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Tuesday, March 4, 2025

THIRTY-FIFTH SESSION DAY

NINETY-THIRD 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
Tuesday, March 4, 2025

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—76:

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

Quorum present.

At 10:38 a.m., Hon. Bill Essayli, 63rd 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 personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Members Dixon and Flora.

Because of illness: Assembly Member Ellis.

Because of illness in her family: Assembly Member Ortega.

COMMUNICATIONS

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

March 4, 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 Alexandra Macedo to replace Assembly Member James Gallagher on the Assembly Insurance Committee for the Wednesday, March 5 hearing only.

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS
Speaker of the Assembly

SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

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

Health, on Tuesday, March 18, 2025, at 1:30 p.m., at 1021 O Street, Room 1100;

Human Services, to convene jointly with Agriculture, on Wednesday, March 26, 2025, at 2:30 p.m., or upon adjournment of Agriculture, in Room 126;

Utilities and Energy, on Wednesday, April 30, 2025, upon adjournment of Communications and Conveyance, in Room 437.

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, March 4, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 418

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above bill re-referred to committee.

Assembly Chamber, March 4, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 27

Assembly Bill No. 417

Assembly Bill No. 57

Assembly Bill No. 485

Assembly Bill No. 60

Assembly Bill No. 554

Assembly Bill No. 274

Assembly Bill No. 592

Assembly Bill No. 308

Assembly Bill No. 770

Assembly Bill No. 361

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above bills re-referred to committee.

Assembly Chamber, March 4, 2025

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

House Resolution No. 17

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above resolution re-referred to committee.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

The following bill was introduced and read the first time:

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1510—Committee on Public Employment and Retirement (Assembly Members McKinnor (Chair), Boerner, Elhawary, Garcia, and Nguyen). An act to amend Sections 19775.17 and 19775.18 of, and to repeal Section 19775.16 of, the Government Code, and to add Section 100312 to the Public Utilities Code, relating to public employees.

The following resolution was introduced and read the first time:

ASSEMBLY CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 9—Boerner. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by amending Sections 1, 2, 3, and 6 of Article XII thereof, relating to public utilities.

The following resolutions were offered:

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 46—Soria. Relative to Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg Day.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 47—Chen. Relative to National Surveyors Week.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 48—DeMaio. Relative to Women in STEM Day.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 22—Soria. Relative to Groundwater Awareness Week.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 23—Ortega. Relative to César Chávez Day.

AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS

Committee on Business and Professions

March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Business and Professions reports:

Assembly Bill No. 360

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

BERMAN, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 360—An act 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.

March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Business and Professions reports:
Assembly Bill No. 625

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

BERMAN, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 625—An act to amend Section 1 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to business and professions.

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 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Health reports:
Assembly Bill No. 298

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

BONTA, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 298—An act to add Section 1367.55 to the Health and Safety Code, and to add Section 10123.187 to 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 4, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 299

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

HANEY, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 299—An act to add Section 1954.079 to the Civil Code, relating to tenancy, 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.

March 4, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 301

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

HANEY, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 301—An act to amend Section 65913.3 of the Government Code, relating to housing, 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.

Committee on Human Services

March 4, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 79

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

LEE, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 79—An act to amend Section 10006 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to public social services.

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

March 4, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 30

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

BRYAN, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 30—An act to add Section 43013.7 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to motor vehicle fuels, 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.

Committee on Public Safety

March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Public Safety reports:
Assembly Bill No. 380

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

SCHULTZ, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 380—An act to amend Section 396 of the Penal Code, relating to price gouging, 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.

Committee on Rules

March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Rules reports:
House Resolution No. 18

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

PACHECO, Chair

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 18—Relative to Nowruz.

Resolution read second time.

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

Committee on Transportation

March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Transportation reports:
Assembly Bill No. 33

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

WILSON, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 33—An act to amend Section 38750 of the Vehicle Code, relating to autonomous vehicles.

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 4, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 855

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

WILSON, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 855—An act to add Section 34521 to the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

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 Utilities and Energy

March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Utilities and Energy reports:

Assembly Bill No. 406

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

PETRIE-NORRIS, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 406—An act to amend Section 25371 of the Public Resources Code, relating to energy.

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 Judiciary

Date of Hearing: March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:

Assembly Bill No. 343

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

KALRA, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:

Assembly Bill No. 238

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

KALRA, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:
Assembly Bill No. 78
Assembly Bill No. 223

With the recommendation: Do pass.

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

KALRA, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:
Assembly Bill No. 311

With the recommendation: Do pass.

KALRA, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:
Assembly Bill No. 246

With the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

KALRA, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Public Safety

Date of Hearing: March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Safety reports:
Assembly Bill No. 15
Assembly Bill No. 229
Assembly Bill No. 355

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

SCHULTZ, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Safety reports:
Assembly Bill No. 31
Assembly Bill No. 285

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

SCHULTZ, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Safety reports:
Assembly Bill No. 32

With the recommendation: Do pass, and be re-referred to the Committee on Transportation with the recommendation: To Consent Calendar.

SCHULTZ, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Date of Hearing: March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Safety reports:

Assembly Bill No. 71
Assembly Bill No. 237
Assembly Bill No. 327

With the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended, and be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SCHULTZ, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: March 4, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Safety reports:

Assembly Bill No. 321

With the recommendation: Do pass.

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

SCHULTZ, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, March 4, 2025

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

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 41

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above resolution ordered on file.

Assembly Chamber, March 4, 2025

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

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 43

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above resolution ordered to the Consent Calendar.

ADJOURNMENT

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 7 a.m., Wednesday, March 5, 2025.

ROBERT RIVAS, Speaker

RUSSELL C. TOMAS, Minute Clerk

**AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE
ASSEMBLY ON MARCH 4, 2025**

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

AB	RN
30	2511386
33	2510313
79	2512013
298	2511625
299	2511867
301	2511741
360	2511119
380	2511754
406	2511914
625	2511009
855	2511700

HR	RN
18	2511885

Daily Total: 12

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