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ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

Thursday, February 12, 2026

ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-SECOND SESSION DAY

FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY-EIGHTH 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.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento
Thursday, February 12, 2026

The Assembly met at 7 a.m.

Hon. Tri Ta, Assembly Member, 70th District, presiding.

Chief Clerk Sue Parker at the Desk.

Reading Clerk David A. Bowman reading.

ROLLCALL

The following were placed upon the morning rollcall—57:

Addis	Fong	Macedo	Schultz
Ahrens	Gallagher	McKinnor	Sharp-Collins
Alanis	Garcia	Muratsuchi	Solache
Alvarez	Gonzalez, J.	Nguyen	Soria
Bennett	Hadwick	Pacheco	Stefani
Berman	Haney	Patel	Ta
Bryan	Harabedian	Patterson	Tangipa
Calderon	Hart	Pellerin	Wallis
Castillo	Hoover	Petrie-Norris	Ward
Connolly	Irwin	Quirk-Silva	Wilson
DeMaio	Johnson	Ransom	Zbur
Dixon	Kalra	Rodriguez, M.	Mr. Speaker
Elhawary	Krell	Rogers	
Ellis	Lackey	Rubio	
Flora	Lee	Schiavo	

Quorum present.

At 12:12 p.m., Hon. David A. Alvarez, 80th 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 Aguiar-Curry, Ávila Farías, Bauer-Kahan, Boerner, Caloza, Gabriel, Mark González, Jackson, Lowenthal, Ortega, Papan, Sanchez, and Valencia.

On personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Members Carrillo, Ramos, and Wicks.

Because of illness: Assembly Members Arambula, Bains, and Davies.

Because of illness in their families: Assembly Members Bonta and Chen.

On maternity leave: Assembly Member Celeste Rodriguez.

EXPLANATIONS OF ABSENCE

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following explanations of absence were ordered printed in the Journal:

February 9, 2026

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

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request to be excused from Check-in Session on Thursday, February 12th for legislative business. The Legislative Women's Caucus will be holding their policy summit in my district and I will not be coming in to the Capitol that day.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

CECILIA M. AGUIAR-CURRY, Assembly Member
Fourth District

February 12, 2026

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

Dear Speaker Rivas: I hereby respectfully request permission to miss Session Check-in on Thursday, February 12th due to legislative purposes. I will be traveling to UC Berkeley for a meeting with Chancellor Rich Lyons to discuss Public Higher Education in California.

I thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

ANAMARIE ÁVILA FARÍAS, Assembly Member
Fifteenth District

February 12, 2026

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

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session for February 12, 2026 due to legislative business. I will be attending the Legislative Women's Caucus Policy Retreat.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

REBECCA BAUER-KAHAN, Assembly Member
Sixteenth District

January 22, 2026

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

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on Thursday, February 12, 2026, and from the Floor Session on Friday, February 13, 2026, due to legislative business. I will be meeting with local electeds in Louisiana and with the Commission on Asia and Pacific Islander American Affairs Chair Jason Paguio.

Thank you for your assistance,

Sincerely,

JESSICA M. CALOZA, Assembly Member
Fifty-second District

February 6, 2026

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

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on Thursday, February 12th to attend meetings and events in my district.

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

MARK GONZÁLEZ, Assembly Member
Fifty-fourth District

February 2, 2026

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

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request to be excused from Check-in Session on Thursday, February 12 on legislative business.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

COREY A. JACKSON, Assembly Member
Sixtieth District

January 29, 2026

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

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request to be excused from Check-in on Thursday, February 12, 2026 due to tours and meetings in my district.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

JOSH LOWENTHAL, Assembly Member
Sixty-ninth District

February 10, 2026

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

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on February 12 for legislative purposes.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

LIZ ORTEGA, Assembly Member
Twentieth District

February 11, 2026

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

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on Thursday, February 12th due to legislative business. I will be having meetings in my district office.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

AVELINO VALENCIA, Assembly Member
Sixty-eighth District

(NOTE: For letter explaining the absence of Assembly Member Boerner on this day on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see Assembly Journal for February 9, 2026.)

