

Legislative Committee



Reports

Art Delaune, Chair

February 2nd, 2016

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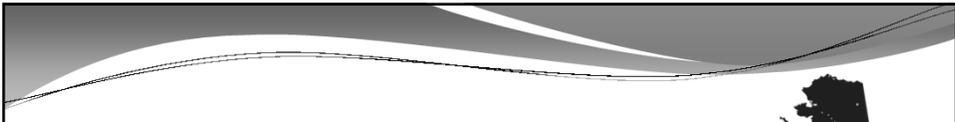
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- ❖ Patrick Reinhart
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Important Activities Since Oct.

- ❖ Reviewed and set our priorities
- ❖ Worked on position papers
- ❖ Met and finalized our four position papers
- ❖ Attended the ABLE act public forum on January 9th at the ARC
- ❖ Attended KEY coalition meeting with Duane Mayes about DDDR



Leg. Priorities of 2016

- ❖ HB 76: A bill to update our enabling statute by removing the word “Gifted”
- ❖ HB 77: The Disability Training and Identification Bill
- ❖ HB 188/SB 104: The Achieving Better Life Experience (ABLE) Act
- ❖ Developmental Disabilities Registration and Review/Medicaid

Issues to Follow



- ❖ HB 154/SB 49 – Establishing Legal Services Fund
- ❖ SB 91 – Criminal Law Procedure Bill
- ❖ HB 99 – Voluntary Termination of Life
- ❖ HB 102 – Residential Psychiatric Education Funding
- ❖ HB 27/28 – Foster Care Independent Living Transition Program
- ❖ SB 72 – The CARE Act

Next Steps



- ❖ Follow legislation and state budget deliberations closely
- ❖ KEY Campaign planning and participation (Feb 18th & 19th)
- ❖ Collaborate with the Alaska Mental Health Trust
 - ❖ Attend/report at weekly legislative session check-ins

Questions

