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ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

Friday, January 17, 2025

TENTH SESSION DAY

FORTY-SEVENTH CALENDAR DAY

AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA



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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento
Friday, January 17, 2025

The Assembly met at 9 a.m.
Hon. Josh Lowenthal, Speaker pro Tempore of the Assembly, presiding.
Chief Clerk Sue Parker at the Desk.
Reading Clerk David A. Bowman reading.

ROLLCALL

The roll was called.

Quorum Call of the Assembly

Assembly Member Rogers moved a quorum call of the Assembly.
Motion carried. Time, 9 a.m.
The Speaker pro Tempore directed the Sergeant at Arms to close the doors and to bring in the absent Members.

Quorum Present

At 9:18 a.m., Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal declared a quorum of the Assembly present.

The rollcall was completed, and the following answered to their names—66:

Aguiar-Curry	Essayli	Lowenthal	Rubio
Ahrens	Flora	Macedo	Sanchez
Alanis	Fong	McKinnor	Schiavo
Arambula	Gabriel	Muratsuchi	Sharp-Collins
Avila Farias	Gallagher	Nguyen	Solache, Jr.
Bauer-Kahan	Garcia	Ortega	Soria
Boerner	Gonzalez, J.	Pacheco	Stefani
Bryan	González, M.	Papan	Ta
Calderon	Hadwick	Patel	Tangipa
Carrillo	Haney	Patterson	Valencia
Castillo	Hart	Pellerin	Wallis
Chen	Hoover	Petrie-Norris	Ward
Connolly	Jackson	Quirk-Silva	Wicks
Davies	Kalra	Ransom	Wilson
DeMaio	Krell	Rodriguez, C.	Mr. Speaker
Dixon	Lackey	Rodriguez, M.	
Elhawary	Lee	Rogers	

PRAYER

Upon invitation of Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal, the following prayer was offered by Assembly Member Esmeralda Z. Soria, of the 27th Assembly District:

Father God, We come to You this morning with a grateful heart for the new year, but also with a heavy heart as we think of those affected by the fires and our immigrant community who face much uncertainty.

We continue to pray for the victims of the devastating fires in Southern California—the families that have lost loved ones, homes, and livelihoods. Surround them with Your peace and strength as they rebuild their lives.

Bless the firefighters, emergency responders and all of those who have worked tirelessly and volunteered to protect and save others. We ask that You strengthen and keep them safe.

At the same time, we turn our hearts to the immigrant community, many of whom are living in fear and uncertainty. Lord, grant them courage and resilience in these difficult times.

May we ALL, as leaders, rise to our moral responsibility to create policies rooted in justice, compassion, and inclusion. Help us be instruments of healing and hope. Help us come together as ONE California, as ONE United States of America.

We ask for Your wisdom, mercy and grace as we seek to serve the most vulnerable among us.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Upon request of Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal, Assembly Member Ortega 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 Aguiar-Curry, seconded by Assembly Member Flora.

READING OF THE JOURNAL DISPENSED WITH

By unanimous consent, reading of the Journal of the previous legislative day was dispensed with.

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 Addis, Bennett, Caloza, Gipson, Harabedian, Irwin, Schultz, and Zbur.

On personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Members Alvarez and Bains.

Because of illness: Assembly Members Berman and Ramos.

Because of illness in her family: Assembly Member Bonta.

EXPLANATIONS OF ABSENCE

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following explanations of absence were ordered printed in the Journal:

January 17, 2025

*The Honorable Robert Rivas
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California*

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Assembly Session for legislative business on January 17, 2025 in order to be in my district and meet with local leaders and emergency response units in response to the battery fire that has sparked in my district on the evening of January 16, 2025 and currently rages on.

Sincerely,

DAWN ADDIS, Assembly Member
Thirtieth District

January 15, 2025

*The Honorable Robert Rivas
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California*

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request to be excused from session on Friday, January 17th, due to continued wind conditions and surrounding fire threat to my district.

