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Tuesday, April 21, 2026

ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-SIXTH SESSION DAY

FIVE HUNDRED SIXTH 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.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento
Tuesday, April 21, 2026

The Assembly met at 7 a.m.

Hon. Heather Hadwick, Assembly Member, 1st District, presiding.

Chief Clerk Sue Parker at the Desk.

Reading Clerk David A. Bowman reading.

ROLLCALL

The following were placed upon the morning rollcall—79:

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

Quorum present.

At 9:35 a.m., Hon. Juan Carrillo, 39th 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 Member was granted leave of absence for the day:

On maternity leave: Assembly Member Celeste Rodriguez.

COMMUNICATIONS

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

April 21, 2026

Sue Parker

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

RE: Reappointment of Kareem Gongora to
the State Bar Committee of Bar Examiners

Dear Ms. Parker: Please be advised that I have reappointed Mr. Kareem Gongora to the State Bar Committee of Bar Examiners for a term reappointment effective April 21, 2026 and the expiration date is April 21, 2029.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact my office.

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS
Speaker of the Assembly

April 21, 2026

Sue Parker

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

RE: Reappointment of Sharon Weissman to
the California Library Services Board

Dear Ms. Parker: Please be advised that I have reappointed Ms. Sharon Weissman to the California Library Services Board for a term reappointment effective April 21, 2026 and the expiration date is January 1, 2030.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact my office.

Sincerely,

ROBERT RIVAS
Speaker of the Assembly

SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

Select Committee on Boys and Men of Color, on Tuesday, April 28, 2026, at 3 p.m., in Room 444.

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, April 21, 2026

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

Assembly Bill No. 1576
 Assembly Bill No. 1611
 Assembly Bill No. 1668
 Assembly Bill No. 1789
 Assembly Bill No. 1902
 Assembly Bill No. 1914
 Assembly Bill No. 2083
 Assembly Bill No. 2084
 Assembly Bill No. 2108
 Assembly Bill No. 2192
 Assembly Bill No. 2261

Assembly Bill No. 2324
 Assembly Bill No. 2325
 Assembly Bill No. 2348
 Assembly Bill No. 2394
 Assembly Bill No. 2428
 Assembly Bill No. 2497
 Assembly Bill No. 2509
 Assembly Bill No. 2519
 Assembly Bill No. 2651
 Assembly Bill No. 2683
 Assembly Bill No. 2780

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above bills re-referred to committee.

Assembly Chamber, April 21, 2026

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

Assembly Bill No. 1751
 Assembly Bill No. 2033
 Assembly Bill No. 2069

Assembly Bill No. 2243
 Assembly Bill No. 2389
 Assembly Bill No. 2495

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above bills re-referred to committee.

Assembly Chamber, April 21, 2026

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

House Resolution No. 95

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above resolution re-referred to committee.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions were offered:

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 180—Connolly. Relative to Compost Awareness Week.**ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 181—Patel.** Relative to California Physical Education Week.**AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS****Committee on Revenue and Taxation**

April 21, 2026

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

Assembly Bill No. 1768

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

GIPSON, Chair

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1768—An act to add and repeal Chapter 3.85 (commencing with Section 7294.7) of Part 1.7 of Division 2 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation.

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

April 21, 2026

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

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 123

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

PACHECO, Chair

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 123—Relative to the Dragon Boat Festival.

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.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on Banking and Finance

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

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

Assembly Bill No. 2335

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

VALENCIA, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

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

Assembly Bill No. 1726

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: April 20, 2026

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

Assembly Bill No. 1793

Assembly Bill No. 2123

Assembly Bill No. 2409

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

VALENCIA, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

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

Assembly Bill No. 1842

Assembly Bill No. 1847

Assembly Bill No. 2674

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

VALENCIA, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

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

Assembly Bill No. 2285

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

VALENCIA, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Privacy and Consumer Protection.

Committee on Transportation

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1557

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

WILSON, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Natural Resources

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1577

Assembly Bill No. 2461

Assembly Bill No. 2074

Assembly Bill No. 2734

Assembly Bill No. 2182

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

BRYAN, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Assembly Bill No. 2112

Assembly Bill No. 2791

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

BRYAN, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Assembly Bill No. 2647

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

BRYAN, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Utilities and Energy.

