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# ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

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**Tuesday, February 17, 2026**

**ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FOURTH SESSION DAY  
FOUR HUNDRED FORTY-THIRD CALENDAR DAY  
AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA**



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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.

## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

### IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento  
Tuesday, February 17, 2026

The Assembly met at 1 p.m.  
Hon. Josh Lowenthal, Speaker pro Tempore of the Assembly,  
presiding.  
Chief Clerk Sue Parker at the Desk.  
Reading Clerk David A. Bowman reading.

#### ROLLCALL

The roll was called.

#### Quorum Call of the Assembly

Assembly Member Wallis moved a quorum call of the Assembly.  
Motion carried. Time, 1:05 p.m.  
The Speaker pro Tempore directed the Sergeant at Arms to close the  
doors and to bring in the absent Members.

#### Quorum Present

At 1:27 p.m., Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal declared a quorum of  
the Assembly present.

The rollcall was completed, and the following answered to their  
names—69:

Aguiar-Curry	Ellis	Lackey	Schiavo
Ahrens	Flora	Lowenthal	Schultz
Alanis	Fong	Macedo	Sharp-Collins
Alvarez	Gabriel	McKinnor	Solache
Arambula	Gallagher	Nguyen	Soria
Ávila Farías	Garcia	Ortega	Stefani
Bauer-Kahan	Gipson	Pacheco	Ta
Bennett	Gonzalez, J.	Papan	Tangipa
Berman	González, M.	Patel	Valencia
Boerner	Hadwick	Patterson	Wallis
Bonta	Harabedian	Pellerin	Ward
Calderon	Hart	Petrie-Norris	Wicks
Caloza	Hoover	Quirk-Silva	Wilson
Carrillo	Irwin	Ramos	Zbur
Castillo	Jackson	Ransom	Mr. Speaker
Connolly	Johnson	Rodriguez, M.	
DeMaio	Kalra	Rogers	
Elhawary	Krell	Rubio	

**PRAYER**

Upon invitation of Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal, the following prayer was offered by Assembly Member Lori D. Wilson, of the 11th Assembly District:

*Gracious God, We thank You for Your many blessings and for the countless ways You show Yourself strong in our lives and in the lives of those we are called to serve.*

We acknowledge that You alone are the keeper of this great state. You, who watch over every community and creed, are the shade at our right hand; You preserve us from all evil and guard our very souls.

We ask for Your grace over our session today. Let Your peace dwell in our hearts and guide us in all our coming and going. May our decisions be shaped by Your wisdom, and may Your grace and mercy be poured upon us abundantly.

We trust You for a future marked by faithfulness and hope—from this time forth and forevermore.

Continue to grant us favor in Your sight and let us remain a beacon not only to this nation, but to the world.

In Your strength and under Your guidance—AMEN.

**MOMENT OF SILENCE**

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal led the Assembly in observing a moment of silence to honor the memory of Reverend Jesse Jackson.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**

Upon request of Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal, Assembly Member Arambula 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 Aguiar-Curry, seconded by Assembly Member Alanis.

**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 Haney and Lee.*

*On personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Member Davies.*

*Because of illness: Assembly Members Addis, Bryan, Muratsuchi, and Sanchez.*

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

*Because of a travel delay: Assembly Member Bains.*

*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:

January 30, 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 Floor Session on Tuesday, February 17, 2026 due to legislative business in my district.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

MATT HANEY, Assembly Member  
Seventeenth District

January 27, 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 Floor Session on February 17, 2026 due to legislative business.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

ALEX LEE, Assembly Member  
Twenty-fourth District

**COMMUNICATIONS**

The following communications were presented by the Chief Clerk and ordered printed in the Journal:

February 17, 2026

*Sue Parker*

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

Dear Ms. Parker: Please be advised that I have made the following temporary appointments to Budget Subcommittee No. 7 on Accountability and Oversight, chaired by Assembly Member Gregg Hart, for the Wednesday, February 18 hearing regarding the Homeless Housing and Prevention Program Funding Accountability:

