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2015–16 REGULAR SESSION

ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

Wednesday, February 24, 2016

**ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-EIGHTH SESSION DAY
FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY-FIRST 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.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento
Wednesday, February 24, 2016

The Assembly met at 7 a.m.

Hon. Brian Dahle, Assembly Member, 1st District, presiding.

Chief Clerk E. Dotson Wilson at the Desk.

Reading Clerk Kathleen M. Lewis reading.

ROLLCALL

The following were placed upon the morning rollcall—61:

Achadjian	Cooper	Irwin	Olsen
Allen	Dababneh	Jones	Patterson
Baker	Dahle	Jones-Sawyer	Quirk
Bigelow	Daly	Kim	Ridley-Thomas
Bloom	Dodd	Lackey	Steinorth
Bonilla	Frazier	Levine	Stone
Bonta	Gaines	Linder	Ting
Brough	Gallagher	Low	Wagner
Brown	Gatto	Maienschein	Waldron
Burke	Gipson	Mathis	Weber
Chang	Gordon	Mayes	Wilk
Chau	Gray	McCarty	Wood
Chávez	Grove	Mullin	Mme. Speaker
Chiu	Hadley	Nazarian	
Chu	Harper	Obernolte	
Cooley	Holden	O'Donnell	

Quorum present.

At 12:34 p.m., Hon. Mike A. Gipson, 64th 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 Alejo, Calderon, Campos, Cristina Garcia, Eduardo Garcia, Gomez, Gonzalez, Roger Hernández, Lopez, Medina, Rendon, Rodriguez, Salas, Santiago, Thurmond, and Williams.

On legislative business, per diem waived for the 2015–16 Session (Assembly Journal, page 63): Assembly Member Eggman.

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

EXPLANATIONS OF ABSENCE

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

January 19, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Atkins: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on legislative business on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, to attend the Latino Caucus Foundation policy conference in South Lake Tahoe. Thank you for your attention and consideration to this request. Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact my scheduler, Hilda Escobar in my office at (916) 319-2030.

Sincerely,

LUIS A. ALEJO, Assembly Member
Thirtieth District

February 11, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Atkins: I respectfully request to be excused from Check-in Session on legislative business on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, to attend the Latino Caucus Policy Conference in South Lake Tahoe. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

IAN C. CALDERON, Assembly Member
Fifty-seventh District

February 10, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: I respectfully request to be excused from Check-in Session on legislative business, Wednesday, February 24, 2016, to attend the Legislative Latino Caucus Policy Retreat. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

NORA CAMPOS, Assembly Member
Twenty-seventh District

February 9, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Atkins: I would like to request permission to be excused from Check-in Session, on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, due to legislative business. I will be attending the Latino Caucus Policy Conference. Thank you for your attention to this matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (916) 319-2013.

Sincerely,

SUSAN TALAMANTES EGGMAN, Assembly Member
Thirteenth District

February 22, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: I respectfully request permission to be absent from Check-in Session for legislative business on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, to attend the Latino Caucus Conference. If you have any questions, please contact Ashley Medina of my staff at (916) 319-2058.

Sincerely,

CRISTINA GARCIA, Assembly Member
Fifty-eighth District

February 16, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Atkins: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, due to legislative business related to the Latino Caucus Policy Conference. Thank you for your consideration of this request. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Vanessa Gonzalez in my office at (916) 319-2056.

Sincerely,

EDUARDO GARCIA, Assembly Member
Fifty-sixth District

February 18, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: This letter is to request your approval for an excused absence from Check-in Session for legislative business on February 24, 2016, due to the CA Legislative Latino Caucus Policy Conference. Thank you in advance for your kind consideration of this request. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact my assistant, Erin Dacumos-Khanna, at (916) 319-2051.

Sincerely,

JIMMY GOMEZ, Assembly Member
Fifty-first District

February 19, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: I respectfully wish to be excused from Check-in Session on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, due to legislative business related to the Latino Caucus. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Evan McLaughlin in my office at (916) 319-2080.

Sincerely,

LORENA S. GONZALEZ, Assembly Member
Eightieth District

February 16, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Atkins: The California Latino Legislative Caucus is holding their 2016 Policy Conference February 24, 2016, in South Lake Tahoe. I respectfully request your permission to be excused on legislative business. Attached please find a copy of the agenda. I ask for your favorable consideration of this request. Please feel free to contact me at (916) 319-2048 should you have any questions. Thank you kindly.

Sincerely,

ROGER HERNÁNDEZ, Assembly Member
Forty-eighth District

February 19, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: I respectfully wish to be excused from Check-in Session on February 24, 2016, due to legislative business related to the Latino Caucus. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Christopher Sanchez in my office at (916) 319-2039.

Sincerely,

PATTY LOPEZ, Assembly Member
Thirty-ninth District

February 9, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: I respectfully wish to be excused from Check-in Session on February 24, 2016, due to legislative business related to the Latino Caucus. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Lucy Camarillo in my office at (916) 319-2061.

Sincerely,

JOSE MEDINA, Assembly Member
Sixty-first District

February 22, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: This letter is to respectfully request your approval to be excused from Check-in Session on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, for legislative business. Your favorable consideration in this matter would be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully yours,

ANTHONY RENDON, Assembly Member
Sixty-third District

February 10, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, for legislative business. Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (916) 319-2052.

