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Ninety-fifth Day

Pursuant to adjournment the Senate was called to order by President pro tempore Stevens at 10:31 a.m. The Senate was convened for the purpose of a technical session.

Senator Bishop, Acting Majority Leader, moved and asked unanimous consent the roll call of the Senate be waived. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Communications

The following report is on file in the Office of the Secretary of the Senate:

Governor's Council on Disabilities and Special Education
Annual Update 2021

Standing Committee Reports

SB 177

The Resources Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 177 "An Act relating to microreactors" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 177(RES) "An Act relating to nuclear facility siting permits; and relating to microreactors."

Signing do pass: Senator Revak, Chair; Senators Kiehl, von Imhof, Micciche. Signing no recommendation: Senator Stevens. Signing amend: Senator Kawasaki.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:
Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Environmental
Conservation

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 180

The Resources Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 180 "An Act relating to commercial passenger vessel environmental compliance; relating to commercial passenger vessel fees; establishing the wastewater infrastructure grant fund; repealing the authority for citizens' suits relating to commercial passenger vessel environmental compliance; repealing the commercial passenger vessel recognition program; and providing for an effective date" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 180(RES)

Signing do pass: Senator Revak, Chair; Senators von Imhof, Micciche.
Signing do not pass: Senator Kawasaki. Signing no recommendation:
Senator Stevens. Signing amend: Senator Kiehl.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:
Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Environmental Conservation
Fiscal Note No. 2, Department of Environmental Conservation
Fiscal Note No. 3, Department of Environmental Conservation
Fiscal Note No. 4, Department of Environmental Conservation

The bill was referred to the Finance Committee.

SB 196

The Education Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 196 "An Act relating to transparency and compelled speech in public education" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 196(EDC)

Signing do pass: Senator Holland, Chair. Signing no recommendation:
Senator Stevens. Signing amend: Senators Hughes, Micciche.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Education and Early Development

The bill was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

SB 199

The Finance Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 199 "An Act relating to use of income of the Alaska permanent fund; relating to the amount of the permanent fund dividend; relating to the duties of the commissioner of revenue; and providing for an effective date" and recommended it be replaced with

CS FOR SENATE BILL NO. 199(FIN)

Signing do pass: Senator Stedman, Cochair. Signing no recommendation: Senator Bishop, Cochair; Senators Hoffman, von Imhof. Signing do not pass: Senators Wilson, Wielechowski. Signing amend: Senator Olson.

Fiscal information forthcoming.

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 219

The Resources Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 219 "An Act providing for the transfer of and addition of names to a personal use cabin permit for a cabin on state land; and providing for an effective date."

Signing do pass: Senator Revak, Chair; Senators Stevens, Micciche, von Imhof. Signing no recommendation: Senator Kiehl. Signing amend: Senator Kawasaki.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Natural Resources

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 228

The Resources Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 228 "An Act requiring the designation of outstanding national resource water to occur only by statute; relating to the management of outstanding national resource water by the Department of Environmental Conservation; and providing for an effective date."

Signing no recommendation: Senator Revak, Chair; Senators Stevens, Micciche. Signing do pass: Senator von Imhof. Signing do not pass: Senators Kiehl, Kawasaki.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:

Fiscal Note No. 1, zero, Department of Environmental
Conservation

The bill was referred to the Rules Committee.

SB 238

The Labor and Commerce Committee considered SENATE BILL NO. 238 "An Act relating to the business of money transmission; relating to money transmission licenses, licensure requirements, and registration through the Nationwide Multistate Licensing System; relating to the use of virtual currency for money transmission; relating to authorized delegates of a licensee; relating to acquisition of control of a license; relating to record retention and reporting requirements; authorizing the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development to cooperate with other states in the regulation of money transmission; relating to permissible investments; relating to violations and enforcement of money transmission laws; relating to money transmission license exemptions; relating to payroll processing services; repealing currency exchange licenses; and providing for an effective date."

Signing do pass: Senator Costello, Chair. Signing no recommendation: Senators Gray-Jackson, Micciche, Stevens.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:

Fiscal Note No. 1, Department of Commerce, Community, and
Economic Development

The bill was referred to the Finance Committee.

HB 54

The Resources Committee considered CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 54(FIN) "An Act establishing the Alaska Invasive Species Council in the Department of Fish and Game; relating to management of invasive species; relating to invasive species management decals; and providing for an effective date" and recommended it be replaced with

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL
NO. 54(RES)

Signing do pass: Senator Revak, Chair; Senators Kiehl, von Imhof, Kawasaki, Stevens, Micciche.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:

Fiscal Note No. 3, zero, Office of the Governor

Fiscal Note No. 4, Department of Fish and Game

The bill was referred to the Finance Committee.

HB 132

The Education Committee considered CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 132(FIN) "An Act relating to technical education and registered apprenticeships" and recommended it be replaced with

SENATE CS FOR CS FOR HOUSE BILL
NO. 132(EDC) "An Act relating to technical education and apprenticeships; relating to awarding course credit for activities outside of school hours; relating to concurrent career and technical education programs for students enrolled in public secondary schools; relating to employment of children; and providing for an effective date."

