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**Wednesday, February 21, 2001**  
**TWENTY-FIFTH SESSION DAY**  
**FIFTIETH CALENDAR DAY**  
**AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA**



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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

### IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento  
Wednesday, February 21, 2001

The Assembly met at 7 a.m.

Hon. Keith Richman, Assembly Member, 38th District, presiding.

Chief Clerk E. Dotson Wilson at the Desk.

Assistant Clerk Sue Parker reading.

#### ROLL CALL

The following were placed upon the morning roll call—71:

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| Aanestad       | Daucher   | Leslie          | Runner       |
| Alquist        | Diaz      | Liu             | Salinas      |
| Aroner         | Dickerson | Longville       | Shelley      |
| Ashburn        | Dutra     | Lowenthal       | Simitian     |
| Bates          | Firebaugh | Maddox          | Steinberg    |
| Briggs         | Florez    | Maldonado       | Strickland   |
| Campbell, Bill | Frommer   | Matthews        | Strom-Martin |
| Campbell, John | Goldberg  | Migden          | Thomson      |
| Canciamilla    | Harman    | Mountjoy        | Vargas       |
| Cardenas       | Havice    | Nakano          | Wayne        |
| Cardoza        | Horton    | Oropeza         | Wesson       |
| Chan           | Jackson   | Pacheco, 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         |              |

Quorum present.

**At 1:22 p.m., Hon. Howard Wayne, 78th 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 Calderon, Nation, Negrete McLeod, Romero, and Washington.*

*To attend a funeral in the district: Assembly Member Hollingsworth.*

*Because of illness: Assembly Member Cedillo.*

*Because of illness in his family: Assembly Member Keeley.*

(NOTE: For explanations of absences of Assembly Members Calderon, Nation, Negrete McLeod, Romero, and Washington on this day, on legislative business, pursuant to the Rules, see the Assembly Journal for the Regular Session for this day.)

**COMMUNICATIONS**

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

**Explanation of Absence—February 7, 2001**

February 21, 2001

*Hon. Robert Hertzberg, Speaker  
California State Assembly  
State Capitol, Room 219  
Sacramento, California*

Dear Mr. Speaker,

I write to you today to respectfully request a correction to the Assembly Journal for Wednesday, February 7, 2001, to reflect that I was excused from check-in session for legislative business. Thank you for your prompt attention. If you have any questions please contact me at 319.2064.

It is an honor to serve with you in the California State Assembly.

Very truly yours,

ROD PACHECO, Assembly Member  
Sixty-fourth District

**ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS**

Assembly Chamber, February 21, 2001

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:

Assembly Bill No. 29

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above bill re-referred to committee.

**SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

By unanimous consent, the following committee was permitted to meet:

Revenue and Taxation, on February 28, 2001.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES****Committee on Energy Costs and Availability**

Date of Hearing: February 20, 2001

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Energy Costs and Availability reports:

Assembly Bill No. 31

With the recommendation: Do pass, and be re-referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

WRIGHT, Chairman

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

**INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF  
ASSEMBLY BILLS**

The following bills were introduced and read the first time:

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 67—Negrete McLeod.** An act to add Section 12087.5 to the Government Code, relating to energy resources, and making an appropriation therefor.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 68—Firebaugh (Coauthors: Senators Escutia, Perata, and Torlakson).** An act to add Sections 25011 and 25523.5 to the Public Resources Code, relating to energy resources.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 69—La Suer.** An act to add Section 9616 to the Public Utilities Code, relating to public utilities, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 70—La Suer.** An act to add Section 363.7 to the Public Utilities Code, relating to public utilities, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 71—La Suer.** An act to add Section 63025.3 to the Government Code, relating to the infrastructure development, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 72—La Suer.** An act to add Section 6501.4 to the Public Resources Code, relating to energy facilities, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

#### ADJOURNMENT

At 3:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 8:30 a.m., Thursday, February 22, 2001.

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ROBERT M. HERTZBERG, Speaker

PAM CAVILEER, Minute Clerk

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