

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE  
2023–24 REGULAR SESSION

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# ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

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**Wednesday, May 8, 2024**

**ONE HUNDRED NINETY-SIXTH SESSION DAY  
FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIRST CALENDAR DAY  
AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA**



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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  
Wednesday, May 8, 2024

The Assembly met at 7 a.m.

Hon. Gail Pellerin, Assembly Member, 28th District, presiding.

Chief Clerk Sue Parker at the Desk.

Reading Clerk David A. Bowman reading.

#### ROLLCALL

The following were placed upon the morning rollcall—68:

Addis	Davies	Lackey	Rodriguez
Aguiar-Curry	Dixon	Lee	Rubio
Alanis	Flora	Lowenthal	Sanchez
Alvarez	Fong, M.	Maienschein	Schiavo
Arambula	Friedman	McCarty	Soria
Bauer-Kahan	Gabriel	McKinnor	Ta
Bennett	Gallagher	Muratsuchi	Valencia
Berman	Garcia	Ortega	Villapudua
Boerner	Gipson	Pacheco	Waldron
Bonta	Haney	Papan	Wallis
Bryan	Hart	Patterson, Jim	Ward
Calderon	Holden	Patterson, Joe	Weber
Carrillo, J.	Hoover	Pellerin	Wicks
Carrillo, W.	Irwin	Petrie-Norris	Wilson
Cervantes	Jackson	Quirk-Silva	Wood
Chen	Jones-Sawyer	Ramos	Zbur
Connolly	Kalra	Reyes	Mr. Speaker

Quorum present.

**At 11:23 a.m., Hon. Brian Maienschein, 76th 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 legislative business: Assembly Members Bains, Grayson, Low, Stephanie Nguyen, Rendon, Santiago, and Ting.*

*On personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Members Essayli, Vince Fong, and Luz Rivas.*

*On medical leave: Assembly Members Megan Dahle and Mathis.*

**EXPLANATIONS OF ABSENCE**

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following explanations of absence were ordered printed in the Journal:

April 24, 2024

*The Honorable Robert Rivas*  
*Speaker of the Assembly*  
*State Capitol, Room 219*  
*Sacramento, California*

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request to be excused from Check-in on Wednesday, May 8th and Floor Session on Thursday, May 9th to allow for travel time and attendance at the AAPI Victory Power Fund, The Asian American Foundation (TAAF), California Asian and Pacific Islander Legislative Caucus Foundation, and Asian Community Development Council of Nevada for the Night Market in celebration of AANHPI Heritage Month at the Vice President's Residence on May 9th in Washington, DC.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

JASMEET KAUR BAINS, M.D., Assembly Member  
Thirty-fifth District

April 25, 2024

*The Honorable Robert Rivas*  
*Speaker of the Assembly*  
*State Capitol, Room 219*  
*Sacramento, California*

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on Wednesday, May 8, 2024, and Floor Session Thursday, May 9, 2024, due to legislative business outside of my district.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

EVAN LOW, Assembly Member  
Twenty-sixth District

April 30, 2024

*The Honorable Robert Rivas*  
*Speaker of the Assembly*  
*State Capitol, Room 219*  
*Sacramento, California*

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Check-in Session on Wednesday, May 8th and Floor Session on Thursday, May 9th due to a Legislative Meeting with Vice President, Kamala Harris in Washington, DC.

Sincerely,

STEPHANIE NGUYEN, Assembly Member  
Tenth District

April 29, 2024

*The Honorable Robert Rivas*  
*Speaker of the Assembly*  
*State Capitol, Room 219*  
*Sacramento, California*

Dear Speaker Rivas: I respectfully request permission to travel on May 8–10, 2024 to attend Vice President Kamala Harris' AAPI Heritage Month event in Washington, DC.

Sincerely,

PHILIP Y. TING, Assembly Member  
Nineteenth District

(NOTE: For letter explaining the absence of Assembly Member Grayson on this day on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see Assembly Journal for May 6, 2024; for letters explaining the absence of Assembly Members Rendon and Santiago on this day on legislative business, pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see Assembly Journal for May 7, 2024.)

#### **SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

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

Emergency Management, to convene jointly with the Joint Committee on Emergency Preparedness and the Senate Committee on Governmental Organization, on Tuesday, May 14, 2024, at 1:30 p.m., at 1021 O Street, Room 1100.

#### **ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS**

Assembly Chamber, May 8, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:  
Assembly Bill No. 2312

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above bill re-referred to committee.

Assembly Chamber, May 8, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:  
Assembly Bill No. 2481  
Assembly Bill No. 3259

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above bills ordered returned to second reading file.

**AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS**  
**Committee on Appropriations**

May 8, 2024

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

Assembly Bill No. 2066

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

WICKS, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 2066**—An act to add Section 109027 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to food.

