

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16**

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

**BY REPRESENTATIVE KAWASAKI**

**Introduced: 1/19/16**

**Referred:**

**A RESOLUTION**

1 **Proposing an amendment to the Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature relating**  
2 **to establishing as a standing committee the Ways and Means Committee.**

3 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

4 \* **Section 1.** Rule 20(a), Uniform Rules of the Alaska State Legislature, is amended to read:

5 (a) Each house has the following standing committees with the jurisdiction  
6 indicated:

7 Education (the programs and activities of the Department of Education and  
8 Early Development and of the University of Alaska)

9 Finance (all appropriation, revenue, capital improvement, and bonding  
10 measures, the executive budget, and the programs and activities of the Department of  
11 Revenue)

12 Health and Social Services (the programs and activities of the Department of  
13 Health and Social Services)

14 Judiciary (the programs and activities of the Alaska Court System and the  
15 Department of Law, and the legal and substantive review of bills referred to it for that  
16 purpose)

1 Labor and Commerce (the programs and activities of the Department of Labor  
2 and Workforce Development relating to labor-management relations, industrial safety,  
3 unemployment compensation, and workers' compensation and the programs and  
4 activities of the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development  
5 that do not primarily relate to local government or to government services or functions  
6 in the unorganized borough)

7 Community and Regional Affairs (the programs and activities of the  
8 Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development that primarily  
9 relate to local government and government services or functions in the unorganized  
10 borough, and other matters relating to political subdivisions)

11 Resources (the programs and activities of the Departments of Fish and Game,  
12 Natural Resources, and Environmental Conservation)

13 Rules (interpretation of the Uniform Rules, calendar, the internal  
14 administration of the house and matters pertaining to the management of the  
15 legislature as a whole)

16 State Affairs (programs and activities of the Office of the Governor and the  
17 Departments of Administration, Military and Veterans' Affairs, Corrections, and  
18 Public Safety, and programs and activities of the Department of Transportation and  
19 Public Facilities relating to public facilities)

20 Transportation (programs and activities of the Department of Transportation  
21 and Public Facilities relating to transportation and other legislative matters relating to  
22 transportation)

23 **Ways and Means (consideration of methods to control state spending,**  
24 **identify ways to make government programs more efficient, and review measures**  
25 **that raise state revenue).**