# CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE 2025–26 REGULAR SESSION

# ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

# Monday, March 3, 2025 THIRTY-FOURTH SESSION DAY NINETY-SECOND 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 Monday, March 3, 2025

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 Dixon moved a quorum call of the Assembly. Motion carried. Time, 1 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 1:15 p.m., Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal declared a quorum of the Assembly present.

The rollcall was completed, and the following answered to their names—76:

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

(\* NOTE: Prior to the convening of Floor Session, Assembly Member-elect Stan Ellis took and subscribed to the oath of office for Member of the Assembly, 32nd Assembly District. See page 502 of this day's Journal.)

#### COMMUNICATIONS

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

March 3, 2025

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

Dear Ms. Parker: This is to advise you that as of February 28, 2025, at 5:06 p.m. the unofficial results of the Special Primary Election held on Tuesday, February 25, 2025, for State Assembly District Thirty-Two show that Stan W. Ellis received 38,626 votes or 64.7% of the total number of votes cast for that office.

As of March 3, 2025, at 8:53 a.m., the counties of Kern and Tulare have an estimated 14 unprocessed ballots.

According to the unofficial results, it appears that Stan W. Ellis has received the majority of votes cast for the State Assemblymember Thirty-Second District.

To the best of the Secretary of State's knowledge and belief at this time, there is no contest to this election.

As soon as the official results are certified to this office by the registrar of voters for the counties of Kern and Tulare, an official Certificate of Election will be prepared for transmittal as required by law.

Sincerely,

JANA M. LEAN Chief, Elections Division California Secretary of State

#### SWEARING-IN OF ASSEMBLY MEMBER-ELECT STAN ELLIS

Assembly Member-elect Stan Ellis was sworn in during a special ceremony today in the Assembly Chamber prior to the convening of Floor Session.

#### OATH

for the Office of Member of the Assembly 32nd Assembly District 2025–26 Regular Session

I, Stan Ellis, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter.

STAN ELLIS

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 3rd day of March, A.D. 2025

THE HONORABLE JAMES GALLAGHER Republican Leader, California State Assembly

# Receipt

RECEIVED from Sue Parker, Chief Clerk of the Assembly, duly executed Oath of Office for Stan Ellis for the 2025–26 Regular Session of the Legislature, who is listed in the Certificate of Election from the Secretary of State, which is printed in the Assembly Daily Journal for Monday, March 3, 2025, and who was sworn in as Member of the Assembly on the same day by the Honorable James Gallagher, Republican Leader, California State Assembly.

Dated: March 3, 2025

SHIRLEY N. WEBER, PH.D. Secretary of State

#### **PRAYER**

Upon invitation of Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal, the following prayer was offered by Reverend Bob Oshita:

It was in 1975 that I received my first assignment as a minister. I was assigned to the large Los Angeles Temple just outside of Little Tokyo. I still recall the first time someone said to me before a service, "You know, I'm not Buddhist." I remember smiling as I responded, "Neither am I." I felt, even then, that labels can separate us rather than bring us together. Especially with religion and politics, the labels we give ourselves and to others, too often divide us rather than bring us together.

In 2001, still reeling from the shock of 9-11, I was invited to participate in a truly diverse interfaith forum with 16 clergy participating. We were asked to present the essence of our traditions in 5 minutes. After one hour, we were not even halfway done. After 2 hours, I sensed the audience was growing a little weary. When the microphone finally came to me, I promised to be brief. Then shared one sentence. "If there is a religious tradition that would say, 'If we could get beyond all religious labels and start over again and just be good and kind and decent to each other, Buddhism would be delighted." I handed the microphone off and was surprised by the applause.

It seems I was not alone in wanting to move away from the labels that divide us and simply feel the caring and kindness of our shared humanity. We are living in times where we need each other perhaps more than ever. We know this, and admired spiritual leaders through time have known this.

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. said, "We argue endlessly over creeds, ritual and denominations. We must see that we have a unity of purpose that transcends our differences."

If only we could get beyond our differences and just be good and kind and decent to each other. If only . . .

Namo Amida Butsu—Let us live with kindness and gratitude beyond words.