Thank you for consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

STEVE BENNETT, Assembly Member
Thirty-eighth District

January 14, 2025

*The Honorable Robert Rivas
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California*

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to be excused from session on Friday, January 17, 2025 due to legislative business.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

JESSICA M. CALOZA, Assembly Member
Fifty-second District

January 13, 2025

The Honorable Robert Rivas
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Floor Session on Friday, 17th due to legislative business on Friday, 17th to attend and speak at a Groundbreaking Ceremony at Compton Community College.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

MIKE A. GIPSON, Assembly Member
Sixty-fifth District

January 16, 2025

The Honorable Robert Rivas
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Rivas: Due to the ongoing wildfire emergency impacting my District; I respectfully request to be excused from Session on Friday, January 17th, 2025 for legislative business.

Sincerely,

NICK SCHULTZ, Assembly Member
Forty-fourth District

(NOTE: For letter explaining the absence of Assembly Member Harabedian on this day on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see Assembly Journal for Monday, January 13, 2025; for letter explaining the absence of Assembly Member Irwin on this day on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see Assembly Journal for Tuesday, January 14, 2025; for letter explaining the absence of Assembly Member Zbur on this day on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see Assembly Journal for January 15, 2025.)

COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were presented by the Chief Clerk and ordered printed in the Journal:

January 17, 2025

Sue Parker
Chief Clerk of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 319
Sacramento, California

Dear Ms. Parker: Attached please find a copy of the Schedule of Assembly Standing Committees and Subcommittees for the 2025–26 Regular Session.

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS
Speaker of the Assembly

**SCHEDULE OF 2025–26 REGULAR SESSION
ASSEMBLY STANDING COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

(All hearings take place in the State Capitol or at 1021 O Street, unless otherwise noted)

MONDAY

<i>Time</i>	<i>Room</i>	<i>Committee</i>
1021 O Street		
2:30 p.m.*	1100.....	Transportation
State Capitol		
3:30 p.m.**	444.....	Banking and Finance
2:30 p.m.**	444.....	Emergency Management
2:30 p.m.*	437.....	Natural Resources
2:30 p.m.*	126.....	Revenue and Taxation
* !	126.....	Rules

TUESDAY

<i>Time</i>	<i>Room</i>	<i>Committee</i>
1021 O Street		
9 a.m.*	1100.....	Business and Professions
1:30 p.m.*	1100.....	Health
State Capitol		
3 p.m.**	444.....	Aging and Long-Term Care
9 a.m.**	444.....	Art, Entertainment, Sports, and Tourism
1:30 p.m.**	444.....	Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials
1:30 p.m.**	126.....	Higher Education
1:30 p.m.**	437.....	Human Services
9 a.m.**	127.....	Jobs, Economic Development, and the Economy
9 a.m.*	437.....	Judiciary
4 p.m.**	126.....	Military and Veterans Affairs
1:30 p.m.**	437.....	Privacy and Consumer Protection
9 a.m.*	126.....	Public Safety
9 a.m.**	444.....	Water, Parks, and Wildlife

WEDNESDAY

<i>Time</i>	<i>Room</i>	<i>Committee</i>
<i>1021 O Street</i>		
9 a.m.*	1100.....	Appropriations
!	1100.....	Budget
1:30 p.m.**	1100.....	Education
1:30 p.m.**	1100.....	Governmental Organization
<i>State Capitol</i>		
1:30 p.m.**	126.....	Agriculture
1:30 p.m.**	437.....	Communications and Conveyance
1:30 p.m.**	126.....	Education
9 a.m.**	444.....	Elections
9 a.m.**	437.....	Housing and Community Development
9 a.m.**	437.....	Insurance
1:30 p.m.**	447.....	Labor and Employment
1:30 p.m.**	447.....	Local Government
9 a.m.**	444.....	Public Employment and Retirement
1:30 p.m.**	437.....	Utilities and Energy

* Meets every week.
 ** Meets 1st and 3rd week of the month as called at time indicated.
 *** Meets 2nd and 4th week of the month as called at time indicated.
 ! Upon call of the Chair.