(Title Change SCR 14)

Signing do pass: Senator Holland, Chair; Senators Hughes, Micciche.
Signing no recommendation: Senator Stevens.

The following fiscal information was published today:

Fiscal Note No. 7, zero, Department of Education and Early Development

Fiscal Note No. 8, zero, Department of Labor and Workforce Development

Fiscal Note No. 9, zero, Department of Labor and Workforce Development

The bill was referred to the Labor and Commerce Committee.

HCR 2

The Resources Committee considered HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2 Supporting the Alaska Ocean Cluster in its mission, efforts, and vision for a vibrant coastal economy in the state, its promotion of a diversified and resilient state economy that creates value from ocean resources, and its building of a statewide integrated ecosystem of innovation and entrepreneurship relating to the state's ocean economy.

Signing do pass: Senator Revak, Chair; Senators Kiehl, von Imhof, Kawasaki, Stevens, Micciche.

The following previously published fiscal information applies:

Fiscal Note No. 2, zero, House Rules Committee

The resolution was referred to the Rules Committee.

Announcements

Announcements are at the end of the journal.

Adjournment

Senator Bishop, Acting Majority Leader, moved and asked unanimous consent the Senate stand in adjournment until 11:00 a.m., April 25, 2022. Without objection, the Senate adjourned at 10:38 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

Apr 26	Tuesday	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	3:30 PM
	No Meeting Scheduled		
Apr 28	Thursday	Beltz 105 (tsbldg)	3:30 PM
	Streamed live on AKL.tv		
+ HB 298	ALASKA FOOD STRATEGY TASK FORCE		
	-- Invited & Public Testimony --		
+	Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled		

EDUCATION

Apr 22	Friday	Butrovich 205	9:00 AM
	No Meeting Scheduled		
Apr 25	Monday	Butrovich 205	9:00 AM
	No Meeting Scheduled		
Apr 27	Wednesday	Butrovich 205	9:00 AM
	No Meeting Scheduled		
Apr 29	Friday	Butrovich 205	9:00 AM
	No Meeting Scheduled		

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FINANCE

Apr 22 Friday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM

-- MEETING CANCELED --

- + SB 162 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS
- + SB 163 APPROP: MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET
- + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled:
- + HB 281 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS
- + HB 282 APPROP: MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET

Apr 22 Friday Senate Finance 532 1:00 PM

- + HB 99 PHYSICAL/OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY BD/PRACTICE
 - Testimony <Invitation Only> --
 - Public Testimony <Time Limit May Be Set> --
- + HB 111 DENTAL HYGIENIST ADVANCED PRAC PERMIT
 - Testimony <Invitation Only> --
 - Public Testimony <Time Limit May Be Set> --
- + HB 168 ELECTRONIC APPLICATION FOR STATE BENEFITS
 - Testimony <Time Limit May Be Set> --
 - Public Testimony <Time Limit May Be Set> --
- + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 25 Monday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM

- + HB 102 STATE INSUR. CATASTROPHE RESERVE ACCT.
- + SB 121 PFAS USE & REMEDIATION; FIRE/WATER SAFETY
- + HB 155 COURT SYSTEM PROVIDE VISITORS & EXPERTS
 - Invited & Public Testimony <Time Limit May Be Set> --
- + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 25 Monday Senate Finance 532 1:00 PM

- + Presentation: Constitutional Budget Reserve Sweep & Reverse Sweep
- + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 26 Tuesday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM

- + Presentation: Cybersecurity by Office of Information Technology
- + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 26 Tuesday Senate Finance 532 1:00 PM

- + SB 164 APPROP: CAP; REAPPROP; SUPP
- + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

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FINANCE (continued)

Apr 27 Wednesday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM

+ HB 28 REGISTRATION OF BOATS: EXEMPTION
-- Invited & Public Testimony <Time Limit May
Be Set> --

+ HB 79 SALTWATER SPORTFISHING OPERATORS/GUIDES
-- Invited & Public Testimony <Time Limit May
Be Set> --

+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 27 Wednesday Senate Finance 532 1:00 PM

+ HB 281 APPROP: OPERATING BUDGET/LOANS/FUNDS

+ HB 282 APPROP: MENTAL HEALTH BUDGET

+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 28 Thursday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM

SB 39 BALLOT CUSTODY/TAMPERING; VOTER REG; MAIL

-- Testimony <Invitation Only> --

+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 28 Thursday Senate Finance 532 1:00 PM

+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 29 Friday Senate Finance 532 9:00 AM

+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 29 Friday Senate Finance 532 1:00 PM

+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 30 Saturday Senate Finance 532 10:00 AM

+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES

Apr 26 Tuesday Butrovich 205 1:30 PM

+ HB 62 MARRIAGE: WITNESSES/solemnization/consent

+ SB 242 EXEMPTIONS FOR FOOD PRODUCTS

+ SB 183 HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES

-- Invited & Public Testimony --

+ Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES (continued)