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Upon request of Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal, Assembly Member Ávila Farías 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 Gallagher.

#### LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY

By unanimous consent, the following Assembly Members were granted leaves of absence for the day:

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

Because of illness: Assembly Member Haney.

Because of illness in their families: Assembly Members Ortega and Schiavo.

#### COMMUNICATIONS

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

February 28, 2025

Sue Parker

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

Dear Ms. Parker: Please be advised that I have made changes to the following committees in the 2025–26 Regular Session:

Budget

I have appointed Assembly Member Juan Alanis to the Assembly Budget Committee. Assembly Members Carl DeMaio and Alexandra Macedo have been removed from the committee. I have decreased the size of the committee from 33 to 32 members.

Budget Subcommittee No. 4 on Climate Crisis, Resources, Energy, and Transportation

I have appointed Assembly Member Juan Alanis to replace Assembly Member Alexandra Macedo on Budget Subcommittee No. 4 on Climate Crisis, Resources, Energy, and Transportation. Assembly Member Macedo has been removed from the committee.

Budget Subcommittee No. 5 on State Administration

I have appointed Assembly Member Greg Wallis to replace Assembly Member Carl DeMaio on Budget Subcommittee No. 5 on State Administration. Assembly Member DeMaio has been removed from the committee.

# Economic Development, Growth, and Household Impact

I have appointed Assembly Member Mia Bonta to the Assembly Economic Development, Growth, and Household Impact Committee, increasing the size of the committee from 7 to 8 members.

## **Elections**

I have appointed Assembly Member Alexandra Macedo to replace Assembly Member Bill Essayli as Vice Chair of the Assembly Elections Committee. Assembly Member Essayli has been removed from the committee.

# Governmental Organization

I have appointed Assembly Member Laurie Davies to replace Assembly Member Alexandra Macedo as Vice Chair of the Assembly Governmental Organization Committee. Assembly Member Macedo has been removed from the committee. Assembly Member Carl DeMaio has been appointed to the committee.

#### Health

I have appointed Assembly Member Phillip Chen to replace Assembly Member Joe Patterson as Vice Chair of the Assembly Health Committee. Assembly Member Patterson has been removed from the committee. Assembly Member David Tangipa has also been removed from the committee, creating a Republican vacancy.

# Higher Education

I have removed Assembly Member Maggy Krell from the Assembly Higher Education Committee, decreasing the size of the committee from 11 to 10 members.

# Housing and Community Development

I have removed Assembly Member Esmeralda Soria from the Assembly Housing and Community Development Committee, creating a Democratic vacancy.

#### Insurance

I have appointed Assembly Member Greg Wallis to replace Assembly Member David Tangipa as Vice Chair of the Assembly Insurance Committee. Assembly Member Tangipa has been removed from the committee. I have appointed Assembly Members Heather Hadwick and Maggy Krell to the committee, increasing the size from 16 to 17 members.

#### Local Government

I have appointed Assembly Member Rhodesia Ransom to the Assembly Local Government Committee, increasing the size of the committee from 9 to 10 members.

#### Natural Resources

I have appointed Assembly Member Juan Alanis to replace Assembly Member Alexandra Macedo as Vice Chair of the Natural Resources Committee. Assembly Members Alexandra Macedo and Rhodesia Ransom have been removed from the committee. Assembly Member Laurie Davies has been appointed to the committee. I am decreasing the size of the committee from 15 to 14 members.

# Utilities and Energy

I have appointed Assembly Member Laurie Davies to replace Assembly Member David Tangipa on the Assembly Utilities and Energy Committee. Assembly Member Tangipa has been removed from the committee.

Water, Parks, and Wildlife

I have appointed Assembly Members Alexandra Macedo and David Tangipa to replace Assembly Members Juan Alanis and Laurie Davies on the Assembly Water, Parks, and Wildlife Committee. Assembly Members Alanis and Davies have been removed from the committee.

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS Speaker of the Assembly

February 28, 2025

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

Dear Ms. Parker: Please be advised that I have appointed Assembly Member Phillip Chen to replace Assembly Member Diane Dixon on the Assembly Judiciary Committee for the Tuesday, March 4 hearing only.