**SCHEDULE OF 2025–26 REGULAR SESSION
ASSEMBLY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS**

BUDGET

MONDAY

<i>Time</i>	<i>State Capitol</i>	<i>Room</i>	<i>Subcommittee</i>
2:30 p.m.*		127.....	Subcommittee No. 1—Health
2:30 p.m.*		447.....	Subcommittee No. 6—Public Safety

TUESDAY

<i>Time</i>	<i>State Capitol</i>	<i>Room</i>	<i>Subcommittee</i>
9 a.m.*		447.....	Subcommittee No. 3—Education Finance
1:30 p.m.*		447.....	Subcommittee No. 5—State Administration

WEDNESDAY

<i>Time</i>	<i>State Capitol</i>	<i>Room</i>	<i>Subcommittee</i>
1:30 p.m.*		444.....	Subcommittee No. 2—Human Services
4 p.m.*		126.....	Subcommittee No. 3—Education Finance
9 a.m.*		447.....	Subcommittee No. 4—Climate Crisis, Resources, Energy, and Transportation
4 p.m.*		127.....	Subcommittee No. 5—State Administration
9 a.m.*		126.....	Subcommittee No. 7—Accountability and Oversight

* Meets every week.

! Upon call of the Chair.

January 17, 2025

Sue Parker

*Chief Clerk of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 319
Sacramento, California*

Dear Ms. Parker: Please be advised that I have made the following committee appointments for the 2025–26 Regular Session:

Aging and Long-Term Care

Assemblymember Jasmeet Kaur Bains, Chair
Assemblymember James Gallagher, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Joaquin Arambula
Assemblymember Anamarie Avila Farias
Assemblymember Jeff Gonzalez
Assemblymember Blanca Rubio
Assemblymember LaShae Sharp-Collins

Agriculture

Assemblymember Esmeralda Soria, Chair
Assemblymember Juan Alanis, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Cecilia Aguiar-Curry
Assemblymember Damon Connolly
Assemblymember Jeff Gonzalez
Assemblymember Heather Hadwick
Assemblymember Jacqui Irwin
Assemblymember Rhodesia Ransom

I have decreased the size of the committee from 10 to 8 members.

Appropriations

Assemblymember Buffy Wicks, Chair
Assemblymember Kate Sanchez, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Joaquin Arambula
Assemblymember Lisa Calderon
Assemblymember Jessica Caloza
Assemblymember Diane Dixon
Assemblymember Sade Elhawary
Assemblymember Mike Fong
Assemblymember Mark Gonzalez
Assemblymember Heather Hadwick
Assemblymember Gregg Hart
Assemblymember Blanca Pacheco
Assemblymember Gail Pellerin
Assemblymember José Solache, Jr.
Assemblymember Tri Ta

Arts, Entertainment, Sports, and Tourism

Assemblymember Christopher Ward, Chair
Assemblymember Tom Lackey, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Sade Elhawary
Assemblymember Jeff Gonzalez
Assemblymember Tina McKinnor
Assemblymember Liz Ortega
Assemblymember Sharon Quirk-Silva
Assemblymember Avelino Valencia
Assemblymember Rick Chavez Zbur

I have increased the size of the committee from 7 to 9 members.

Banking and Finance

Assemblymember Avelino Valencia, Chair
Assemblymember Phillip Chen, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Diane Dixon
Assemblymember Mike Fong
Assemblymember Maggy Krell
Assemblymember Michelle Rodriguez
Assemblymember Blanca Rubio
Assemblymember Pilar Schiavo
Assemblymember Esmeralda Soria

Budget

Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel, Chair
Assemblymember Heath Flora, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Dawn Addis
Assemblymember Patrick Ahrens
Assemblymember David Alvarez
Assemblymember Steve Bennett
Assemblymember Mia Bonta
Assemblymember Damon Connolly
Assemblymember Carl DeMaio
Assemblymember Mike Fong
Assemblymember Heather Hadwick
Assemblymember Matt Haney
Assemblymember Gregg Hart
Assemblymember Corey Jackson
Assemblymember Tom Lackey
Assemblymember Alex Lee
Assemblymember Alexandra Macedo
Assemblymember Al Muratsuchi
Assemblymember Liz Ortega
Assemblymember Darshana Patel
Assemblymember Joe Patterson
Assemblymember Cottie Petrie-Norris
Assemblymember Sharon Quirk-Silva
Assemblymember James Ramos
Assemblymember Chris Rogers
Assemblymember Pilar Schiavo
Assemblymember Nick Schultz
Assemblymember LaShae Sharp-Collins
Assemblymember José Solache, Jr.
Assemblymember David Tangipa
Assemblymember Greg Wallis
Assemblymember Christopher Ward
Assemblymember Lori Wilson

I have increased the size of the committee from 27 to 33 members.

