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Thursday, January 25, 2001

THIRTEENTH SESSION DAY

TWENTY-THIRD CALENDAR DAY

AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA



PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento Thursday, January 25, 2001

The Assembly met at 9:06 a.m. Hon. Christine Kehoe, 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 —79:

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

PRAYER

Upon invitation of Assistant Speaker pro Tempore Kehoe, the following prayer was offered by Assembly Chaplain Rabbi Mona Alfi:

William James, a pioneer of American psychology and a respected philosopher, taught that "The great use of a life is to spend it for something that outlasts it."

Each day we are given the opportunity to affect the world around us, to truly spend our lives in a way where we can create a legacy of meaning. This is the ultimate inheritance we will leave to future generations. While it might lack the tangibility of property or possession left in a will, it gives us a chance to allow our short time here to be felt throughout eternity.

May the Holy One view our work with favor and grant us the blessing of living a life rich in meaning and filled with purpose. May this be God's will.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Upon request of Assistant Speaker pro Tempore Kehoe, Assembly Member Pescetti 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 Wayne, seconded by Assembly Member Leonard.

COMMUNICATIONS

The following communication was presented by the Chief Clerk, and ordered printed in the Journal:

January 10, 2001

E. Dotson Wilson

Chief Clerk of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 3196 Sacramento, California

Dear Mr. Wilson: Please be advised that on January 9, 2001, the Committee on Rules approved the following items:

- 1. 2001 Holiday Schedule (8–0);
- Appointment of Jon Waldie as C.A.O. (8–0).

Very truly yours,

DENNIS CARDOZA Chairman, Joint Rules Committee

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Assembly Member Wright announced that the Committee on Energy Costs and Availability would meet today at 2 p.m., in Room 4202.

Assembly Member Migden announced that the Members of the Committee on Appropriations were to be available to meet on January 26, 2001 and January 27, 2001 upon Call of the Chair.

RECESS

By unanimous consent, at 9:07 a.m., Assistant Speaker pro Tempore Kehoe declared the Assembly recessed.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

The following bills were introduced and read the first time:

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 16—Oropeza and Diaz. An act to add Section 363.5 to the Public Utilities Code, relating to public utilities.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 17—Leonard. An act to add Section 743.5 to the Public Utilities Code, relating to public utilities, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 18—Hertzberg. An act to amend Section 11005.1 of the Government Code, to add Sections 368.2, 368.3, and 368.4 to the Public Utilities Code, and to add and repeal Division 27 (commencing with Section 80000) to the Water Code, relating to public utilities, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 19—Briggs. An act to add and repeal Section 6357.1 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation, to take effect immediately, tax levy.

REFERENCE OF BILLS TO COMMITTEE

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following bill was referred to committee:

Assembly	
Bill No.	Committee
18	E.C. & A.

ADJOURNMENT

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 11 a.m., Monday, January 29, 2001, or upon Call of the Speaker.

ROBERT M. HERTZBERG, Speaker

PAM CAVILEER, Minute Clerk