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS Speaker of the Assembly February 28, 2025

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

Dear Ms. Parker: Please be advised that I have appointed Assembly Member Avelino Valencia to replace Assembly Member Gregg Hart on the Joint Legislative Audit Committee at the Wednesday, March 5 hearing only.

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS Speaker of the Assembly

#### SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

Joint Legislative Committee on Emergency Management, to convene jointly with the Senate Committee on Governmental Organization, on Tuesday, March 11, 2025, upon adjournment of the Senate Committee on Governmental Organization, at 1021 O Street, Room 1200.

#### **ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS**

Assembly Chamber, February 28, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 462

Assembly Bill No. 587

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above bills re-referred to committee.

#### REFERRAL OF BILLS TO COMMITTEE

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

Assembly	
Bill No.	Committee
33	Trans.
49	Ed. and Jud.
60	E.S. & T.M.
274	Nat. Res.
317	Nat. Res. and Rev. & Tax.
324	Pub. S. and Jud.
360	B. & P.
392	P. & C.P. and Jud.
417	L. Gov.
421	Pub. S. and Jud.
447	B. & P. and Health
457	H. & C.D.
484	Jud.
485	L. & E.
<b>526</b>	U. & E. and Nat. Res.
527	Nat. Res.
531	U. & E. and Nat. Res.
532	E.S. & T.M.
559	B. & P. and Jud.
561	Jud.
562	Hum. S.
563	Hum. S. and Ed.
	Nat. Res. and M. & V.A.
	Nat. Res. and W., P., & W.
	B. & P. and Jud.
<b>590</b>	H. & C.D.
	E.M.
	G.O. and Health
	Ed. and E.M.
	Hum. S. and Pub. S.
	Trans. and Nat. Res.
610	H. & C.D. and L. Gov.

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616	. W., P., & W.
617	Aging & L.T.C.
618	Health
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696	E.Š. & T.M. and Nat. Res.
699	Elections
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<b>720</b> G.O.
722H. & C.D.
723P. & C.P.
<b>726</b> H. & C.D. and L. Gov.
727Ed.
731 Higher Ed. and Ed.
736H. & C.D.
737U. & E.
738Nat. Res.
<b>740</b> U. & E.
741Pub. S.
<b>742</b> B. & P. and Jud.
744G.O.
<b>745</b> U. & E.
<b>750</b> H. & C.D. and Jud.
<b>751</b> L. & E.
<b>754</b> E.S. & T.M.
<b>755</b> Rev. & Tax.
<b>757</b> Ed.
<b>759</b> B. & P.
<b>761</b> L. Gov. and Rev. & Tax.
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<b>765</b> L. & E.
<b>767</b> Pub. S.
<b>770</b> G.O.
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<b>791</b> Higher Ed.
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## ASSEMBLY RULE 118(a) SUSPENDED—PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Assembly Members Aguiar-Curry, Caloza, Macedo, Muratsuchi, Papan, Sharp-Collins, and Zbur 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 56 SUSPENDED BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT**

Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry was granted unanimous consent that Assembly Rule 56 be suspended to permit the Committee on Local Government to notice hearing of Assembly Bill No. 253 on Wednesday, March 12, 2025, pending re-referral to the committee.

#### RE-REFERENCE OF BILLS PURSUANT TO ASSEMBLY RULE 96

Pursuant to Assembly Rule 96, Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry was granted unanimous consent that the following bill be re-referred as noted:

Assembly Bill No. 480 from the Committee on Revenue and Taxation to the Committee on Housing and Community Development, and to be returned to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal welcomed newly elected Assembly Member Stan Ellis to the Assembly.

# **INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS**

Assembly Member Sharp-Collins, of the 79th Assembly District, introduced the Lincoln High School football team, Division 1-AA State Championship winners: King David Dunn, Indigo Northeimer, Eugene Rice, Aden Jackson, Ramon Pettis Davis, Coach King David Dunn, Coach Jason Carter, and Principal Brian Hester.

