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# ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

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**Friday, February 7, 2003**  
**FOURTEENTH SESSION DAY**  
**SIXTY-FIRST CALENDAR DAY**  
**AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA**



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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  
Friday, February 7, 2003

The Assembly met at 8:55 a.m.

Hon. Christine Kehoe, Speaker pro Tempore of the Assembly,  
presiding.

Chief Clerk E. Dotson Wilson at the Desk.

Assistant Clerk Francesca Vega reading.

#### ROLL CALL

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names—60:

Aghazarian	Diaz	Leslie	Nation
Bates	Dutra	Levine	Parra
Benoit	Dutton	Lieber	Plescia
Berg	Dymally	Longville	Reyes
Bogh	Garcia	Lowenthal	Ridley-Thomas
Canciamilla	Hancock	Maddox	Runner
Chan	Harman	Maldonado	Salinas
Chavez	Haynes	Matthews	Simitian
Chu	Jackson	Maze	Spitzer
Cogdill	Keene	McCarthy	Steinberg
Cohn	Kehoe	Montanez	Strickland
Corbett	Koretz	Mountjoy	Vargas
Correa	La Malfa	Mullin	Wiggins
Cox	Laird	Nakanishi	Wolk
Daucher	Leno	Nakano	Mr. Speaker

Quorum present.

**PRAYER**

Upon invitation of Speaker pro Tempore Kehoe, the following prayer was offered by Assembly Member John Dutra, of the 20th Assembly District:

*Heavenly Father, Your gift is love, and in all our deliberations we would be aware that peace and happiness come not from what we have, but what we share. Help us in our laws to share the grace and blessings of Your Spirit with one another.—AMEN.*

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**

Upon request of Speaker pro Tempore Kehoe, Assembly Member Dymally 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 Chan, seconded by Assembly Member Cogdill.

**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 Bermudez, Calderon, Campbell, Firebaugh, Frommer, Goldberg, Jerome E. Horton, Houston, La Suer, Liu, Negrete McLeod, Nunez, Oropeza, Pacheco, Pavley, Richman, Samuelian, and Yee.*

*On personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Members Shirley Horton and Wyland.*

(NOTE: For explanations of absences of Assembly Members Bermudez, Calderon, Campbell, Firebaugh, Frommer, Goldberg, Jerome E. Horton, Houston, Liu, Negrete McLeod, Nunez, Oropeza, Pacheco, Pavley, Richman, Samuelian, and Yee on this day, on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see the Assembly Daily Journal for the Regular Session for this day; for explanation of absence of Assembly Member La Suer on this day, on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see the Assembly Daily Journal for February 6, 2003.)

**COMMUNICATIONS**

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

February 7, 2003

*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 Assembly Education Committee for the 2003–04 First Extraordinary Session, consistent with the Regular Session membership.

Sincerely,

HERB J. WESSON, JR.  
Speaker of the California Assembly

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**  
**Committee on Rules**

Date of Hearing: February 7, 2003

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1

With the recommendation: That the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Education.  
NATION, Chairman

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Education.

**BILL RETURNED TO SENATE**

Assembly Member Chan was granted unanimous consent that Senate Bill No. 10 be returned to the Senate for further action.

**RECESS**

By unanimous consent, at 8:56 a.m., Speaker pro Tempore Kehoe declared the Assembly recessed.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned to reconvene upon Call of the Speaker.

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HERB J. WESSON, JR., Speaker

PAM CAVILEER, Minute Clerk

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