Sincerely,

FREDDIE RODRIGUEZ, Assembly Member
Fifty-second District

February 11, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: I respectfully request to be excused from Check-in Session on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, due to legislative business related to the Latino Caucus. Should you have any questions, please contact Yolanda Sandoval in my office at (916) 319-2032.

Sincerely,

RUDY SALAS, JR., Assembly Member
Thirty-second District

February 17, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session due to legislative business on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, to attend the Latino Caucus Policy Conference in South Lake Tahoe. Thank you for your attention to this request. If you have any questions, please contact me or Deborah Zavala at (916) 319-2032.

Sincerely,

MIGUEL SANTIAGO, Assembly Member
Fifty-third District

February 22, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Atkins: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, due to legislative business. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

TONY THURMOND, Assembly Member
 Fifteenth District

February 8, 2016

The Honorable Toni G. Atkins
Speaker of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California

Dear Madame Speaker: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on Wednesday, February 24, 2016, for legislative business in my district. I plan to return to Sacramento on the evening of the 24th. Your consideration of this request is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

DAS WILLIAMS, Assembly Member
 Thirty-seventh District

COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were presented by the Speaker, and ordered printed in the Journal:

February 23, 2016

E. Dotson Wilson
Chief Clerk of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 3196
Sacramento, California

RE: Reappointment of Rigoberto Reyes to Consumer Motor Vehicle Recovery Corporation, Board of Directors

Dear Mr. Wilson: Please be advised that I have reappointed Mr. Rigoberto Reyes to the Consumer Motor Vehicle Recovery Corporation, Board of Directors. This is a term appointment starting February 23, 2016, and the expiration date is January 1, 2018.

Sincerely,

TONI G. ATKINS
 Speaker of the Assembly

February 23, 2016

*E. Dotson Wilson
Chief Clerk of the Assembly
State Capitol, Room 3196
Sacramento, California*

RE: Appointment of David Lizarraga to
New Motor Vehicle Board

Dear Mr. Wilson: Please be advised that I have appointed Mr. David Lizarraga to the New Motor Vehicle Board. This is a term appointment starting February 23, 2016, and the expiration date is January 15, 2019.

Sincerely,

TONI G. ATKINS
Speaker of the Assembly

SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

Transportation, on Monday, March 14, 2016, upon adjournment of regular hearing, in Room 4202;

Joint Legislative Committee on Emergency Management, on Friday, March 18, 2016, at 10 a.m., in the San Bernardino County Government Center Building in San Bernardino;

Business and Professions, to convene jointly with Higher Education and Senate Business, Professions and Economic Development, on Monday, March 28, 2016, upon adjournment of Floor Session, in Room 4203;

Budget Subcommittee No. 1 on Health and Human Services, on Wednesday, March 9, 2016, at 1:30 p.m., in Room 4202.

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, February 24, 2016

Mme. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:
Assembly Bill No. 1571
Assembly Bill No. 1672

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above bills re-referred to committee.

Assembly Chamber, February 24, 2016

Mme. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 129

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above resolution re-referred to committee.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered:

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 144—Mullin. Relative to character education in public schools.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 40—Eggman and Thurmond. Relative to Social Work Month.

AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS**Committee on Governmental Organization**

February 24, 2016

Mme. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Governmental Organization reports: Assembly Bill No. 1558

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

GRAY, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1558—An act to add Section 23826.13 to the Business and Professions Code, relating to alcoholic beverages.

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.

Committee on Natural Resources

February 24, 2016

Mme. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Natural Resources reports: Assembly Bill No. 1586

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

WILLIAMS, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1586—An act to add Section 21168.10 to the Public Resources Code, relating to environmental quality.

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.

February 24, 2016

Mme. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Natural Resources reports: Assembly Bill No. 1589

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

WILLIAMS, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1589—An act to add Section 21080.47 to the Public Resources Code, relating to the environment.

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.

Committee on Water, Parks, and Wildlife

February 24, 2016

Mme. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Water, Parks, and Wildlife reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1587

Assembly Bill No. 1590

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

LEVINE, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1587—An act to add Section 79776 to the Water Code, relating to groundwater, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1590—An act to amend Sections 175 and 177 of the Water Code, relating to water.

Bill read second time.

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

**CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE
SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS**

SENATE BILL NO. 86—An act to amend the Budget Act of 2015 (Chapters 10 and 11 of the Statutes of 2015), by amending Item 6440-001-0001 of, and adding Items 2660-013-0001, 3970-001-0001, and 9651-001-0001 to, Section 2.00 of, and amending Section 39.00 of, that act, relating to the state budget, and making an appropriation therefor, to take effect immediately, budget bill.

Bill read second time, and ordered to third reading.

ADJOURNMENT

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 9 a.m., Thursday, February 25, 2016.

TONI G. ATKINS, Speaker

AMY LEACH, Minute Clerk

AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE ASSEMBLY ON FEBRUARY 24, 2016

The following measures were amended in the Assembly on this day:

AB	RN	
1558	1602589	
1586	1607605	
1587	1607597	
1589	1607600	
1590	1607601	
Daily Total:		5
Cumulative Total:		2695

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