Committee on Arts, Entertainment, Sports, and Tourism

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Arts, Entertainment, Sports, and Tourism reports:

Assembly Bill No. 2113

Assembly Bill No. 2492

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

WARD, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Arts, Entertainment, Sports, and Tourism reports:
Assembly Bill No. 2130

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

WARD, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Revenue and Taxation

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1690
Assembly Bill No. 2250

Assembly Bill No. 2319
Assembly Bill No. 2465

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

GIPSON, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1971
Assembly Bill No. 2089
Assembly Bill No. 2222

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

GIPSON, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Committee on Transportation

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1569
Assembly Bill No. 1913
Assembly Bill No. 2437

Assembly Bill No. 2679
Assembly Bill No. 2788

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

WILSON, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1588
Assembly Bill No. 1685
Assembly Bill No. 1687
Assembly Bill No. 1942
Assembly Bill No. 2015

Assembly Bill No. 2168
Assembly Bill No. 2267
Assembly Bill No. 2560
Assembly Bill No. 2595

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

WILSON, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1976
Assembly Bill No. 2263

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

WILSON, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Local Government.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:
Assembly Bill No. 2012

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

WILSON, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:
Assembly Bill No. 2280

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.

WILSON, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No.126
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No.137
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No.142
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No.162
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No.169

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.

WILSON, Chair

Above resolutions ordered to the Consent Calendar.

Committee on Economic Development, Growth, and Household Impact

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Economic Development, Growth, and Household Impact reports:

Assembly Bill No. 2163

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

SOLACHE, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Utilities and Energy.

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Economic Development, Growth, and Household Impact reports:

Assembly Bill No. 2516

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

SOLACHE, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Economic Development, Growth, and Household Impact reports:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 164
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 166

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.

SOLACHE, Chair

Above resolutions ordered to Consent Calendar.

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Economic Development, Growth, and Household Impact reports:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No.173

With the recommendation: Be adopted.

SOLACHE, Chair

Above resolution ordered to third reading.

Committee on Natural Resources

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1808

Assembly Bill No. 2373

Assembly Bill No. 2026

Assembly Bill No. 2390

Assembly Bill No. 2170

Assembly Bill No. 2410

Assembly Bill No. 2231

Assembly Bill No. 2433

Assembly Bill No. 2245

Assembly Bill No. 2711

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

BRYAN, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Committee on Judiciary

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1819

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

KALRA, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Aging and Long-Term Care.

Committee on Business and Professions

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Business and Professions reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1693

Assembly Bill No. 2311

Assembly Bill No. 1796

Assembly Bill No. 2697

Assembly Bill No. 2195

Assembly Bill No. 2771

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

BERMAN, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Business and Professions reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1915

Assembly Bill No. 2485

Assembly Bill No. 2435

Assembly Bill No. 2772

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

BERMAN, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Business and Professions reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1739

Assembly Bill No. 2398

Assembly Bill No. 1952

Assembly Bill No. 2497

Assembly Bill No. 2010

Assembly Bill No. 2773

Assembly Bill No. 2386

Assembly Bill No. 2775

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

BERMAN, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: April 21, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Business and Professions reports:

Assembly Bill No. 2774

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

BERMAN, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Natural Resources

Date of Hearing: April 20, 2026

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Assembly Bill No. 2059

Assembly Bill No. 2549

Assembly Bill No. 2635

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

BRYAN, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2430—An act to amend Sections 8422, 8428, 8482.55, and 46120 of, and to add Section 46121 to, the Education Code, and to amend Section 10224 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to after school programs.

Bill read second time; amendments proposed by the Committee on Education read and adopted; bill ordered reprinted and to be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1954—An act to add Chapter 45 (commencing with Section 22949.93) to Division 8 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to business.

Bill read second time; amendments proposed by the Committee on Privacy and Consumer Protection read and adopted; bill ordered reprinted and to be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2583—An act to amend Section 12098.5 of the Government Code, relating to small businesses.

Bill read second time; amendments proposed by the Committee on Privacy and Consumer Protection read and adopted; bill ordered reprinted and to be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2641—An act to amend Section 6010.15 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation, to take effect immediately, tax levy.

Bill read second time; amendments proposed by the Committee on Revenue and Taxation read and adopted; bill ordered reprinted and to be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2526—An act to amend Sections 2574, 2575, 2575.5 2576, 42238.02, and 46600 of the Education Code, relating to education finance.

Bill read second time; amendments proposed by the Committee on Education read and adopted; bill ordered reprinted and to be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2713—An act to amend Section 22757.3.1 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to artificial intelligence.

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

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, April 21, 2026

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

- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 176
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 178

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above resolutions ordered to the Consent Calendar.

Assembly Chamber, April 21, 2026

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

- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 120
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 133
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 135
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 136
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 138
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 139
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 140
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 144
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 145
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 146
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 147
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 148
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 151
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 153
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 154
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 156

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Secretary of State on the 21st day of April, 2026, at 3 p.m.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

ADJOURNMENT

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 7 a.m., Wednesday, April 22, 2026.

ROBERT RIVAS, Speaker

RUSSELL C. TOMAS, Minute Clerk

**AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE
ASSEMBLY ON APRIL 21, 2026**

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

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