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# ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

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**Thursday, May 13, 2004**

**TWENTY-FIRST SESSION DAY**

**ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHTH 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, May 13, 2004

The Assembly met at 6 a.m.

Hon. Dave Cox, Assembly Member, 5th District, 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—58:

Aghazarian	Garcia	Lieber	Pavley
Benoit	Goldberg	Liu	Plescia
Berg	Hancock	Longville	Reyes
Bermudez	Harman	Lowenthal	Ridley-Thomas
Calderon	Horton, Shirley	Maddox	Salinas
Campbell	Jackson	Matthews	Samuelian
Canciamilla	Keene	Maze	Spitzer
Chu	Kehoe	Montanez	Steinberg
Cogdill	Koretz	Mountjoy	Vargas
Cohn	La Malfa	Mullin	Wiggins
Cox	La Suer	Nakanishi	Wolk
Daucher	Laird	Nation	Wyland
Diaz	Leno	Negrete McLeod	Mr. Speaker
Dutra	Leslie	Oropeza	
Dutton	Levine	Parra	

Quorum present.

**At 11:56 a.m., Hon. Rudy Bermudez, 56th 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 Bates, Bogh, Chan, Chavez, Corbett, Correa, Dymally, Firebaugh, Frommer, Haynes, Jerome E. Horton, Houston, Nakano, Pacheco, Richman, Strickland, Wesson, and Yee.*

*To attend funeral services for Senator William J. "Pete" Knight: Assembly Members Maldonado, McCarthy, and Runner.*

*Because of illness: Assembly Member Simitian.*

(NOTE: For explanations of absences of Assembly Members Bates, Bogh, Chan, Chavez, Corbett, Correa, Dymally, Firebaugh, Frommer, Haynes, Jerome E. Horton, Houston, Nakano, Pacheco, Richman, Strickland, Wesson, 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.)

**COMMUNICATIONS**

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

May 12, 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 Lloyd Levine to replace Assemblymember Marco Firebaugh on the Assembly Rules Committee for today's hearing only.

Sincerely,

FABIAN NUÑEZ  
Speaker of the Assembly

May 13, 2004

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

Dear Dotson: This is to advise you that I have appointed Assemblymember Marco Firebaugh to the Budget Committee and have also appointed him to fill the Democratic vacancy on Budget Subcommittee No. 2 on Education Finance for the balance of the month of May 2004.

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