Assembly Member Papan, of the 21st Assembly District, introduced the College of San Mateo football team, California Community College Association (3C2A) State Championship winner.

Assembly Member Macedo, of the 33rd Assembly District, introduced Miss California's Teen, Keira Bixler.

#### SPECIAL RECOGNITION

The Members of the Assembly joined Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal in extending best wishes to Assembly Member Zbur upon the occasion of his birthday.

# INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Assembly Member Zbur, of the 51st Assembly District, introduced Los Angeles District 11 Councilwoman, Traci Park, and Mayor of Santa Monica, Lana Negrete.

# CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28 (Ortega)—Relative to Women in Construction Week.

Resolution presented by Assembly Member Bonta.

Resolution read.

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# Members Made Coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28

Upon request of Assembly Member Bonta, the following Members were permitted to be listed as additional coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28.

#### **Additional Coauthors**

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

Aguiar-Curry, Ahrens, Alanis, Alvarez, Arambula, Ávila Farías, Bains, Bennett, Berman, Boerner, Bonta, Bryan, Calderon, Caloza, Carrillo, Castillo, Chen, Connolly, Davies, Dixon, Elhawary, Ellis, Essayli, Fong, Gabriel, Gallagher, Garcia, Gipson, Jeff Gonzalez, Mark González, Hadwick, Harabedian, Hart, Hoover, Irwin, Jackson, Kalra, Krell, Lackey, Lee, Lowenthal, Macedo, McKinnor, Muratsuchi, Nguyen, Pacheco, Papan, Patel, Patterson, Pellerin, Petrie-Norris, Ouirk-Silva. Ramos, Ransom, Celeste Rivas, Rodriguez. Michelle Rodriguez, Rogers, Blanca Rubio, Sanchez, Schultz, Sharp-Collins, Solache, Soria, Stefani, Ta, Tangipa, Valencia, Wallis, Ward, Wicks, Wilson, and Zbur.

# **Request for Unanimous Consent**

Assembly Member Bonta was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28, as revised, without reference to print or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

Consideration of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28, as Revised ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 28—Relative to Women in Construction Week.

Resolution read, as revised, and adopted.

Resolution ordered reprinted and transmitted to the Senate.

# **INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS**

In conjunction with Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 28 relative to Women in Construction Week, Assembly Member Bonta, of the 18th Assembly District, introduced women from the construction industry.

# CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE (RESUMED) THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS (RESUMED)

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 13 (Muratsuchi)**—Relative to Read Across America Day.

Resolution read.

#### Members Made Coauthors of House Resolution No. 13

Upon request of Assembly Member Muratsuchi, the following Members were permitted to be listed as additional coauthors of House Resolution No. 13.

#### **Additional Coauthors**

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

Addis, Aguiar-Curry, Ahrens, Alanis, Alvarez, Arambula, Ávila Farías, Bains, Bennett, Berman, Boerner, Bonta, Bryan, Calderon, Caloza, Carrillo, Castillo, Chen, Connolly, Davies, DeMaio, Dixon, Elhawary, Ellis, Essayli, Fong, Gabriel, Gallagher, Garcia, Gipson, Jeff Gonzalez, Mark González, Hadwick, Harabedian, Hart, Hoover, Irwin, Jackson, Kalra, Krell, Lackey, Lee, Lowenthal, Macedo, McKinnor, Nguyen, Pacheco, Papan, Patel, Patterson, Pellerin, Petrie-Norris, Quirk-Silva, Ramos, Ransom, Rivas, Celeste Rodriguez, Michelle Rodriguez, Rogers, Blanca Rubio, Sanchez, Schultz, Sharp-Collins, Solache, Soria, Stefani, Ta, Tangipa, Valencia, Wallis, Ward, Wicks, and Wilson.

#### **Request for Unanimous Consent**

Assembly Member Muratsuchi was granted unanimous consent to take up House Resolution No. 13, as revised, without reference to print or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

#### Consideration of House Resolution No. 13, as Revised

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 13—Relative to Read Across America Day.

Resolution read, as revised, and adopted.