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 Employment and Retirement**

May 8, 2024

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Public Employment and Retirement reports:

Senate Bill No. 1240

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

McKINNOR, Chair

**SENATE BILL NO. 1240**—An act to add Section 20508.3 to the Government Code, relating to public employees' retirement, 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**

May 8, 2024

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

Assembly Bill No. 1999

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

PACHECO, Chair

**ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 1999**—An act to amend Section 739.9 of the Public Utilities Code, relating to electricity.

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 Appropriations**

Date of Hearing: May 8, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations reports:

Assembly Bill No. 1790	Assembly Bill No. 2424
Assembly Bill No. 1913	Assembly Bill No. 2430
Assembly Bill No. 1938	Assembly Bill No. 2434
Assembly Bill No. 2081	Assembly Bill No. 2443
Assembly Bill No. 2115	Assembly Bill No. 2453
Assembly Bill No. 2117	Assembly Bill No. 2533
Assembly Bill No. 2137	Assembly Bill No. 2567
Assembly Bill No. 2164	Assembly Bill No. 2589
Assembly Bill No. 2174	Assembly Bill No. 2597
Assembly Bill No. 2192	Assembly Bill No. 2608
Assembly Bill No. 2194	Assembly Bill No. 2681
Assembly Bill No. 2207	Assembly Bill No. 2688
Assembly Bill No. 2228	Assembly Bill No. 2803
Assembly Bill No. 2243	Assembly Bill No. 2832
Assembly Bill No. 2299	Assembly Bill No. 2843
Assembly Bill No. 2340	Assembly Bill No. 2865
Assembly Bill No. 2350	Assembly Bill No. 2885
Assembly Bill No. 2367	Assembly Bill No. 2909
Assembly Bill No. 2373	Assembly Bill No. 2914
Assembly Bill No. 2403	Assembly Bill No. 2935

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.

WICKS, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: May 8, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations reports:

Assembly Bill No. 2939	Assembly Bill No. 3220
Assembly Bill No. 2961	Assembly Bill No. 3223
Assembly Bill No. 2962	Assembly Bill No. 3227
Assembly Bill No. 2987	Assembly Bill No. 3229
Assembly Bill No. 2992	Assembly Bill No. 3235
Assembly Bill No. 3010	Assembly Bill No. 3240
Assembly Bill No. 3030	Assembly Bill No. 3258
Assembly Bill No. 3035	Assembly Bill No. 3261
Assembly Bill No. 3054	Assembly Bill No. 3276
Assembly Bill No. 3122	Assembly Bill No. 3286
Assembly Bill No. 3184	Assembly Bill No. 3290

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.

WICKS, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: May 8, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations reports:

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| Assembly Bill No. 1836 | Assembly Bill No. 2735 |
| Assembly Bill No. 1886 | Assembly Bill No. 2750 |
| Assembly Bill No. 1889 | Assembly Bill No. 2780 |
| Assembly Bill No. 2015 | Assembly Bill No. 2877 |
| Assembly Bill No. 2023 | Assembly Bill No. 2917 |
| Assembly Bill No. 2079 | Assembly Bill No. 2971 |
| Assembly Bill No. 2136 | Assembly Bill No. 3068 |
| Assembly Bill No. 2238 | Assembly Bill No. 3074 |
| Assembly Bill No. 2297 | Assembly Bill No. 3123 |
| Assembly Bill No. 2447 | Assembly Bill No. 3143 |
| Assembly Bill No. 2543 | Assembly Bill No. 3206 |
| Assembly Bill No. 2684 |                        |

With the recommendation: Do pass.

WICKS, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: May 8, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations reports:

Assembly Bill No. 2570

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

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.

WICKS, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

**CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE  
ASSEMBLY BILLS RETURNED TO SECOND READING FILE  
PURSUANT TO THE RULES**

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following Assembly bills were this day on the second reading file:

Assembly Bills Nos. 2481 and 3259, ordered to the third reading file.

**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS**

**SENATE BILL NO. 233**—An act to add and repeal Section 2076.6 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to healing arts, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

**ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS**

Assembly Chamber, May 8, 2024

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

- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 157
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 164
- Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 165

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Secretary of State on the 8th day of May, 2024, at 1:30 p.m.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 3:45 p.m., the Assembly adjourned to reconvene upon call of the Speaker.

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ROBERT RIVAS, Speaker

RUSSELL C. TOMAS, Minute Clerk



**AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE  
ASSEMBLY ON MAY 8, 2024**

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

<b>AB</b>	<b>RN</b>
1999	2414498
2066	2414438

<b>SB</b>	<b>RN</b>
1240	2414253

**Daily Total:            3**

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