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# ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

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**Tuesday, January 23, 2001**  
**ELEVENTH SESSION DAY**  
**TWENTY-FIRST CALENDAR DAY**  
**AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA**



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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

### IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento  
Tuesday, January 23, 2001

The Assembly met at 11:41 a.m.

Hon. Robert M. Hertzberg, Speaker of the Assembly, presiding.

Chief Clerk E. Dotson Wilson at the Desk.

Assistant Clerk Brian S. Ebbert reading.

#### ROLL CALL

The following were placed upon the morning roll call—77:

Aanestad	Daucher	Leslie	Runner
Alquist	Diaz	Liu	Salinas
Aroner	Dickerson	Longville	Shelley
Ashburn	Dutra	Lowenthal	Simitian
Bates	Firebaugh	Maddox	Steinberg
Briggs	Florez	Maldonado	Strickland
Calderon	Frommer	Matthews	Strom-Martin
Campbell, Bill	Goldberg	Migden	Thomson
Campbell, John	Harman	Mountjoy	Vargas
Canciamilla	Havice	Nakano	Washington
Cardenas	Hollingsworth	Nation	Wayne
Cardoza	Horton	Negrete McLeod	Wiggins
Cedillo	Jackson	Oropeza	Wright
Chan	Keeley	Pacheco, Robert	Wyland
Chavez	Kehoe	Pacheco, Rod	Wyman
Cogdill	Kelley	Papan	Zettel
Cohn	Koretz	Pavley	Mr. Speaker
Corbett	La Suer	Pescetti	
Correa	Leach	Reyes	
Cox	Leonard	Richman	

Quorum present.

**At 2:25 p.m., Hon. Dennis Mountjoy, 59th District, presiding**

#### REGULAR BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

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

#### 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 Member Romero.*

*Because of illness: Assembly Member Wesson.*

(NOTE: For explanation of absence of Assembly Member Romero on this day, on legislative business, pursuant to the Rules, see the Assembly Journal for the Regular Session for this day.)

**COMMUNICATIONS**

The following communications were presented by the Speaker, and ordered printed in the Journal:

January 23, 2001

*E. Dotson Wilson*  
*Chief Clerk of the Assembly*  
*State Capitol, Room 3196*  
*Sacramento, California*

Dear Dotson: This is to advise you that I have created the Subcommittee on the Regional Impact of Electrical Deregulation of the Committee on Energy Costs and Availability for the First Extraordinary Session of 2001–02. I have appointed the following members to the subcommittee:

Assemblymember Sarah Reyes, Chair  
Assemblymember Manny Diaz  
Assemblymember Hannah-Beth Jackson  
Assemblymember Bill Leonard  
Assemblymember Anthony Pescetti

Sincerely,

**ROBERT M. HERTZBERG**  
Speaker of the Assembly

January 23, 2001

*E. Dotson Wilson*  
*Chief Clerk of the Assembly*  
*State Capitol, Room 3196*  
*Sacramento, California*

Dear Dotson: This is to advise you that I have created the Subcommittee on Electrical Energy Oversight of the Committee on Energy Costs and Availability for the First Extraordinary Session of 2001–02. I have appointed the following members to the subcommittee:

Assemblymember Darrell Steinberg, Chair  
Assemblymember John Campbell  
Assemblymember Jenny Oropeza  
Assemblymember Keith Richman  
Assemblymember Juan Vargas

Sincerely,

**ROBERT M. HERTZBERG**  
Speaker of the Assembly

**Further Explanation of Absence—January 19–21, 2001**

January 19, 2001

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

Dear Mr. Speaker: I respectfully request to be excused from any Session Friday, Saturday and Sunday, January 19, 20 and 21. I will be attending the Inauguration, therefore it's personal business and I will be waiving per-diem.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please call Diana Knoles in my office at 319-2071.

Sincerely,

**BILL CAMPBELL**  
 Assembly Republican Leader

**Further Explanation of Absence—January 19–21, 2001**

January 23, 2001

*The Honorable Robert M. Hertzberg*  
*Speaker of the Assembly*  
*California State Assembly*  
*State Capitol Room 219*  
*Sacramento, California*

Dear Mr. Speaker: I respectfully request that I be allowed to waive my per diem from Friday, January 19, 2001 through Sunday, January 21, 2001. I was on personal business.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request. If you should have any questions, please contact my office at 319-2075.

Sincerely,

**CHARLENE ZETTEL**, Assembly Member  
 Seventy-fifth District

**INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF  
 ASSEMBLY BILLS**

The following bills were introduced and read the first time:

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 13—Firebaugh (Principal coauthor: Reyes) (Principal Senate coauthor: Alarcon) (Coauthors: Cedillo, Chavez, Diaz, Horton, Negrete McLeod, and Oropeza) (Coauthors: Senators Escutia and Soto).** An act to amend Sections 382, 739.1, and 2790 of, and to add Section 382.1 to, the Public Utilities Code, relating to public utilities.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 14—Havice.** An act to add Section 743.7 to the Public Utilities Code, relating to public utilities, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 8:30 a.m., Thursday, January 25, 2001 or upon Call of the Speaker.

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ROBERT M. HERTZBERG, Speaker

PAM CAVILEER, Minute Clerk