#### **INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS**

In conjunction with House Resolution No. 13 relative to Read Across America Day, Assembly Member Muratsuchi, of the 66th Assembly District, introduced Leslie Littman, Vice President of California Teachers Association, and Rachel Warino, Communications Manager of California Teachers Association.

#### **ADJOURN IN MEMORY**

Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Steven Suchil of West Sacramento.

(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 the Steven Suchil.

#### INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry, of the 4th Assembly District, introduced Jan Owen, wife of Steven Suchil.

#### ADJOURN IN MEMORY

Assembly Member Caloza was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Greg Merideth 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 Greg Merideth.

#### **INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS**

Assembly Member Caloza, of the 52nd Assembly District, introduced family of Greg Merideth.

#### **ADJOURN IN MEMORY**

Assembly Member Soria was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Chang Geu Xiong of Merced.

(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 Chang Geu Xiong.

#### INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Assembly Member Soria, of the 27th Assembly District, introduced family and friends of Chang Geu Xiong.

#### **DEADLINE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal announced, that today, Monday, March 3, 2025, is the deadline for Members to file their Statement of Economic Interests—Form 700 with the Fair Political Practices Commission. The completed Form 700 must be filed with the Office of the Chief Clerk.

#### COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal announced that the following committees would meet today:

Banking and Finance, at 3:30 p.m., in Room 444;

Budget Subcommittee No. 1 on Health, at 2:30 p.m., in Room 126;

Budget Subcommittee No. 6 on Public Safety, at 2:30 p.m., in Room 447;

Joint Assembly and Senate Committee on Transportation, at 2:30 p.m., at 1021 O Street, Room 1100.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Speaker pro Tempore Lowenthal announced the following session schedule:

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, Check-in Session, 7 a.m.-3 p.m.;

Wednesday, March 5, 2025, Check-in Session, 7 a.m.-3 p.m.;

Thursday, March 6, 2025, Floor Session, 9 a.m.

#### **MOTION TO ADJOURN**

At 2:14 p.m., Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry moved that the Assembly do now adjourn.

Assembly Member Patterson seconded the motion.

Motion carried.

## QUORUM CALL OF THE ASSEMBLY DISPENSED WITH

At 2:14 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. 1508—Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs.** An act to amend Section 59 of the Military and Veterans Code, relating to the military.

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1509—Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs.** An act to add Section 91 to the Military and Veterans Code, relating to veterans.

The following resolutions were offered:

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 45—Quirk-Silva (Principal coauthors: Boerner, Macedo, Nguyen, Blanca Rubio, and Ávila Farías) (Principal coauthors: Senators Alvarado-Gil, Ochoa Bogh, Pérez, Rubio, and Valladares) (Coauthor: Ortega) (Coauthors: Senators Hurtado and Limón). Relative to the Day of the Teacher.

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3—Schiavo (Coauthors: Ahrens, Arambula, Bains, Fong, Mark González, Haney, Hart, Jackson, Kalra, Lee, Muratsuchi, Patel, Petrie-Norris, Ramos, Celeste Rodriguez, Michelle Rodriguez, Sharp-Collins, Soria, Stefani, Valencia, Wallis, Ward, and Ávila Farías) (Coauthors: Senators Arreguín, Becker, Cortese, Durazo, Gonzalez, Hurtado, Limón, Menjivar, and Umberg). Relative to public social services.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 21—Zbur (Principal coauthors: Elhawary, Mark González, Jackson, Lee, Solache, and Ward). Relative to Transgender Day of Visibility.

# AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS Committee on Education

March 3, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 361

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

MURATSUCHI, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 361**—An act to amend Sections 20119, 20119.1, and 20119.2 of, to amend the heading of Article 3.3 (commencing with Section 20119) of Chapter 1 of Part 3 of Division 2 of, to amend and renumber Section 20119.6 of, and to repeal Sections 20119.5 and 20119.7 of, the Public Contract Code, relating to best value procurement.

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 Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials**

March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials reports:

Assembly Bill No. 60

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

CONNOLLY, Chair

## ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 60—An act relating to public health.

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 Governmental Organization**

March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Governmental Organization reports: Assembly Bill No. 592

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

BLANCA RUBIO, Chair

# ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 592—An act relating to restaurants.

Bill read second time.

