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ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

Monday, March 10, 2008
FIFTEENTH SESSION DAY
FIFTY-SEVENTH CALENDAR DAY
AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA



NOTE: Official record of roll call votes; all amendments considered by the Assembly on this day are on file with the Chief Clerk of the Assembly and available on request. A list of all measures amended and on which amendments were offered 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 10, 2008

The Assembly met at 12:11 p.m.
Hon. Sally J. Lieber, Speaker pro Tempore of the Assembly,
presiding.
Chief Clerk E. Dotson Wilson at the Desk.
Assistant Clerk Elizabeth Potter reading.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called, and the following answered to their names—77:

Adams	DeVore	Huffman	Plescia
Aghazarian	Duvall	Jeffries	Portantino
Anderson	Dymally	Jones	Price
Arambula	Emmerson	Karnette	Runner
Bass	Eng	Keene	Ruskin
Beall	Evans	Krekorian	Salas
Benoit	Feuer	La Malfa	Saldaña
Berg	Fuentes	Laird	Silva
Berryhill	Fuller	Leno	Smyth
Blakeslee	Furutani	Levine	Solorio
Brownley	Gaines	Lieber	Strickland
Caballero	Galgiani	Lieu	Swanson
Calderon	Garcia	Ma	Torrico
Carter	Garrick	Maze	Tran
Cook	Hancock	Mendoza	Villines
Coto	Hayashi	Mullin	Walters
Davis	Hernandez	Nakanishi	Wolk
De La Torre	Horton	Nava	
De León	Houston	Niello	
DeSaulnier	Huff	Parra	

Quorum present.

PRAYER

Upon invitation of Speaker pro Tempore Lieber, the following prayer was offered by Reverend Dr. Winifred B. Gaines, Episcopal priest, Canon of Trinity Cathedral Sacramento:

Compassionate and Gracious God, All authority is yours.

You hold the universe within your hands and all of us within your loving embrace.

You touch the hearts of rich and poor alike,

You speak to the powerful and the powerless.

We ask your blessings upon the women who are leaders in this State and especially the women who are members of the State Assembly.

Grant that these women who are called to leadership may genuinely serve the people of this State.

May they continually search for policies and make decisions that will be for the good of all.

Give them vision to see far into the issues of this State, courage to uphold what they believe is right, and integrity in their motives.

Grant that they may bring to this work compassionate hearts and open minds so that they may always see, behind the budget and programs, the faces of the men, women and children they serve.

Be their security in times of anxiety and their inspiration in times of opportunity.

By their plans and actions may they be co-creators with You, that your kingdom may come and your will be done.

We pray this in your Holy Name.—AMEN

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Upon request of Speaker pro Tempore Lieber, Assembly Member Berg 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 Bass, seconded by Assembly Member Blakeslee.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY

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

Because of illness: Assembly Members Núñez and Soto.

Because of a death in his family: Assembly Member Spitzer.

RECESS

By unanimous consent, at 12:11 p.m., Speaker pro Tempore Lieber declared the Assembly recessed to permit the introduction of special guests.

Speaker pro Tempore Lieber introduced Hon. Leona Egeland, Assembly Member from 1974 to 1975 and Chair of the Women's Legislative Caucus, and Hon. Dan McCorquodale, State Senator from 1983 to 1994.

RECONVENED

At 12:12 p.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Hon. Sally Lieber, Speaker pro Tempore of the Assembly, presiding.

**REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT
TO RE-REFER ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 9**

Assembly Member Bass requested unanimous consent that Assembly Bill No. 9 be re-referred from the Committee on Budget to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Assembly Member Blakeslee withheld unanimous consent.

Motion to Re-refer Assembly Bill No. 9

Assembly Member Bass moved that Assembly Bill No. 9 be re-referred from the Committee on Budget to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

Assembly Member De León seconded the motion.

Motion carried by the following vote:

AYES—46

Arambula	DeSaulnier	Jones	Parra
Bass	Dymally	Karnette	Portantino
Beall	Eng	Krekorian	Price
Berg	Evans	Laird	Ruskin
Brownley	Feuer	Leno	Salas
Caballero	Fuentes	Levine	Saldaña
Calderon	Furutani	Lieber	Solorio
Carter	Galgiani	Lieu	Swanson
Coto	Hancock	Ma	Torrico
Davis	Hayashi	Mendoza	Wolk
De La Torre	Hernandez	Mullin	
De León	Huffman	Nava	

NOES—31

Adams	Duvall	Huff	Runner
Aghazarian	Emmerson	Jeffries	Silva
Anderson	Fuller	Keene	Smyth
Benoit	Gaines	La Malfa	Strickland
Berryhill	Garcia	Maze	Tran
Blakeslee	Garrick	Nakanishi	Villines
Cook	Horton	Niello	Walters
DeVore	Houston	Plescia	

AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS

Committee on Revenue and Taxation

March 10, 2008

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

Assembly Bill No. 9

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

CALDERON, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 9—An act relating to the Budget Act of 2007.

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.

ADJOURNMENT

At 4:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned to reconvene upon Call of the Speaker.

SALLY LIEBER, Speaker pro Tempore

SUE PARKER, Minute Clerk

**AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE
ASSEMBLY ON MARCH 10, 2008**

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

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