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ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

Tuesday, January 21, 2025
SIXTH SESSION DAY
FIFTY-FIRST 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
Tuesday, January 21, 2025

The Assembly met at 1:51 p.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, and the following answered to their names—72:

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

Quorum present.

REGULAR BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

By unanimous consent, the regular order of business of the Assembly was dispensed with for this legislative day.

PRAYER

Upon invitation of Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal, the following prayer was offered by Assembly Member Dixon, of the 72nd Assembly District:

May the Creator bless our nation and those who serve it with the courage to appreciate the differences amongst us that make our country great, and may we work to preserve a nation that is bound together by liberty, justice, and tolerance for all its citizens. May this be God's will.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Upon request of Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal, Assembly Member Fong 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 Garcia, 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 personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Members Alanis, Castillo, Gallagher, Lackey, and Patterson.

Because of illness: Assembly Members Bains and Essayli.

FIRST READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

The following bills were read the first time:

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 4—Gabriel and Senator Wiener. An act to amend the Budget Act of 2024 (Chs. 22, 35, and 994, Stats. 2024), by amending Sections 39.00 and 99.50 of, and by adding Section 90.00 to, that act, relating to the state budget, and making an appropriation therefor, to take effect immediately, budget bill.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 5—Gabriel and Senator Wiener. An act to amend the Budget Act of 2024 (Chs. 22, 35, and 994, Stats. 2024), by amending Items 2240-001-0001 and 7760-001-0001 of Section 2.00 of, by amending Sections 39.00 and 99.50 of, and by adding Section 90.01 to, that act, relating to the state budget, and making an appropriation therefor, to take effect immediately, budget bill.

BILLS PLACED ON FILE BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT

Assembly Member Garcia was granted unanimous consent that Assembly Bills Nos. 4 and 5 be ordered placed on the second reading file.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

The following bills were introduced and read the first time:

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 6—Patterson. An act to add Section 4581.5 to the Public Resources Code, relating to forestry.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 7—Essayli and Gallagher (Coauthors: Alanis, Castillo, Davies, DeMaio, Flora, Sanchez, and Wallis). An act to amend the Budget Act of 2024 (Chs. 22, 35, and 994, Stats. 2024), by amending Section 99.50 of, and by adding Section 11.40 to, that act, relating to the state budget, and to take effect immediately, budget bill.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 8—Essayli (Coauthors: Alanis, Castillo, Davies, DeMaio, Flora, Gallagher, Sanchez, and Wallis). An act to amend the Budget Act of 2024 (Chs. 22, 35, and 994, Stats. 2024), by amending Section 99.50 of, and by adding Section 11.60 to, that act, relating to the state budget, and to take effect immediately, budget bill.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 9—Essayli (Coauthors: Alanis, Castillo, Davies, DeMaio, Flora, Gallagher, Sanchez, and Wallis). An act to amend the Budget Act of 2024 (Chs. 22, 35, and 994, Stats. 2024), by amending Section 99.50 of, and by adding Section 11.50 to, that act, relating to the state budget, and to take effect immediately, budget bill.

ADJOURNMENT

At 1:53 p.m., the Assembly adjourned to reconvene upon call of the Speaker.

ROBERT RIVAS, Speaker

VERONICA BLEVINS, Assistant Minute Clerk

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