March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Governmental Organization reports: Assembly Bill No. 770

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

BLANCA RUBIO, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 770**—An act to add Section 5208.3 to the Business and Professions Code, relating to outdoor advertising.

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 Health

March 3, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 554

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

BONTA, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 554**—An act to amend, repeal, and add Section 1342.74 of the Health and Safety Code, and to amend, repeal, and add Section 10123.1933 of the Insurance Code, relating to health care coverage.

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 Housing and Community Development**

March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Housing and Community Development reports:

Assembly Bill No. 57

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

HANEY, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 57**—An act to add Section 51344 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to housing.

Bill read second time.

#### **Committee on Human Services**

March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Human Services reports:

Assembly Bill No. 308

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

LEE, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 308**—An act to add Section 16529.5 to the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to child welfare.

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 Labor and Employment

March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Labor and Employment reports: Assembly Bill No. 485

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

ORTEGA, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 485**—An act to amend Section 98 of the Labor Code, relating to employment.

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 Local Government**

March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Local Government reports: Assembly Bill No. 417

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

CARRILLO, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 417**—An act to amend Section 53311 of the Government Code, relating to local government.

Bill read second time.

#### **Committee on Natural Resources**

March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Assembly Bill No. 274

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

BRYAN, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 274**—An act to amend Section 512 of the Harbors and Navigation Code, relating to vessels.

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 Revenue and Taxation

March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Revenue and Taxation reports:

Assembly Bill No. 27

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

GIPSON, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 27**—An act to add Sections 17157.5 and 24309.9 to the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation, to take effect immediately, tax levy.

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.

March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Revenue and Taxation reports: Assembly Bill No. 418

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

GIPSON, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 418**—An act to amend Section 3794.3 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation.

Bill read second time.

#### Committee on Rules

March 3, 2025

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

House Resolution No. 17

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

PACHECO, Chair

# HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 17—Relative to women in carpentry.

Resolution read.

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

# REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES Committee on Rules

Date of Hearing: March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules reports:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 41

With the recommendation: Be adopted.

PACHECO, Chair

# Above resolution ordered to third reading.

Date of Hearing: March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules reports:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 43

House Resolution No. 20

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.

Committee on Banking and Finance

Date of Hearing: March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Banking and Finance reports:

Assembly Bill No. 232

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

VALENCIA, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Date of Hearing: March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Banking and Finance reports:

Assembly Bill No. 236

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

VALENCIA, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Banking and Finance reports:

Assembly Bill No. 238

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

VALENCIA, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

#### **MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

Senate Chamber, March 3, 2025

Mr. Speaker: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 27

ERIKA CONTRERAS, Secretary of the Senate By Heshani Wijemanne, Assistant Secretary

# FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following resolutions were read:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7**—Relative to permanent standard time.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 27**—Relative to Yu Gwan-sun Day.

#### INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Assembly Member Addis, of the 30th Assembly District, and Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry, of the 4th Assembly District, introduced students of Cal Poly SLO's Agricultural Leadership Society.

Assembly Member Ávila Farías, of the 15th Assembly District, introduced students and representatives from Bay Area Community Resources (BACR).

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 5 p.m., pursuant to the motion by Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry, the Assembly adjourned until 9 a.m., Tuesday, March 4, 2025, out of respect to the memory of Steven Suchil on motion of Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry; out of respect to the memory of Greg Merideth on motion of Assembly Member Caloza; and out of respect to the memory of Chang Geu Xiong on motion of Assembly Member Soria.

ROBERT RIVAS, Speaker

VERONICA BLEVINS. Assistant Minute Clerk

# AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE ASSEMBLY ON MARCH 3, 2025

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

$\mathbf{AB}$	RN
27	2511907
57	2511691
60	2511146
274	2510349
308	2510182
361	2511613
417	2511422
418	2511779
485	2510755
554	2511642
592	2511558
770	2511246
HR	RN
17	2511571

Daily Total: 13