Assemblymember Jessica Caloza  
Assemblymember Juan Carrillo  
Assemblymember Diane Dixon  
Assemblymember Blanca Pacheco  
Assemblymember Sharon Quirk-Silva  
Assemblymember Pilar Schiavo  
Assemblymember Nick Schultz  
Assemblymember Jesse Gabriel, Democratic Alternate  
Assemblymember David Tangipa, Republican Alternate

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS  
Speaker of the Assembly

February 17, 2026

*Sue Parker*

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

RE: Reappointment of Qiana Conley Akinro to  
the Baldwin Hills Conservancy Governing Board

Dear Ms. Parker: Please be advised that I have reappointed Ms. Qiana Conley Akinro to the Baldwin Hills Conservancy Governing Board for a term reappointment effective February 17, 2026 and the expiration date is February 25, 2027.

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

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS  
Speaker of the Assembly

**SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

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

Business and Professions, to convene jointly with the Senate Committee on Business, Professions and Economic Development, on Tuesday, March 10, 2026, at 9 a.m., at 1021 O Street, Room 1100;

Business and Professions, to convene jointly with the Senate Committee on Business, Professions and Economic Development, on Tuesday, March 24, 2026, at 9 a.m., at 1021 O Street, Room 1100;

Business and Professions, to convene jointly with the Assembly Committee on Higher Education; the Senate Committee on Business, Professions and Economic Development; and the Senate Committee on Education on Tuesday, March 17, 2026, at 9 a.m., at 1021 O Street, Room 1100.

**REFERRAL OF BILLS TO COMMITTEE**

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following bills were referred to committee:

*Assembly*

<i>Bill No.</i>	<i>Committee</i>
1540	HEALTH and C. & C.
1544	PUB. S. and JUD.
1572	A., E., S., & T. and ED.
1591	HEALTH and HIGHER ED.
1598	B. & P.
1608	TRANS. and JUD.
1630	P.E. & R.
1636	HIGHER ED. and ED.
1643	JUD. and HUM. S.
1648	HEALTH
1651	JUD. and P. & C.P.
1652	JUD.
1653	ED.
1655	HUM. S. and JUD.
1656	PUB. S.
1657	JUD.
1658	L. GOV.
1660	JUD.
1661	NAT. RES.
1662	PUB. S. and TRANS.
1665	A., E., S., & T. and ED.
1667	PUB. S.
1668	REV. & TAX.
1671	HEALTH
1672	HEALTH
1681	PUB. S.
1682	HEALTH
1683	INS.
1685	PUB. S. and TRANS.
1686	PUB. S.
1688	HUM. S. and PUB. S.
1690	REV. & TAX.
1691	E.S. & T.M.
1694	ED.

**1698** -----REV. & TAX.

*Assembly Concurrent*

<i>Resolution No.</i>	<i>Committee</i>
<b>130</b> -----	RLS.
<b>131</b> -----	TRANS.
<b>132</b> -----	RLS.
<b>133</b> -----	RLS.
<b>134</b> -----	RLS.
<b>135</b> -----	RLS.
<b>136</b> -----	RLS.
<b>137</b> -----	TRANS.
<b>138</b> -----	RLS.
<b>139</b> -----	RLS.

*House*

<i>Resolution No.</i>	<i>Committee</i>
<b>82</b> -----	RLS.
<b>83</b> -----	RLS.
<b>85</b> -----	RLS.

**ASSEMBLY RULE 118(a) SUSPENDED—PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR**

Assembly Members Bonta and Rogers were granted unanimous consent that Assembly Rule 118(a) be suspended granting the privileges of the Floor and permitting guests in the Chamber and on the Floor.

**ASSEMBLY RULE 118(a) SUSPENDED—PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR**

Assembly Members Patel and Patterson were granted unanimous consent that Assembly Rule 118(a) be suspended granting the privileges of the Floor and permitting guests to sit at their desks.

**REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT TO WITHDRAW BILLS FROM COMMITTEE AND PLACE ON FILE PURSUANT TO ASSEMBLY RULE 96**

Pursuant to Assembly Rule 96, Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry requested unanimous consent that Senate Bills Nos. 107 and 117 be withdrawn from the Committee on Budget, and be placed on the third reading file.

Assembly Member Alanis withheld unanimous consent.

**Motion to Withdraw Bills From Committee  
and Place on File Pursuant to Assembly Rule 96**

Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry moved that Senate Bills Nos. 107 and 117 be withdrawn from the Committee on Budget, and be placed on the third reading file.

Assembly Member Garcia seconded the motion.

Motion carried by the following vote:

**AYES—47**

Aguiar-Curry	Fong	Ortega	Schiavo
Ahrens	Gabriel	Pacheco	Schultz
Alvarez	Garcia	Papan	Sharp-Collins
Arambula	Gipson	Patel	Solache
Ávila Farías	González, M.	Pellerin	Stefani
Bauer-Kahan	Harabedian	Petrie-Norris	Valencia
Bennett	Hart	Quirk-Silva	Ward
Berman	Irwin	Ramos	Wicks
Boerner	Jackson	Ransom	Wilson
Calderon	Krell	Rodriguez, M.	Zbur
Caloza	Lowenthal	Rogers	Mr. Speaker
Elhawary	Nguyen	Rubio	

**NOES—13**

Alanis	Flora	Hoover	Wallis
Castillo	Gallagher	Patterson	
DeMaio	Gonzalez, J.	Ta	
Ellis	Hadwick	Tangipa	

**UNANIMOUS CONSENT GRANTED TO SUSPEND THE RULES**

Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry was granted unanimous consent that the Rules be suspended for the purpose of ordering Assembly Joint Resolution No. 27 to the second reading file.

**INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS**

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal, of the 69th Assembly District, introduced former Assembly Member Bonnie Lowenthal.

Assembly Member Patel, of the 76th Assembly District, introduced her husband, Jagadish Nayak, and her daughter, Kaushika Nayak.

Assembly Member Patterson, of the 5th Assembly District, introduced his daughters, Andi and Blake.

**CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE  
THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS**

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 80 (Fong)**—Relative to the Lunar New Year.  
Resolution read.

**Members Made Coauthors of  
House Resolution No. 80**

Upon request of Assembly Member Fong, the following Members were permitted to be listed as additional coauthors of House Resolution No. 80.

**Additional Coauthors**

The following Assembly Members requested to be listed as additional coauthors:

Aguiar-Curry, Ahrens, Alanis, Alvarez, Arambula, Ávila Farías, Bauer-Kahan, Bennett, Berman, Boerner, Bonta, Calderon, Carrillo, Castillo, Connolly, DeMaio, Elhawary, Ellis, Flora, Gabriel, Gallagher, Garcia, Gipson, Jeff Gonzalez, Mark González, Hadwick, Hart, Hoover, Irwin, Jackson, Krell, Lackey, Lowenthal, Macedo, McKinnor, Ortega, Pacheco, Papan, Patterson, Pellerin, Petrie-Norris, Quirk-Silva, Ramos, Ransom, Rivas, Michelle Rodriguez, Rogers, Blanca Rubio, Schiavo, Schultz, Sharp-Collins, Solache, Soria, Stefani, Ta, Tangipa, Valencia, Wallis, Ward, Wicks, Wilson, and Zbur.

**Request for Unanimous Consent**

Assembly Member Fong was granted unanimous consent to take up House Resolution No. 80, as revised, without reference to print or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

**Consideration of House Resolution No. 80, as Revised**

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 80**—Relative to the Lunar New Year.  
Resolution read, as revised, and adopted.

**ADJOURN IN MEMORY**

Assembly Member Elhawary, on behalf of Assembly Member Bryan, was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Babatunde Akinloye of Los Angeles.

(Assembly Rule 45.5 suspended.)