Apr 28 **Thursday** **Butrovich 205** **1:30 PM**
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

JUDICIARY

Apr 22 **Friday** **Butrovich 205** **1:30 PM**
 No Meeting Scheduled

Apr 25 **Monday** **Butrovich 205** **1:30 PM**
 += SB 196 PUBLIC ED: SPEECH, DISCLOSE INST MATERIAL
 + HB 246 ACCESS TO MARIJUANA CONVICTION RECORDS
 <Pending Introduction & Referral>
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 27 **Wednesday** **Butrovich 205** **1:30 PM**
 + Consideration of Governor's Appointees: Richard
 "Ole" Larson to the State Board of Parole
 -- Public Testimony --
 += SB 124 MENTAL HEALTH FACILITIES & MEDS
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Apr 29 **Friday** **Butrovich 205** **1:30 PM**
 += SB 196 PUBLIC ED: SPEECH, DISCLOSE INST MATERIAL
 -- Public Testimony --
 += HB 246 ACCESS TO MARIJUANA CONVICTION RECORDS
 <Pending Introduction & Referral>
 -- Public Testimony --
 += SB 124 MENTAL HEALTH FACILITIES & MEDS
 -- Public Testimony --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

LABOR & COMMERCE

Apr 22 **Friday** **Beltz 105 (tsbldg)** **1:30 PM**
 -- MEETING CANCELED --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

LABOR & COMMERCE (continued)

Apr 25 Monday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM
 + Consideration of Governor’s Appointees:
 Board of Nursing - Jody Miller
 Board of Certified Direct-Entry Midwives -
 Hannah St. George
 -- Invited & Public Testimony --
 + HB 227 MUNI ENERGY IMPROVEMNT ASSESSMENT
 PROGRAM
 -- Invited & Public Testimony --
 + HB 306 EXTEND BOARD OF PHARMACY
 <Pending Introduction & Referral>
 -- Invited & Public Testimony --
 + SB 237 AMBULATORY SURGICAL EMPLOYEES: OVERTIME
 -- Invited & Public Testimony --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

Apr 27 Wednesday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM
 + HB 30 WORKERS' COMP: DEATH; PERM PARTIAL IMPAIR
 -- Invited & Public Testimony --
 + HB 132 SCHOOL APPRENTICESHIP PROGS; TAX CREDITS
 -- Invited & Public Testimony --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

Apr 29 Friday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM
 + SB 208 CONTRACTORS' INSURANCE
 -- Invited & Public Testimony --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

RESOURCES

Apr 22 Friday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 -- MEETING CANCELED --
 + SB 229 STATE HISTORICAL ARTIFACTS; CRIMES
 -- Invited & Public Testimony --
 += SB 230 TRAPPING CABINS: FEE FOR CONSTRUCTION
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

RESOURCES (continued)

Apr 25 Monday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 += SB 133 REMOTE RECREATIONAL SITES; SALES; PERMITS
 += SB 229 STATE HISTORICAL ARTIFACTS; CRIMES
 -- Invited & Public Testimony --
 Consideration of Governor's Appointments:
 Commercial Fisheries Entry Commission, Glenn
 Haight
 -- Invited & Public Testimony --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

Apr 27 Wednesday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 += SB 230 TRAPPING CABINS: FEE FOR CONSTRUCTION
 += SB 227 STATE OWNERSHIP OF SUBMERGED LAND
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

Apr 29 Friday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

STATE AFFAIRS

Apr 26 Tuesday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 + SB 220 STATE EMPLOYEES: STATE RESIDENCY
 += SB 119 OATH OF OFFICE
 -- Public Testimony --
 += SB 195 PAY INCREASES FOR EXEMPT EMPLOYEES
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

Apr 28 Thursday Butrovich 205 3:30 PM
 += SB 167 ELECTIONS; FRAUD; BALLOTS
 += SB 126 REPEAL 90 DAY SESSION LIMIT
 -- Public Testimony --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

TRANSPORTATION

Apr 26 Tuesday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM
 += SB 166 G.O. BONDS FOR INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS
 += HB 90 VEHICLE RENTALS & VEHICLE RENTAL NETWORKS
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

Apr 28 Thursday Beltz 105 (tsbldg) 1:30 PM
 += SB 231 AK RAILROAD CORP; EXEC BUDGET ACT
 -- Public Testimony <Time Limit May Be Set> --
 + Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled
 Streamed live on AKL.tv

JOINT COMMITTEES

OMBUDSMAN SELECTION COMMITTEE

Apr 25 Monday Adams 519 7:30 AM
 + Executive Session - Consideration of Ombudsman
 Appointment

Apr 27 Wednesday Adams 519 7:30 AM
 + Executive Session - Consideration of Ombudsman
 Appointment

VICTIMS ADVOCATE SELECTION COMMITTEE

Apr 25 Monday Adams 519 7:30 AM
 + Discussion of Legal Advice Relating to Victims'
 Advocate Appointment Timing