Budget Subcommittee No. 1 on Health

Assemblymember Dawn Addis, Chair
Assemblymember Mia Bonta
Assemblymember Joe Patterson
Assemblymember Pilar Schiavo
Assemblymember José Solache, Jr.
Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel, Democratic Alternate
Assemblymember Heath Flora, Republican Alternate

I have increased the size of the committee from 3 to 5 members.

Budget Subcommittee No. 2 on Human Services

Assemblymember Corey Jackson, Chair
Assemblymember Patrick Ahrens
Assemblymember Alex Lee
Assemblymember LaShae Sharp-Collins
Assemblymember David Tangipa
Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel, Democratic Alternate
Assemblymember Heath Flora, Republican Alternate

I have increased the size of the committee from 3 to 5 members.

Budget Subcommittee No. 3 on Education Finance

Assemblymember David Alvarez, Chair
Assemblymember Mike Fong
Assemblymember Heather Hadwick
Assemblymember Al Muratsuchi
Assemblymember Darshana Patel
Assemblymember Greg Wallis
Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel, Democratic Alternate
Assemblymember Heath Flora, Republican Alternate

Budget Subcommittee No. 4 on Climate Crisis, Resources, Energy and Transportation

Assemblymember Steve Bennett, Chair
Assemblymember Damon Connolly
Assemblymember Tom Lackey
Assemblymember Alexandra Macedo
Assemblymember Cottie Petrie-Norris
Assemblymember Chris Rogers
Assemblymember Lori Wilson
Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel, Democratic Alternate
Assemblymember Heath Flora, Republican Alternate

I have increased the size of the committee from 5 to 7 members.

Budget Subcommittee No. 5 on State Administration

Assemblymember Sharon Quirk-Silva, Chair
Assemblymember Carl DeMaio
Assemblymember Matt Haney
Assemblymember Liz Ortega
Assemblymember Christopher Ward
Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel, Democratic Alternate
Assemblymember Heath Flora, Republican Alternate

I have increased the size of the committee from 3 to 5 members.

Budget Subcommittee No. 6 on Public Safety

Assemblymember James Ramos, Chair
Assemblymember Tom Lackey
Assemblymember Nick Schultz
Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel, Democratic Alternate
Assemblymember Heath Flora, Republican Alternate

Budget Subcommittee No. 7 on Accountability and Oversight

Assemblymember Gregg Hart, Chair

Business and Professions

Assemblymember Marc Berman, Chair
Assemblymember Heath Flora, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Patrick Ahrens
Assemblymember Juan Alanis
Assemblymember Jasmeet Kaur Bains
Assemblymember Rebecca Bauer-Kahan
Assemblymember Jessica Caloza
Assemblymember Phillip Chen
Assemblymember Sade Elhawary
Assemblymember Heather Hadwick
Assemblymember Matt Haney
Assemblymember Jacqui Irwin
Assemblymember Corey Jackson
Assemblymember Maggy Krell
Assemblymember Josh Lowenthal
Assemblymember Alexandra Macedo
Assemblymember Stephanie Nguyen
Assemblymember Gail Pellerin

Communications and Conveyance

Assemblymember Tasha Boerner, Chair
Assemblymember Josh Hoover, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Patrick Ahrens
Assemblymember Mia Bonta
Assemblymember Jessica Caloza
Assemblymember Leticia Castillo
Assemblymember Robert Garcia
Assemblymember Josh Lowenthal
Assemblymember Chris Rogers
Assemblymember Blanca Rubio

I have decreased the size of the committee from 11 to 10 members.

Economic Development, Growth, and Household Impact

Assemblymember José Solache, Jr., Chair
Assemblymember Leticia Castillo, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Darshana Patel
Assemblymember Cottie Petrie-Norris
Assemblymember Esmeralda Soria
Assemblymember Catherine Stefani
Assemblymember Greg Wallis

Education

Assemblymember Al Muratsuchi, Chair
Assemblymember Josh Hoover, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Dawn Addis
Assemblymember David Alvarez
Assemblymember Mia Bonta
Assemblymember Leticia Castillo
Assemblymember Robert Garcia
Assemblymember Josh Lowenthal
Assemblymember Darshana Patel

I have increased the size of the committee from 7 to 9 members.