(NOTE: For letters explaining the absences of Assembly Members Gabriel, Papan, and Sanchez on this day on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see Assembly Journal for February 11, 2026.)

COMMUNICATIONS

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

February 12, 2026

Sue Parker

*Chief Clerk of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 319
Sacramento, California*

RE: Appointment of Kathleen Storm to the Wildfire Technology Research and Development Review Advisory Board

Dear Ms. Parker: Please be advised that I have appointed Ms. Kathleen Storm to the Wildfire Technology Research and Development Review Advisory Board for a term appointment effective February 12, 2026 and the expiration date is February 12, 2030.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact my office.

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS
Speaker of the Assembly

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, February 12, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined: Assembly Bill No. 1562

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above bill re-referred to committee.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

The following bills were introduced and read the first time:

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1869—Haney. An act to amend Section 24872.4 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1870—Flora. An act to amend Section 50067 of the Public Utilities Code, relating to transportation.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1871—Fong (Coauthors: Jeff Gonzalez and Hadwick). An act to amend Section 76004 of the Education Code, relating to pupil instruction.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1872—Ta. An act to amend Sections 148.3 and 653x of the Penal Code, relating to crimes.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1873—Bennett. An act to amend Section 7080 of the Water Code, relating to water.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1874—Wilson. An act to add Section 13107 to the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1875—Hart. An act to amend Section 511 of the Family Code, relating to marriage.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1876—Addis. An act to add Section 1367.0435 to the Health and Safety Code, and to add Section 10133.135 to the Insurance Code, relating to health care coverage.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1877—Stefani. An act to amend Sections 166 and 273.6 of the Penal Code, relating to domestic violence.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1878—Patel. An act to amend and repeal Section 8310.9 of the Government Code, relating to state government.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1879—Dixon. An act to add Chapter 7.45 (commencing with Section 11833.08) to Part 2 of Division 10.5 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to substance use programs.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1880—Caloza. An act relating to emergency services.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1881—Ramos. An act to amend Section 7930.205 of the Government Code, and to add Chapter 1.79 (commencing with Section 5097.1000) to Division 5 of the Public Resources Code, relating to California Indians.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1882—Ellis. An act to amend Section 11834.23 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to alcohol and other drug treatment facilities.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1883—Bryan. An act to add Part 5.8 (commencing with Section 1580) to Division 2 of the Labor Code, relating to employment.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1884—Hadwick. An act relating to interscholastic athletics.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1885—Carrillo. An act to amend Section 6106.5 of the Public Contract Code, relating to public contracts.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1886—Elhawary. An act relating to juveniles.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1887—Zbur (Principal coauthors: Caloza, Dixon, Jeff Gonzalez, Lee, Ransom, and Ward) (Principal coauthor: Senator Becker). An act to add Section 1342.76 to the Health and Safety Code, and to add Section 10123.1936 to the Insurance Code, relating to health care coverage.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1888—Ortega and Calderon. An act to add Section 2033.1 to the Insurance Code, relating to insurance.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1889—Ramos. An act to amend Section 136.2 of the Penal Code, relating to protective orders.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1890—Aguir-Curry (Principal coauthor: Senator Cabaldon). An act to amend Section 50711.5 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to housing.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1891—Connolly (Coauthor: Rogers). An act to add Chapter 6.5 (commencing with Section 4450) to Part 2 of Division 4 of the Public Resources Code, relating to forestry.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1892—Davies. An act to amend Sections 4775, 5103, and 5105 of the Civil Code, relating to common interest developments.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1893—Gallagher and Schultz (Coauthor: Senator Seyarto). An act to amend Section 4124.5 of the Public Resources Code, relating to wildfire prevention.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1894—Blanca Rubio. An act to amend Section 2300 of the Fish and Game Code, relating to fish and wildlife.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1895—Hadwick. An act to amend Section 54221 of the Government Code, relating to local government.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1896—Mark González and Rivas (Principal coauthor: Carrillo) (Principal coauthor: Senator Durazo). An act to amend Sections 1029, 1031, and 18935 of, and to add Section 1025 to, the Government Code, relating to public employment.