# CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE 2001–02 FIRST EXTRAORDINARY SESSION

## ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

Thursday, April 19, 2001

FIFTY-FIFTH SESSION DAY

ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH 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.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

#### IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento Thursday, April 19, 2001

The Assembly met at 10:02 a.m.

Hon. Fred Keeley, Speaker pro Tempore of the Assembly, presiding.

Chief Clerk E. Dotson Wilson at the Desk.

Assistant Clerk Sue Parker reading.

#### **ROLL CALL**

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

Aanestad	Daucher	Liu	Salinas
Alquist	Diaz	Longville	Shelley
Aroner	Dickerson	Lowenthal	Simitian
Ashburn	Dutra	Maddox	Steinberg
Bates	Firebaugh	Maldonado	Strickland
Bogh	Florez	Matthews	Strom-Martin
Briggs	Frommer	Migden	Thomson
Calderon	Goldberg	Mountjoy	Vargas
Campbell, Bill	Harman	Nakano	Washington
Campbell, John	Havice	Nation	Wayne
Canciamilla	Hollingsworth	Negrete McLeod	Wesson
Cardenas	Horton	Oropeza	Wiggins
Cardoza	Jackson	Pacheco, Robert	Wright
Chan	Keeley	Pacheco, Rod	Wyland
Chavez	Kehoe	Papan	Wyman
Cogdill	Koretz	Pavley	Zettel
Cohn	La Suer	Pescetti	Mr. Speaker
Corbett	Leach	Reyes	•
Correa	Leonard	Richman	
Cox	Leslie	Runner	

#### **PRAYER**

Upon invitation of Speaker pro Tempore Keeley, the following prayer was offered by Assembly Chaplain Rabbi Mona Alfi:

Today the Jewish community observes Yom HaShoah—Holocaust Memorial Day. On this day we set aside time not only to remember our own tragedy, but to remind the world that racism, homophobia, fear of strangers, political intolerance, and bigotry in its many shapes and forms still exists in every nation.

The Nobel Prize winner and Holocaust survivor, Elie Weisel, warns us that one of the most powerful lessons that we can learn from the Holocaust is that "Indifference . . . is not only a sin, it is a punishment." When we are silent in the face of hatred, we not only fail God, we condemn ourselves.

May it be the will of the Creator that we allow our eyes to see the suffering of others, use our voices to cry out against injustice, and commit our strength to create a more tolerant and compassionate world.—AMEN.

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Upon request of Speaker pro Tempore Keeley, Assembly Member Bogh 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 Vargas, seconded by Assembly Member Cox.

#### 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 Member Kelley.

Because of death in his family: Assembly Member Cedillo.

#### REFERENCE OF BILLS TO COMMITTEE

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

Assembly Joint Resolution No. Committee 2 \_\_\_\_\_E.C. & A. Senate Bill No. Committee 33 \_\_\_\_\_E.C. & A.

#### **BILLS PLACED ON INACTIVE FILE**

The following bill was placed upon the inactive file:

Assembly Bill No. 44, on request of Assembly Member Cohn.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 6**—An act to add Division 1.5 (commencing with Section 3300) to the Public Utilities Code, relating to electrical power, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time; amendments proposed by the Committee on Appropriations read and adopted, bill ordered reprinted and to be returned to the second reading file.

#### **GOVERNOR'S VETO STRICKEN FROM FILE**

Assembly Member Kehoe was granted unanimous consent that the Governor's veto of Assembly Bill No. 27 be stricken from file.

#### MOTION TO RECONSIDER ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 8 CONTINUED

By unanimous consent, the motion to reconsider the vote on Assembly Bill No. 8 was continued until the next legislative day.

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

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 16 (Lowenthal)**—An act relating to energy. Bill read third time, and passed by the following vote:

#### AYES-75

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Aanestad	Cox	Leslie	Runner	
Alquist	Daucher	Liu	Salinas	
Aroner	Diaz	Longville	Shelley	
Ashburn	Dickerson	Lowenthal	Simitian	
Bates	Dutra	Maddox	Steinberg	
Bogh	Firebaugh	Maldonado	Strickland	
Briggs	Florez	Matthews	Strom-Martin	
Calderon	Frommer	Migden	Thomson	
Campbell, Bill	Goldberg	Mountjoy	Vargas	
Campbell, John	Harman	Nakano	Washington	
Canciamilla	Havice	Nation	Wayne	
Cardenas	Hollingsworth	Negrete McLeod	Wesson	
Cardoza	Horton	Oropeza	Wiggins	
Chan	Jackson	Pacheco, Robert	Wright	
Chavez	Keeley	Pacheco, Rod	Wyland	
Cogdill	Kehoe	Papan	Wyman	
Cohn	Koretz	Pavley	Zettel	
Corbett	La Suer	Pescetti	Mr. Speaker	
Correa	Leach	Reyes		

#### **NOES—None**

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

#### **RECESS**

By unanimous consent, at 10:10 a.m., Speaker pro Tempore Keeley declared the Assembly recessed.

#### **RECONVENED**

At 11:52 a.m., the Assembly reconvened.

Hon. Fred Keeley, Speaker pro Tempore of the Assembly, presiding.

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

**ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1 (Cardoza)**—Relative to natural gas. Resolution read.

#### **Demand for Previous Question**

Assembly Members Lowenthal, Calderon, Richman, Vargas, and Dickerson demanded the previous question. Demand sustained.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution.

Resolution adopted by the following vote:

#### AYES-48

Alquist	Dutra	Longville	Shelley
Aroner	Firebaugh	Lowenthal	Simitian
Calderon	Florez	Matthews	Steinberg
Canciamilla	Frommer	Migden	Strom-Martin
Cardenas	Goldberg	Nakano	Thomson
Cardoza	Havice	Nation	Vargas
Chan	Horton	Negrete McLeod	Washington
Chavez	Jackson	Oropeza	Wayne
Cohn	Keeley	Papan	Wesson
Corbett	Kehoe	Pavley	Wiggins
Correa	Koretz	Reyes	Wright
Diaz	Liu	Salinas	Mr. Speaker

#### NOES-7

Aanestad	Campbell, Bill	Hollingsworth	Wyman
Ashburn	Campbell, John	Leonard	•

Resolution ordered transmitted to the Senate.

#### **RECESS**

By unanimous consent, at 12:52 p.m., Speaker pro Tempore Keeley declared the Assembly recessed.

### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES Committee on Natural Resources

April 4, 2001

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports the following bill pursuant to the provisions of Joint Rule 62(a):

Assembly Bill No. 55

WAYNE, Chairman

Above bill ordered filed with the Chief Clerk.

#### **Committee on Appropriations**

Date of Hearing: April 18, 2001

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations reports:

Assembly Bill No. 2 Assembly Bill No. 57

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

MIGDEN, Chairwoman

Above bills ordered to second reading.

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

Senate Chamber, April 19, 2001

April 19, 2001

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

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1

GREG P. SCHMIDT, Secretary of the Senate By John W. Rovane, Assistant Secretary

#### FIRST READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following resolution was read:

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1**—Relative to daylight saving time.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 11 a.m., Monday, April 23, 2001.

ROBERT M. HERTZBERG, Speaker

PAM CAVILEER, Minute Clerk

# AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE ASSEMBLY ON APRIL 19, 2001

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

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Daily Total: **Cumulative Total:** 132