Elections

Assemblymember Gail Pellerin, Chair
Assemblymember Bill Essayli, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Steve Bennett
Assemblymember Marc Berman
Assemblymember José Solache, Jr.
Assemblymember Catherine Stefani
Assemblymember David Tangipa

I have decreased the size of the committee from 8 to 7 members.

Emergency Management

Assemblymember Rhodesia Ransom, Chair
Assemblymember Heather Hadwick, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Joaquin Arambula
Assemblymember Jasmeet Kaur Bains
Assemblymember Steve Bennett
Assemblymember Lisa Calderon
Assemblymember Carl DeMaio

I have decreased the size of the committee from 8 to 7 members.

Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials

Assemblymember Damon Connolly, Chair
Assemblymember Heather Hadwick, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Rebecca Bauer-Kahan
Assemblymember Leticia Castillo
Assemblymember Alex Lee
Assemblymember Tina McKinnor
Assemblymember Diane Papan

Governmental Organization

Assemblymember Blanca Rubio, Chair
Assemblymember Alexandra Macedo, Vice Chair
Assemblymember David Alvarez
Assemblymember Marc Berman
Assemblymember Isaac Bryan
Assemblymember Juan Carrillo
Assemblymember Laurie Davies
Assemblymember Diane Dixon
Assemblymember Mike Fong
Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel
Assemblymember Mike Gipson
Assemblymember Tina McKinnor

Assemblymember Stephanie Nguyen
Assemblymember Blanca Pacheco
Assemblymember James Ramos
Assemblymember Michelle Rodriguez
Assemblymember Kate Sanchez
Assemblymember José Solache, Jr.
Assemblymember Esmeralda Soria
Assemblymember Tri Ta
Assemblymember Avelino Valencia
Assemblymember Greg Wallis

Health

Assemblymember Mia Bonta, Chair
Assemblymember Joe Patterson, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Dawn Addis
Assemblymember Cecilia Aguiar-Curry
Assemblymember Joaquin Arambula
Assemblymember Juan Carrillo
Assemblymember Heath Flora
Assemblymember Mark González
Assemblymember Maggy Krell
Assemblymember Darshana Patel
Assemblymember Celeste Rodriguez
Assemblymember Kate Sanchez
Assemblymember Pilar Schiavo
Assemblymember LaShae Sharp-Collins
Assemblymember Catherine Stefani
Assemblymember David Tangipa

Higher Education

Assemblymember Mike Fong, Chair
Assemblymember Carl DeMaio, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Tasha Boerner
Assemblymember Bill Essayli
Assemblymember Jeff Gonzalez
Assemblymember Corey Jackson
Assemblymember Maggy Krell
Assemblymember Al Muratsuchi
Assemblymember Darshana Patel
Assemblymember Celeste Rodriguez
Assemblymember LaShae Sharp-Collins

Housing and Community Development

Assemblymember Matt Haney, Chair
Assemblymember Joe Patterson, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Anamarie Avila Farias
Assemblymember Jessica Caloza
Assemblymember James Gallagher
Assemblymember Ash Kalra
Assemblymember Alex Lee
Assemblymember Sharon Quirk-Silva
Assemblymember Esmeralda Soria
Assemblymember Tri Ta
Assemblymember Buffy Wicks
Assemblymember Lori Wilson

I have increased the size of the committee from 9 to 12 members.

Human Services

Assemblymember Alex Lee, Chair
Assemblymember Leticia Castillo, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Lisa Calderon
Assemblymember Sade Elhawary
Assemblymember Bill Essayli
Assemblymember Corey Jackson
Assemblymember Celeste Rodriguez

Insurance

Assemblymember Lisa Calderon, Chair
Assemblymember David Tangipa, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Dawn Addis
Assemblymember David Alvarez
Assemblymember Anamarie Avila Farias
Assemblymember Marc Berman
Assemblymember Phillip Chen
Assemblymember James Gallagher
Assemblymember Mike Gipson
Assemblymember John Harabedian
Assemblymember Stephanie Nguyen
Assemblymember Liz Ortega
Assemblymember Cottie Petrie-Norris
Assemblymember Michelle Rodriguez
Assemblymember Avelino Valencia
Assemblymember Greg Wallis

I have increased the size of the committee from 15 to 16 members.

