

**ALASKA STATE LEGISLATURE  
SENATE JUDICIARY STANDING COMMITTEE**

May 8, 2024

1:33 p.m.

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Senator Matt Claman, Chair  
Senator James Kaufman  
Senator Löki Tobin

**MEMBERS ABSENT**

Senator Jesse Kiehl, Vice Chair  
Senator Cathy Giessel

**COMMITTEE CALENDAR**

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 29 (JUD) AM  
"An Act prohibiting certain insurance decisions based solely on  
a person's status as an elected official."

- MOVED SCS CSHB 29 (L&C) OUT OF COMMITTEE

**PREVIOUS COMMITTEE ACTION**

BILL: HB 29

SHORT TITLE: INSURANCE DISCRIMINATION

SPONSOR(S): REPRESENTATIVE(S) MCCABE

01/19/23	(H)	PREFILE RELEASED 1/9/23
01/19/23	(H)	READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS
01/19/23	(H)	L&C, JUD
02/10/23	(H)	L&C AT 3:15 PM BARNES 124
02/10/23	(H)	Heard & Held
02/10/23	(H)	MINUTE (L&C)
02/17/23	(H)	L&C AT 3:15 PM BARNES 124
02/17/23	(H)	Heard & Held
02/17/23	(H)	MINUTE (L&C)
03/03/23	(H)	L&C AT 3:15 PM BARNES 124
03/03/23	(H)	<Bill Hearing Canceled>
03/06/23	(H)	L&C AT 3:15 PM BARNES 124
03/06/23	(H)	Moved CSHB 29 (L&C) Out of Committee
03/06/23	(H)	MINUTE (L&C)
03/08/23	(H)	L&C RPT CS (L&C) 1DP 1DNP 5NR
03/08/23	(H)	DP: CARRICK

03/08/23 (H) DNP: FIELDS  
03/08/23 (H) NR: PRAX, WRIGHT, SADDLER, RUFFRIDGE,  
SUMNER  
04/28/23 (H) JUD AT 1:00 PM GRUENBERG 120  
04/28/23 (H) Heard & Held  
04/28/23 (H) MINUTE(JUD)  
05/03/23 (H) JUD AT 1:00 PM GRUENBERG 120  
05/03/23 (H) Moved CSHB 29(JUD) Out of Committee  
05/03/23 (H) MINUTE(JUD)  
05/08/23 (H) JUD RPT CS(JUD) NEW TITLE 3DP 1DNP 2NR  
1AM  
05/08/23 (H) DP: C.JOHNSON, ALLARD, VANCE  
05/08/23 (H) DNP: EASTMAN  
05/08/23 (H) NR: GROH, CARPENTER  
05/08/23 (H) AM: GRAY  
05/13/23 (H) TRANSMITTED TO (S)  
05/13/23 (H) VERSION: CSHB 29(JUD) AM  
05/15/23 (S) READ THE FIRST TIME - REFERRALS  
05/15/23 (S) L&C, JUD  
04/24/24 (S) L&C AT 1:30 PM BELTZ 105 (TSBldg)  
04/24/24 (S) Heard & Held  
04/24/24 (S) MINUTE(L&C)  
05/01/24 (S) L&C AT 1:30 PM BELTZ 105 (TSBldg)  
05/01/24 (S) Moved SCS CSHB 29(L&C) Out of Committee  
05/01/24 (S) MINUTE(L&C)  
05/03/24 (S) L&C RPT SCS 2DP 1NR SAME TITLE  
05/03/24 (S) DP: BJORKMAN, GRAY-JACKSON  
05/03/24 (S) NR: MERRICK  
05/03/24 (S) JUD AT 1:30 PM BUTROVICH 205  
05/03/24 (S) Heard & Held  
05/03/24 (S) MINUTE(JUD)  
05/08/24 (S) JUD AT 1:30 PM BUTROVICH 205

**WITNESS REGISTER**

No witnesses to report.

**ACTION NARRATIVE**

[1:33:39 PM](#)

**CHAIR MATT CLAMAN** called the Senate Judiciary Standing Committee meeting to order at 1:33 p.m. Present at the call to order were Senators Kaufman, Tobin, and Chair Claman.

**HB 29-INSURANCE DISCRIMINATION**

[SCS CSHB 29(L&C) was before the committee.]

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CHAIR CLAMAN announced the consideration of CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 29(JUD) am "An Act prohibiting certain insurance decisions based solely on a person's status as an elected official."

CHAIR CLAMAN said this is the second hearing of HB 29 in the Senate Judiciary Committee. The intention is to look to the will of the committee.

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CHAIR CLAMAN solicited the will of the committee.

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SENATOR TOBIN moved to report SCS CSHB 29(L&C), work order 33-LS0272\Y, from committee with individual recommendations and attached zero fiscal note.

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CHAIR CLAMAN found no objection and SCS CSHB 29(L&C) was reported from the Senate Judiciary Standing Committee.

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There being no further business to come before the committee, Chair Claman adjourned the Senate Judiciary Standing Committee meeting at 1:35 p.m.