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ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

Wednesday, January 31, 2007
NINETEENTH SESSION DAY
FIFTY-NINTH CALENDAR DAY
AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA



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
Wednesday, January 31, 2007

The Assembly met at 7 a.m.

Hon. Michael Villines, Assembly Member, 29th District, presiding.

Chief Clerk E. Dotson Wilson at the Desk.

Assistant Clerk Elizabeth Potter reading.

ROLL CALL

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

Adams	DeVore	Karnette	Richardson
Aghazarian	Duvall	Keene	Runner
Anderson	Dymally	Krekorian	Ruskin
Arambula	Emmerson	La Malfa	Salas
Bass	Eng	Laird	Saldaña
Beall	Evans	Leno	Silva
Benoit	Feuer	Levine	Smyth
Berg	Fuller	Lieber	Solorio
Berryhill	Gaines	Lieu	Spitzer
Blakeslee	Galgiani	Ma	Strickland
Brownley	Garcia	Maze	Swanson
Caballero	Hancock	Mendoza	Torrico
Calderon	Hayashi	Mullin	Tran
Carter	Hernandez	Nakanishi	Villines
Cook	Horton	Nava	Walters
Coto	Houston	Niello	Wolk
Davis	Huff	Parra	Mr. Speaker
De La Torre	Huffman	Plescia	
De León	Jeffries	Portantino	
DeSaulnier	Jones	Price	

Quorum present.

At 1:26 p.m., Hon. Patty Berg, 1st 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 Members Alarcón and Garrick.

Because of illness: Assembly Member Soto.

EXPLANATIONS OF ABSENCE

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following explanation of absence was ordered printed in the Journal:

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*The Honorable Fabian Núñez
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California*

Dear Mr. Speaker: I am respectfully requesting permission to travel with members of the Assembly Republican Caucus on a Silicon Valley Tech Tour on January 31, 2007.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Sincerely,

MARTIN GARRICK, Assembly Member
Seventy-fourth District

(NOTE: For letter explaining the absence of Assembly Member Alarcón on this day on legislative business pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see Assembly Daily Journal for January 30, 2007.)

REPORTS

The following reports were presented by the Chief Clerk:

**Report on the Renewables Portfolio Standard
(Pursuant to Supplemental Report to the 2006 Budget Act
Item 8660-001-0462)**

Above transmitted report, together with letter of transmittal from Steve Larson, Executive Director, Public Utilities Commission, dated January 18, 2007, referred by the Speaker to the Committee on Utilities and Commerce.

**2007 Office of Administrative Law Determination No. 1 Report
(Pursuant to Government Code Section 11340.5)**

Above transmitted report, together with letter of transmittal from William L. Gausewitz, Director, Office of Administrative Law, dated January 19, 2007, referred by the Speaker to the Committee on Judiciary.

**Regional Blueprint Planning Program Report
(Pursuant to Budget Act 2005)**

Above transmitted report, together with letter of transmittal from Ted Link-Oberstar, Acting Division Chief, Legislative and Local Government Affairs, Department of Transportation, dated January 19, 2007, referred by the Speaker to the Committee on Transportation.

**A Report on Tax Agency Information and Data Exchange
(Pursuant to Supplemental Report of the 2005 Budget Act)**

Above transmitted report, together with letter of transmittal from Elizabeth G. Hill, Legislative Analyst, Legislative Analyst's Office, dated January 23, 2007, referred by the Speaker to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

**Annual DNA Identification Fund Report
(Pursuant to Government Code Section 76104.6) from:**

Yuba County, Dean E. Sellers, Auditor-Controller, dated January 16, 2007.

Referred by the Speaker to the Committee on Public Safety.

**INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF
ASSEMBLY BILLS**

The following bills were introduced and read the first time:

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 236—Lieu. An act to amend Sections 25722.5, 25725, and 25726 of the Public Resources Code, relating to public resources.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 237—Strickland (Principal coauthor: Senator Scott). An act to amend Section 16531.1 of the Government Code, relating to human services, and making an appropriation therefor.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 238—Beall. An act to add Section 12304.7 to the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to public social services.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 239—DeSaulnier (Principal coauthor: Senator Torlakson). An act to add Section 27361.10 to the Government Code, relating to recording fees.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 240—Eng. An act to add Section 10290.4 to the Public Contract Code, relating to public contracts.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 241—Price. An act to amend Section 7316 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to barbering and cosmetology.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution was offered:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 6—Strickland (Coauthors: Adams, Aghazarian, Benoit, Berryhill, Blakeslee, Cook, DeVore, Duvall, Emmerson, Fuller, Gaines, Garrick, Huff, Jeffries, Keene, La Malfa, Maze, Nakanishi, Plescia, Sharon Runner, Silva, Smyth, Spitzer, Tran, Villines, and Walters). Relative to Ronald Reagan Day.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

By unanimous consent, the following committees were permitted to meet:

Housing and Community Development, on Tuesday, February 13, 2007, at 1:30 p.m., in Room 4203;

Judiciary, on Tuesday, February 13, 2007, at 2 p.m., in Room 447.

ADJOURNMENT

At 4 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 9:30 a.m., Thursday, February 1, 2007.

FABIAN NUÑEZ, Speaker

SUE PARKER, Minute Clerk