Judiciary

Assemblymember Ash Kalra, Chair
Assemblymember Diane Dixon, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Rebecca Bauer-Kahan
Assemblymember Isaac Bryan
Assemblymember Damon Connolly
Assemblymember Bill Essayli
Assemblymember John Harabedian
Assemblymember Blanca Pacheco
Assemblymember Diane Papan
Assemblymember Kate Sanchez
Assemblymember Catherine Stefani
Assemblymember Rick Chavez Zbur

Labor and Employment

Assemblymember Liz Ortega, Chair
Assemblymember Heath Flora, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Phillip Chen
Assemblymember Sade Elhawary
Assemblymember Ash Kalra
Assemblymember Alex Lee
Assemblymember Christopher Ward

Local Government

Assemblymember Juan Carrillo, Chair
 Assemblymember Tri Ta, Vice Chair
 Assemblymember Josh Hoover
 Assemblymember Blanca Pacheco
 Assemblymember James Ramos
 Assemblymember Blanca Rubio
 Assemblymember Catherine Stefani
 Assemblymember Christopher Ward
 Assemblymember Lori Wilson

Military and Veterans Affairs

Assemblymember Pilar Schiavo, Chair
 Assemblymember Laurie Davies, Vice Chair
 Assemblymember Anamarie Avila Farias
 Assemblymember Juan Carrillo
 Assemblymember Jeff Gonzalez
 Assemblymember Michelle Rodriguez
 Assemblymember Avelino Valencia

I have decreased the size of the committee from 10 to 7 members.

Natural Resources

Assemblymember Isaac Bryan, Chair
 Assemblymember Alexandra Macedo, Vice Chair
 Assemblymember Juan Alanis
 Assemblymember Damon Connolly
 Assemblymember Heath Flora
 Assemblymember Robert Garcia
 Assemblymember Matt Haney
 Assemblymember Josh Hoover
 Assemblymember Ash Kalra
 Assemblymember Al Muratsuchi
 Assemblymember Gail Pellerin
 Assemblymember Rhodesia Ransom
 Assemblymember Nick Schultz
 Assemblymember Buffy Wicks
 Assemblymember Rick Chavez Zbur

I have increased the size of the committee from 12 to 15 members.

Privacy and Consumer Protection

Assemblymember Rebecca Bauer-Kahan, Chair
 Assemblymember Diane Dixon, Vice Chair
 Assemblymember Isaac Bryan
 Assemblymember Carl DeMaio
 Assemblymember Jacqui Irwin
 Assemblymember Josh Lowenthal
 Assemblymember Alexandra Macedo
 Assemblymember Tina McKinnor
 Assemblymember Liz Ortega
 Assemblymember Joe Patterson
 Assemblymember Gail Pellerin
 Assemblymember Cottie Petrie-Norris
 Assemblymember Christopher Ward
 Assemblymember Buffy Wicks

Assemblymember Lori Wilson

I have increased the size of the committee from 11 to 15 members.

Public Employment and Retirement

Assemblymember Tina McKinnor, Chair
Assemblymember Tom Lackey, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Juan Alanis
Assemblymember Tasha Boerner
Assemblymember Sade Elhawary
Assemblymember Robert Garcia
Assemblymember Stephanie Nguyen

Public Safety

Assemblymember Nick Schultz, Chair
Assemblymember Juan Alanis, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Mark González
Assemblymember Matt Haney
Assemblymember John Harabedian
Assemblymember Tom Lackey
Assemblymember Stephanie Nguyen
Assemblymember James Ramos
Assemblymember LaShae Sharp-Collins

I have increased the size of the committee from 8 to 9 members.

