTOR FUEL, CORP. Invited & Public Testimony **Streamed live on AKL.tv**	INCOME, O&G	
Sep 11	Saturday	Butrovich 205	1:30 PM
	Please Note Time Change		
+= SB3002	TAX: MOTOR FUEL, CORP.	-	
	Testimony < Invitation Only	>	
	**Streamed live on AKL.tv**		

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# JOINT COMMITTEES

# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Sep 23	Thursday	Adams 519	10:30 AM
+	Committee Business		
	a. Overview of Pending Capitol Maintenance		
	b. Formation of Subcommittee		
	- Assembly Building Utilization Subcommittee		
	Additional Committee Business-Executive Session		
	a. Formation of Subcommittee		
	- Legislative Facilities Security	Subcommittee	
	b. Anchorage LOB Snow-Remo	oval Contract	
	Testimony <invitation only=""></invitation>		
	**Streamed live on AKL.tv**		

# **REDISTRICTING BOARD**

Sep 09	Thursday	Anch Lio Denali Rm	9:00 AM
+	Map Drawing Work Session; Discussion & Adoption		
	of Draft Plan(s)		
	Public Testimony -	-	
	**Streamed live on AKL.tv**		
Sep 10	Friday	Anch Lio Denali Rm	9:00 AM
+	Map Drawing Work Session; Discussion & Adoption		
	of Draft Plan(s)		
	Public Testimony		
	**Streamed live on AKL.tv**		