**MOMENT OF SILENCE**

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal led the Assembly in observing a moment of silence to honor the memory of Babatunde Akinloye.

**ADJOURN IN MEMORY**

Assembly Member Rogers was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Harold Lee Tripp, Chairman of the Karuk Tribe, resident of Somes Bar.

(Assembly Rule 45.5 suspended.)

**MOMENT OF SILENCE**

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal led the Assembly in observing a moment of silence to honor the memory of Harold Lee Tripp.

### COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal announced that the following committees would meet today, upon adjournment of Floor Session:

Budget, in Room 437;

Joint Legislative Audit and Business and Professions, at 1021 O Street, Room 1100.

### VOTE ADDS

The following Assembly Members were granted unanimous consent to record their votes on the following item:

**Motion by Aguiar-Curry to Withdraw Bills:** Bauer-Kahan, Elhawary, Hart, Michelle Rodriguez, Schiavo, and Valencia—Aye.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal announced the following session schedule:

Wednesday, February 18, 2026, Check-in Session, 7 a.m.—3 p.m.;

Thursday, February 19, 2026, Floor Session, 9 a.m.

### CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE (RESUMED)

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

#### MOTIONS TO RECONSIDER BILLS CONTINUED

By unanimous consent, the motions to reconsider the votes on Senate Bill No. 295 and Assembly Bills Nos. 1231 and 596 were continued until Thursday, February 19, 2026.

### MOTION TO ADJOURN

At 2:01 p.m., Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry moved that the Assembly do now adjourn.

Assembly Member Lackey seconded the motion.

Motion carried.

### QUORUM CALL OF THE ASSEMBLY DISPENSED WITH

At 2:01 p.m., Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal declared the quorum call of the Assembly dispensed with.

### INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

The following bills were introduced and read the first time:

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1989—Tangipa (Coauthors: Dixon and Macedo)** (Coauthors: Senators Dahle and Seyarto). An act to amend Section 1522.1 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to care facilities.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1990—Gipson.** An act to amend Section 14004 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to business rights.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1991—Flora.** An act to amend Section 36513 of the Government Code, relating to local government.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1992—Dixon.** An act to amend Section 2699.3 of the Labor Code, relating to employment.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1993—DeMaio.** An act to add Section 3011.5 to the Elections Code, relating to elections.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1994—Alvarez (Coauthors: Bonta and Mark González).** An act to amend Section 679.027 of, and to add Section 679.028 to, the Penal Code, relating to victim rights.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1995—Patel.** An act to amend Section 18931.7 of, and to add Chapter 9 (commencing with Section 13270) to Part 2 of Division 12 of, the Health and Safety Code, relating to fire safety, and making an appropriation therefor.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1996—Bonta.** An act to add Article 1 (commencing with Section 20000) to Chapter 1 of Division 11 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to children.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1997—Lee.** An act to amend Sections 65589.5, 65589.9, and 65950 of, and to add Section 65943.3 to, the Government Code, and to add Section 50411 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to housing.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1998—Castillo.** An act to amend Section 51 of the Civil Code, relating to discrimination.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1999—Kalra.** An act to amend Section 8775 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to professions and vocations.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2000—Aguiar-Curry.** An act to amend Section 1367.22 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to prescription drugs.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2001—Stefani.** An act to amend Section 11105 of the Penal Code, relating to criminal procedure.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2002—Solache.** An act to add Chapter 3.16 (commencing with Section 50515.11) to Part 2 of Division 31 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to housing.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2003—Berman.** An act to amend Sections 216 of, and to add Section 216.5 to, the Education Code, relating to pupil health.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2004—Alanis (Coauthor: Ransom).** An act to amend Section 830.1 of the Penal Code, relating to peace officers.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2005—Ahrens.** An act to amend Section 66411.7 of the Government Code, relating to land use.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2006—Michelle Rodriguez.** An act to amend Section 11019.9 of the Government Code, relating to state government.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2007—Bauer-Kahan.** An act to add Chapter 2.10 (commencing with Section 18985) to Division 8 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to youth programs.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2008—Patel.** An act to add Section 10231.7 to the Government Code, relating to the Legislature.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2009—Chen and Solache (Coauthor: Ellis) (Coauthor: Senator Blakespear).** An act to amend Section 1246.7 of, and to add Section 1265.7 to, the Business and Professions Code, and to amend Sections 1603.2, 1605, and 1615 of, and to add Section 1606.7 to, the Health and Safety Code, relating to public health.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2010—Soria (Coauthor: Senator Wiener).** An act to amend Section 4854 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to healing arts.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2011—Hart (Principal coauthor: Senator Wiener).** An act to add Section 1374.77 to the Health and Safety Code, and to add Section 10144.43 to the Insurance Code, relating to health care coverage.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2012—Hoover.** An act to amend Section 35790.1 of the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2013—Bennett (Coauthors: Ahrens, Alvarez, Bauer-Kahan, Connolly, Harabedian, and Hart) (Coauthor: Senator Stern).** An act to add Part 2.25 (commencing with Section 10555) to Division 6 of the Water Code, relating to water resources.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2014—Elhawary.** An act to add Section 352.3 to the Evidence Code, and to amend Section 1473.5 of the Penal Code, relating to evidence.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2015—Wicks.** An act to amend Section 22349 of the Vehicle Code, relating to speed laws.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2016—Jeff Gonzalez.** An act to amend Sections 17132.9 and 17132.10 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation, to take effect immediately, tax levy.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2017—Haney (Principal coauthor: Senator Wahab).** An act to amend Section 135 of the Code of Civil Procedure, to amend Sections 37220.7, 45203, 48205, 79020, and 88203 of the Education Code, and to amend Sections 6700, 19853, and 19853.1 of the Government Code, relating to state holidays.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2018—Ramos.** An act to amend Sections 14250 and 14251 of the Penal Code, relating to missing persons.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2019—Gipson.** An act to add Section 87412 to the Education Code, relating to community colleges.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2020—Gabriel.** An act to add Section 50406.4.5 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to housing.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2021—Schiavo.** An act to amend Sections 1798.155, 1798.160, and 1798.199.55 of, and to add Sections 1798.141, 1798.199.101, 1798.199.102, 1798.199.103, 1798.199.104, and 1798.199.105 to, the Civil Code, relating to privacy.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2022—Jeff Gonzalez.** An act to add and repeal Section 205.5.1 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation, to take effect immediately, tax levy.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2023—Wicks and Bauer-Kahan (Principal coauthor: Senator Padilla).** An act relating to artificial intelligence.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2024—Nguyen.** An act to amend Section 5270 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to outdoor advertising.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2025—Pellerin.** An act to add Section 10175.4 to the Business and Professions Code, and to add Section 1940.11 to the Civil Code, and relating to tenancy.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2026—Aguiar-Curry.** An act relating to groundwater.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2027—Ward.** An act to amend Section 1102.5 of the Labor Code, relating to employment.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2028—Chen.** An act to amend Section 23016 of the Financial Code, relating to financial institutions.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2029—Sharp-Collins.** An act relating to healing arts.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2030—Lowenthal.** An act to add Section 110423.7 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to public health.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2031—Petrie-Norris.** An act to amend Section 851 of the Public Utilities Code, relating to public utilities.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2032—Ransom.** An act to amend Section 2151 of the Fish and Game Code, relating to fish and wildlife.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2033—Papan.** An act to add Article 4.1 (commencing with Section 20176) to Chapter 1 of Part 3 of Division 2 of the Public Contract Code, relating to public contracts.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2034—Addis (Coauthors: Connolly and Hart).** An act to amend Sections 109940, 110285, 110445 of, and to add Article 8.3 (commencing with Section 110961) and Article 8.4 (commencing with Section 110961.20) to Chapter 5 of Part 5 of Division 104 of, the Health and Safety Code, relating to food safety.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2035—Dixon.** An act to amend Section 4275 of the Civil Code, relating to common interest developments.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2036—Patel.** An act to amend Section 14132.100 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to Medi-Cal.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2037—Patterson.** An act to add Article 7 (commencing with 9180) to Chapter 2 of Division 8.5 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to older adults.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2038—Harabedian.** An act to amend Section 14085 of the Insurance Code, relating to insurance.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2039—Zbur.** An act to amend Section 1670.8.5 of the Civil Code, relating to contracts.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2040—Macedo.** An act to amend Section 707 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to juveniles.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2041—Carrillo.** An act to amend Section 63000 of the Government Code, relating to economic development.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2042—Kalra.** An act to amend Section 1788.61 of the Civil Code, and to amend Section 473.2 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to civil actions.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2043—Calderon (Coauthors: Bennett and Michelle Rodriguez) (Coauthors: Senators Archuleta and Stern).** An act to add Article 4.2 (commencing with Section 8577) to Chapter 7 of Division 1 of Title 2 of the Government Code, relating to state government, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2044—Petrie-Norris.** An act to amend Sections 18930 and 18940.5 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to building standards.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2045—Connolly.** An act to repeal Section 1657 of the Fish and Game Code, relating to fish and wildlife.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2046—Ransom (Principal coauthor: Soria) (Coauthors: Ahrens, Ávila Farías, Flora, Jeff Gonzalez, Mark González, Hadwick, Hoover, Irwin, Petrie-Norris, Michelle Rodriguez, Blanca Rubio, Wallis, and Wilson).** An act to amend Section 27156 of the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2047—Bauer-Kahan.** An act to add Title 21.1 (commencing with Section 3273.631) to Part 4 Division 3 of the Civil Code, and to add Section 29187 to the Penal Code, relating to firearms.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2048—Calderon and Haney (Coauthors: Connolly and Gallagher).** An act to add Chapter 3 (commencing with Section 99530) to Title 20 of the Government Code, relating to international relations.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2049—Alanis.** An act to add Section 7583.45.5 to the Business and Professions Code, relating to professions and vocations.