Revenue and Taxation

Assemblymember Mike Gipson, Chair
Assemblymember Tri Ta, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Jasmeet Kaur Bains
Assemblymember Carl DeMaio
Assemblymember Robert Garcia
Assemblymember Tina McKinnor
Assemblymember Sharon Quirk-Silva

Rules

Assemblymember Blanca Pacheco, Chair
Assemblymember Tom Lackey, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Patrick Ahrens
Assemblymember Heath Flora
Assemblymember Mark González
Assemblymember Jacqui Irwin
Assemblymember Maggy Krell
Assemblymember Darshana Patel
Assemblymember Michelle Rodriguez
Assemblymember Kate Sanchez
Assemblymember Rick Chavez Zbur
Assemblymember Joaquin Arambula, Democratic Alternate
Assemblymember Tri Ta, Republican Alternate

Transportation

Assemblymember Lori Wilson, Chair
Assemblymember Laurie Davies, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Cecilia Aguiar-Curry
Assemblymember Patrick Ahrens
Assemblymember Juan Carrillo
Assemblymember John Harabedian

Assemblymember Gregg Hart
 Assemblymember Josh Hoover
 Assemblymember Corey Jackson
 Assemblymember Tom Lackey
 Assemblymember Josh Lowenthal
 Assemblymember Alexandra Macedo
 Assemblymember Diane Papan
 Assemblymember Rhodesia Ransom
 Assemblymember Chris Rogers
 Assemblymember Christopher Ward

I have increased the size of the committee from 15 to 16 members.

Utilities and Energy

Assemblymember Cottie Petrie-Norris, Chair
 Assemblymember Joe Patterson, Vice Chair
 Assemblymember Tasha Boerner
 Assemblymember Lisa Calderon
 Assemblymember Phillip Chen
 Assemblymember Mark González
 Assemblymember John Harabedian
 Assemblymember Gregg Hart
 Assemblymember Jacqui Irwin
 Assemblymember Ash Kalra
 Assemblymember Diane Papan
 Assemblymember Chris Rogers
 Assemblymember Pilar Schiavo
 Assemblymember Nick Schultz
 Assemblymember Tri Ta
 Assemblymember David Tangipa
 Assemblymember Greg Wallis
 Assemblymember Rick Chavez Zbur

I have increased the size of the committee from 16 to 18 members.

Water, Parks, and Wildlife

Assemblymember Diane Papan, Chair
 Assemblymember Jeff Gonzalez, Vice Chair
 Assemblymember Juan Alanis
 Assemblymember David Alvarez
 Assemblymember Anamarie Avila Farias
 Assemblymember Jasmeet Kaur Bains
 Assemblymember Steve Bennett
 Assemblymember Tasha Boerner
 Assemblymember Jessica Caloza
 Assemblymember Laurie Davies
 Assemblymember Gregg Hart
 Assemblymember Celeste Rodriguez
 Assemblymember Chris Rogers

I have decreased the size of the committee from 15 to 13 members.

Legislative Ethics

Assemblymember Catherine Stefani, Co-Chair
Assemblymember Phillip Chen, Co-Chair
Assemblymember Marc Berman
Assemblymember Bill Essayli
Assemblymember James Gallagher
1 Democratic vacancy

Joint Legislative Audit Committee

Assemblymember John Harabedian, Chair
Assemblymember Carl DeMaio
Assemblymember Gregg Hart
Assemblymember Josh Hoover
Assemblymember Sharon Quirk-Silva
Assemblymember Rhodesia Ransom
1 Democratic vacancy

Joint Legislative Budget

Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel, Vice Chair
Assemblymember Dawn Addis
Assemblymember David Alvarez
Assemblymember Steve Bennett
Assemblymember Heath Flora
Assemblymember Corey Jackson
Assemblymember Joe Patterson
Assemblymember Sharon Quirk-Silva

Joint Legislative Committee on Climate Change Policies

Assemblymember Jacqui Irwin, Chair
Assemblymember Rebecca Bauer-Kahan
Assemblymember Isaac Bryan
Assemblymember Heath Flora
Assemblymember Cottie Petrie-Norris

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS
Speaker of the Assembly

ASSEMBLY RULE 118(a) SUSPENDED—PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Assembly Member Wallis was granted unanimous consent that Assembly Rule 118(a) be suspended granting the privileges of the Floor and permitting guests in the Chamber and on the Floor.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

The Members of the Assembly joined Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal in extending best wishes to Assembly Member Bryan upon the occasion of his recent birthday.

**CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE
THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS**

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7 (Bryan)—Relative to Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Resolution read.

