

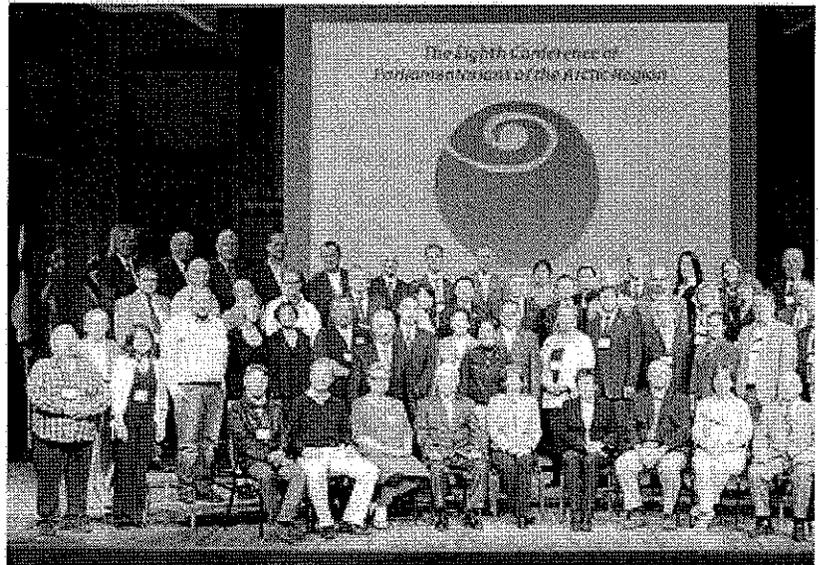
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Conferences

Eighth Conference of Parliamentarians of the Arctic Region

Fairbanks, Alaska, August 12-14, 2008



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- Conference Statement (English, Russian, Norwegian)
- Conference Report (English, Russian)
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Conference Agenda:

Tuesday 12 August

Opening of the Conference & Welcome Speeches

- Senator Lisa Murkowski, US member of SCPAR (recording)
- Mark Hamilton, President, University of Alaska
- Patricia Cochran, Chair, Inuit Circumpolar Council
- Sarah Palin, Governor, State of Alaska

THEME 1: Human Health in the Arctic Region

- *Human Health in the Arctic* (2,7MB) (manuscript), Dr. Alan Parkinson, Director of the Arctic Investigations Program of the National Center for Infectious Disease, Center for Disease Control and Prevention (record)
- *Preventative Work on Health of Indigenous Peoples – The Southcentral Foundation NUKA model of Care: Customer Owned, Customer Driven Care* (2,2MB), Katherine Gottlieb, President/CEO, Southcentral Found

(recording)

Special Reports on Arctic Marine Policy

- *Maritime Safety in the Arctic* (2,7MB), Admiral Henrik Kudsk, Comman Greenland Command, Denmark (recording)
- *Update on the Arctic Marine Shipping Assessment* (5,5MB), Dr. Lawsc Brigham, Chair of the Arctic Marine Shipping Assessment (recording)
- *Civilian Role for Safety in the North Atlantic* (manuscript), Mr. Björn Bj Minister of Justice & Ecclesiastical Affairs, Iceland
- *The Changing Arctic & Coast Guard Operations* (2,7MB), Admiral Arth Brooks, U.S. Coast Guard

Wednesday 13 August

Progress Reports from the Arctic Council and SCPAR

- *Report*, Mr. Robert Kvile, Senior Arctic Official, Ministry of Foreign Affa Norway (recording)
- *Report*, Ms. Hill-Marta Solberg, Chair of the SCPAR (recording)

Recent Developments in US Arctic Policy

- *Report*, Ms. Margaret F. Hayes, Director, Office of Oceans Affairs, U.S Department of State (recording)

THEME 2: Adaptation to Climate Change

- *How Alaska is Adapting to Climate Change* (4,1MB), Mr. Mead Treadw Chair, U.S. Arctic Research Commission (recording)
- *New Ideas to Deal with Climate Change* (3,2MB), Mr. Robert Mills, MP of the Environment Committee, Canadian Parliament (recording)
- *Problems of Global Climate Warming and Human Challenges*, Mr. Mik Nikolaev, Deputy Speaker of the Council of Federation of the Federal Assembly of Russian Federation (recording)

Thursday 14 August

THEME 3: Energy Resources in the Arctic - Development of Rural Energy Resources

- *Denali Commission on Alaska Experiences - part 1* (5,5MB) *part 2* (5,3MB), Mr. George Cannelos – Executive Director, Denali Commis (recording)
- *Geothermal Energy - The Icelandic Experience and Potentials for Oth Countries* (2,8MB), Mr. Gudni A. Jóhannesson, Director General for th National Energy Authority in Iceland (recording)
- *Arctic Energy Action Team* (1MB), IPY project, Mr. James Hemsath, Ir the North (recording)

Adoption of Conference Statement Closing of the Conference

Monday 01 Sep 2008

