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# ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

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**Thursday, January 15, 2004**  
**FIFTH SESSION DAY**  
**FIFTY-NINTH CALENDAR DAY**  
**AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA**



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NOTE: Official record of roll call votes; all amendments considered by the Assembly on this day are on file with the Chief Clerk of the Assembly and available on request. A list of all measures amended and on which amendments were offered is shown on the final page of this day's Assembly Journal.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

### IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento  
Thursday, January 15, 2004

The Assembly met at 9:18 a.m.

Hon. Leland Y. Yee, Assistant Speaker pro Tempore of the Assembly, presiding.

Chief Clerk E. Dotson Wilson at the Desk.

Assistant Clerk Sue Parker reading.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names—70:

Aghazarian	Dutra	Leno	Parra
Bates	Dutton	Leslie	Pavley
Benoit	Dymally	Levine	Plescia
Berg	Firebaugh	Lieber	Reyes
Bermudez	Frommer	Liu	Runner
Bogh	Garcia	Longville	Salinas
Calderon	Goldberg	Lowenthal	Samuelian
Campbell	Hancock	Maldonado	Spitzer
Canciamilla	Harman	Matthews	Steinberg
Chan	Haynes	McCarthy	Strickland
Chu	Horton, Jerome	Mountjoy	Vargas
Cogdill	Horton, Shirley	Mullin	Wiggins
Cohn	Houston	Nakanishi	Wolk
Corbett	Jackson	Nakano	Wyland
Correa	Keene	Negrete McLeod	Yee
Cox	La Malfa	Nunez	Mr. Speaker
Daucher	La Suer	Oropeza	
Diaz	Laird	Pacheco	

Quorum present.

**PRAYER**

Upon invitation of Assistant Speaker pro Tempore Yee, the following prayer was offered by Assembly Chaplain Rev. Constantine C. Pappademos:

*Lord, Everything starts from prayer. Without asking You for love, we cannot possess love, and still less are we able to give it to others. We may be exhausted with work, but unless our work is interwoven with love, it is useless. Help us to love more completely, Lord, this day and always.—AMEN.*

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**

Upon request of Assistant Speaker pro Tempore Yee, Assembly Member Laird then led the Assembly in the pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

**MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH READING OF THE JOURNAL**

Further reading of the Journal of the previous legislative day was dispensed with on motion of Assembly Member Chan, seconded by Assembly Member Cogdill.

**LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY**

By unanimous consent, the following Assembly Members were granted leaves of absence for the day:

*On legislative business: Assembly Members Chavez, Kehoe, Koretz, Maddox, Maze, and Ridley-Thomas.*

*On personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Member Simitian.*

*Because of illness: Assembly Member Montanez.*

*Because of illness in their families: Assembly Members Nation and Richman.*

(NOTE: For explanations of absences of Assembly Members Chavez, Kehoe, Koretz, Maddox, and Ridley-Thomas on this day, on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see the Assembly Daily Journal for the Regular Session for this day; for explanation of absence of Assembly Member Maze on this day, on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see the Assembly Journal for January 13, 2004.)

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2 TAKEN UP  
BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

Assembly Member Firebaugh was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, without reference to committee or file.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2**—Relative to final adjournment of the 2003–04 Third Extraordinary Session of the Legislature.

Resolution read, presented by Assembly Member Firebaugh, and adopted by the following vote:

**AYES—63**

Aghazarian	Diaz	Laird	Parra
Bates	Dutra	Leno	Pavley
Benoit	Dutton	Leslie	Plescia
Bermudez	Dymally	Lieber	Reyes
Bogh	Firebaugh	Liu	Runner
Calderon	Frommer	Longville	Salinas
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Daucher	La Malfa	Nunez	

**NOES—None**

Resolution ordered transmitted to the Senate.

**VOTE ADDS**

The following Assembly Members were granted unanimous consent to record their votes on the following item:

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2:** Bermudez, Bogh, Campbell, Canciamilla, Corbett, Correa, Daucher, Diaz, Garcia, Houston, Keene, La Malfa, Leslie, Maldonado, Mountjoy, Nunez, Parra, Pavley, Reyes, Samuelian, Spitzer, and Vargas—Aye.

**MEASURES WHICH DIED AT DESK**

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 9:19 a.m., pursuant to the provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2, the 2003–04 Third Extraordinary Session of the Legislature adjourned *sine die*.

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HERB J. WESSON, JR., Speaker

PAM CAVILEER, Minute Clerk