ASSEMBLY RULE 112 SUSPENDED

Assembly Member Celeste Rodriguez was granted unanimous consent that Assembly Rule 112 be suspended to permit her to read a paper on the Floor.

**Members Made Coauthors of
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7**

Upon request of Assembly Member Bryan, the following Members were permitted to be listed as additional coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7.

Additional Coauthors

The following Assembly Members requested to be listed as additional coauthors:

Aguiar-Curry, Ahrens, Alanis, Arambula, Avila Farias, Bauer-Kahan, Boerner, Calderon, Carrillo, Castillo, Chen, Connolly, Davies, DeMaio, Dixon, Essayli, Flora, Fong, Gabriel, Gallagher, Garcia, Gonzalez, J., González, M., Hadwick, Haney, Hart, Hoover, Kalra, Krell, Lackey, Lee, Lowenthal, Macedo, Muratsuchi, Nguyen, Ortega, Pacheco, Papan, Patel, Patterson, Pellerin, Petrie-Norris, Quirk-Silva, Rivas, Rodriguez, C., Rodriguez, M., Rogers, Rubio, Sanchez, Schiavo, Solache, Jr., Soria, Stefani, Ta, Tangipa, Valencia, Wallis, Ward, and Wicks.

Request for Unanimous Consent

Assembly Member Bryan was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7, as revised, without reference to print or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

Consideration of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 7, as Revised
ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7—Relative to Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Resolution read, as revised, and adopted.

Resolution ordered reprinted and transmitted to the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

In conjunction with Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 8 relative to Desert Ecosystems, Assembly Member Wallis, of the 47th Assembly District, introduced Dr. Anna Young and Kat Sacher of the Living Desert Zoo and Gardens.

ADJOURN IN MEMORY

Assembly Member DeMaio was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Jeffrey Kanas of Bonita.

(Assembly Rule 45.5 suspended.)

ADJOURN IN MEMORY

Assembly Members Carrillo and Lackey were granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of David Thomas Gomez of Palmdale.

(Assembly Rule 45.5 suspended.)

ADJOURN IN MEMORY

Assembly Member Hadwick was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Pam Giacomini of Hat Creek.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal announced the following session schedule:

Monday, January 20, 2025, Holiday in observance of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day;

Tuesday, January 21, 2025, Floor Session, 1 p.m.

MOTION TO ADJOURN

At 9:57 a.m., Assembly Member Krell moved that the Assembly do now adjourn.

Assembly Member Ta seconded the motion.

Motion carried.

QUORUM CALL OF THE ASSEMBLY DISPENSED WITH

At 9:57 a.m., without objection, Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal declared the quorum call of the Assembly dispensed with.

**INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF
ASSEMBLY BILLS**

The following bills were introduced and read the first time:

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 265—Caloza. An act to add and repeal Article 8 (commencing with Section 12100.80) of Chapter 1.6 of Part 2 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code, relating to economic recovery, and making an appropriation therefor.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 266—Davies. An act to amend Section 2562.5 of the Streets and Highways Code, relating to transportation.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 267—Macedo. An act to amend Section 39719 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 268—Kalra and Patel (Principal coauthor: Senator Allen) (Coauthors: Ahrens, Bains, Lee, and Ward) (Coauthors: Senators Cortese and Wahab). An act relating to state government.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 269—Bennett. An act to amend Section 6700 of the Water Code, relating to dams.

The following resolution was offered:

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17—Hadwick (Coauthor: Flora). Relative to certified registered nurse anesthetists.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber, January 17, 2025

Mr. Speaker: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8

ERIKA CONTRERAS, Secretary of the Senate
By Heshani Wijemanne, Assistant Secretary

FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following resolutions were read:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5—Relative to World Desert Day.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8—Relative to Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

ADJOURNMENT

At 3 p.m., pursuant to the motion by Assembly Member Krell, the Assembly adjourned until 1 p.m., Tuesday, January 21, 2025, out of respect to the memory of Jeffrey Kanas on motion of Assembly Member DeMaio; out of respect to the memory of David Thomas Gomez on motion of Assembly Members Carrillo and Lackey; and out of respect to the memory of Pam Giacomini on motion of Assembly Member Hadwick.

ROBERT RIVAS, Speaker

DANIEL ALVAREZ, Assistant Minute Clerk