

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE  
2003–04 FIFTH EXTRAORDINARY SESSION

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# ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

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**Thursday, March 25, 2004**

**FIFTEENTH SESSION DAY**

**ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-NINTH CALENDAR DAY**

**AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA**



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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  
Thursday, March 25, 2004

The Assembly met at 9:15 a.m.

Hon. Sally J. Lieber, Assistant Speaker pro Tempore of the Assembly, 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—68:

Aghazarian	Dymally	Leno	Parra
Bates	Frommer	Leslie	Pavley
Benoit	Garcia	Levine	Plescia
Berg	Goldberg	Lieber	Reyes
Bermudez	Hancock	Longville	Richman
Calderon	Harman	Maddox	Ridley-Thomas
Canciamilla	Haynes	Maldonado	Runner
Chavez	Horton, Jerome	Matthews	Salinas
Chu	Horton, Shirley	Maze	Samuelian
Cogdill	Houston	McCarthy	Spitzer
Cohn	Jackson	Mountjoy	Strickland
Correa	Keene	Mullin	Vargas
Cox	Kehoe	Nakanishi	Wesson
Daucher	Koretz	Nakano	Wiggins
Diaz	La Malfa	Nation	Wolk
Dutra	La Suer	Negrete McLeod	Wyland
Dutton	Laird	Pacheco	Mr. Speaker

Quorum present.

#### 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 Bogh, Corbett, Firebaugh, Lowenthal, Montanez, and Yee.*

*On personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Members Campbell, Liu, Simitian, and Steinberg.*

*Because of illness: Assembly Members Chan and Oropeza.*

(NOTE: For explanations of absences of Assembly Members Bogh, Corbett, Firebaugh, Lowenthal, and Yee on this day, on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see the Assembly Daily Journal for the Regular Session for this day; for explanation of absence of Assembly Member Montanez on this day, see the Assembly Journal for March 22, 2004.)

**COMMUNICATIONS**

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

March 19, 2004

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

Dear Dotson: Please be advised that I have made the following changes to Assembly standing committees for the 2003–04 Fifth Extraordinary Session:

*Budget Committee:* I have removed Assemblymembers John Campbell and Cindy Montanez, and have appointed Assemblymember John Laird to fill the Democratic vacancy and Assemblymember Sally Lieber to replace Assemblymember Montanez, reducing the size of the committee from 31 to 30 members.

*Elections, Redistricting and Constitutional Amendments:* No change.

*Rules Committee:* I have removed Assemblymember Lynn Daucher as the Republican Alternate.

Sincerely,

FABIAN NUÑEZ  
Speaker of the Assembly

March 22, 2004

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

Dear Dotson: This is to advise you that I appointed Assemblymember Marco Firebaugh to replace Assemblymember Cindy Montanez on the Assembly Rules Committee for today’s hearing only.

Sincerely,

FABIAN NUÑEZ  
Speaker of the Assembly

March 24, 2004

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

Dear Dotson: This is to advise you that I appointed Assemblymember Dario Frommer to replace Assemblymember Marco Firebaugh on the Assembly Rules Committee for the Thursday, March 25th hearing only.

Sincerely,

FABIAN NUÑEZ  
Speaker of the Assembly

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned to reconvene upon Call of the Speaker.

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FABIAN NUÑEZ, Speaker

PAM CAVILEER, Minute Clerk

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