The following resolution was offered:

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 86—Ta (Coauthor: Alanis).** Relative to Canine “K-9” Appreciation Week.

**AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS**  
**Committee on Health**

February 17, 2026

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Health reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1540

With author's amendments with the recommendation: Amend, and re-refer to the committee.

BONTA, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1540**—An act to add Section 53123.7 to the Government Code, relating to mental health, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

Bill read second time.

Author's amendments, presented pursuant to Assembly Rules, read and adopted; bill ordered reprinted and to be re-referred to the committee.

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

Date of Hearing: February 17, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules reports:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 128

House Resolution No. 85

With the recommendation: Be adopted.

Pursuant to the provisions of Joint Rules Nos. 22.1, 22.2, and 22.3, the committee recommends that the above resolutions be placed on the Consent Calendar.

PACHECO, Chair

Above resolutions ordered to Consent Calendar.

Date of Hearing: February 17, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules reports:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 132

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 134

House Resolution No. 82

With the recommendation: Be adopted.

PACHECO, Chair

Above resolutions ordered to third reading.

**INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS**

Assembly Member Soria, of the 27th Assembly District, introduced members and representatives from Youth Leadership Institute, including Dr. Yamilette Rodriguez.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 3 p.m., pursuant to the motion by Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry, the Assembly adjourned until 7 a.m., Wednesday, February 18, 2026, out of respect to the memory of Babatunde Akinloye on motion of Assembly Member Elhawary, on behalf of Assembly Member Bryan; and out of respect to the memory of Harold Lee Tripp, Chairman of the Karuk tribe, on motion of Assembly Member Rogers.

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ROBERT RIVAS, Speaker

VERONICA BLEVINS, Assistant Minute Clerk

**AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE  
ASSEMBLY ON FEBRUARY 17, 2026**

The following measure was amended in the Assembly on this day:

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**Daily Total: 1**

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