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1897—Haney. An act to amend Sections 2962, 2966, 2970, and 2972 of the Penal Code, relating to mentally disordered offenders.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1898—Schultz. An act to add Part 5.9 (commencing with Section 1600) to Division 2 of the Labor Code, relating to employment.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1899—Caloza. An act relating to homelessness.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1900—Kalra, Bryan, Lee, Ortega, and Rogers (Principal coauthors: Connolly, Elhawary, and Schultz) (Principal coauthors: Senators Gonzalez and McGuire) (Coauthors: Garcia, Haney, Harabedian, Jackson, McKinnor, and Celeste Rodriguez) (Coauthors: Senators Becker, Cortese, Laird, and Pérez). An act to add Title 23 (commencing with Section 100600) to the Government Code, relating to health care coverage, and making an appropriation therefor.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1901—Berman. An act relating to consumer protection.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1902—Pellerin. An act to amend Section 876 of, and to add Section 876.5 to, the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to juveniles.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1903—Wicks. An act to amend Section 900 of the Civil Code, relating to construction defects.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1904—Gipson. An act to add Article 10.5 (commencing with Section 44375) to Chapter 2 of Part 25 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the Education Code, and to add Sections 3075.4 and 3075.45 to the Labor Code, relating to teachers.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1905—Schultz (Principal coauthor: Bonta). An act to add Section 625.8 to the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to juveniles.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1906—Aguiar-Curry. An act to amend Section 1367.66 of the Health and Safety Code, to amend Section 10123.18 of the Insurance Code, and to amend Section 14132.17 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to health care coverage.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1907—Addis (Coauthor: Bonta) (Coauthor: Senator Durazo). An act to amend, repeal, and add Section 100503.4 of the Government Code, relating to the California Health Benefit Exchange.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1908—McKinnor. An act to amend Section 340 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil actions.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1909—Davies. An act to amend Section 24.5 of the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1910—Boerner. An act to add Section 123577 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to maternal health.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1911—Rogers. An act to add Section 17580.7 to the Business and Professions Code, relating to advertising.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1912—Hadwick (Principal coauthor: Senator Dahle). An act to amend Section 4370 of the Fish and Game Code, relating to hunting.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1913—Soria. An act to amend Section 12804.11 of the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1914—Schiavo. An act to add Section 65302.03 to the Government Code, relating to land use.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1915—Gabriel. An act relating to restaurants.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1916—Lee. An act to amend Section 71801 of the Government Code, relating to courts.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1917—Schultz. An act to amend Sections 739, 871.5, and 1009 of the Penal Code, relating to criminal procedure.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1918—Dixon. An act to add Section 8588.13 to the Government Code, and to amend Section 119306 of, and to add Section 119306.1 to, the Health and Safety Code, relating to human trafficking.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1919—Pellerin and Addis (Coauthor: Senator Laird). An act to add Sections 98290.1 and 98290.2 to the Public Utilities Code, relating to transportation, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1920—Mark González and Ahrens. An act to amend Section 76396.3 of the Education Code, relating to community colleges.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1921—Ward. An act to amend Section 7582.9 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to professions and vocations.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1922—Lowenthal. An act to amend Section 6030 of, and to add Section 2652.6 to, the Penal Code, and to amend Section 210.6 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to incarcerated persons.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1923—Soria (Principal coauthors: Gipson and Ransom) (Coauthors: Bonta, Mark González, Haney, and Rogers). An act to amend Sections 129380, 129383, 129384, 129385, and 129387 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to hospitals, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1924—Gabriel. An act relating to housing.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1925—Jeff Gonzalez. An act to amend Section 4501 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to developmental services.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1926—Pacheco. An act to amend Section 127673 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to public health.

The following resolutions were offered:

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 134—Bryan, Bonta, Elhawary, Gipson, Jackson, McKinnor, Ransom, Sharp-Collins, and Wilson. Relative to Black History Month.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 135—Patel. Relative to School Breakfast Week.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 85—Nguyen. Relative to Angelman Syndrome Awareness Day.

ADJOURNMENT

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 9 a.m., Friday, February 13, 2026.

ROBERT RIVAS, Speaker

DANIEL ALVAREZ, Assistant Minute Clerk

