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Tuesday, May 20, 2008

**ONE HUNDRED NINETY-SECOND SESSION DAY
FIVE HUNDRED THIRTY-FOURTH 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.

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Sue Parker, Minute Clerk: Phone 319-2360)

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento
Tuesday, May 20, 2008

The Assembly met at 7 a.m.

Hon. Anthony Adams, Assembly Member, 59th District, presiding.

Chief Clerk E. Dotson Wilson at the Desk.

Assistant Clerk Elizabeth Potter reading.

ROLL CALL

The following were placed upon the morning roll call—75:

Adams	DeVore	Jones	Portantino
Aghazarian	Duvall	Karnette	Price
Anderson	Dymally	Keene	Runner
Arambula	Emmerson	Krekorian	Ruskin
Beall	Eng	La Malfa	Salas
Benoit	Evans	Laird	Saldaña
Berg	Feuer	Leno	Silva
Berryhill	Fuentes	Levine	Smyth
Blakeslee	Fuller	Lieber	Solorio
Brownley	Furutani	Lieu	Spitzer
Caballero	Gaines	Maze	Strickland
Calderon	Garcia	Mendoza	Swanson
Carter	Garrick	Mullin	Torrico
Cook	Hayashi	Nakanishi	Tran
Coto	Hernandez	Nava	Villines
Davis	Horton	Niello	Walters
De La Torre	Huff	Núñez	Wolk
De León	Huffman	Parra	Mme. Speaker
DeSaulnier	Jeffries	Plescia	

Quorum present.

At 1:09 p.m., Hon. Doug La Malfa, 2nd 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 Galgiani and Houston.

On personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Members Hancock and Ma.

Because of illness: Assembly Member Soto.

EXPLANATIONS OF ABSENCE

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

May 20, 2008

*The Honorable Karen Bass, Speaker
California State Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California*

Dear Speaker Bass: I would like to request that I be excused from Check-In Session on Tuesday, May 20, 2008, as I will be in the District on legislative business.

If you have any questions, please contact Victoria Grajek of my staff at 319-2017.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

CATHLEEN GALGIANI, Assembly Member
Seventeenth District

May 20, 2008

*The Honorable Karen Bass
Speaker, California State Assembly
State Capitol, Room 219
Sacramento, California*

Dear Mme. Speaker: Please excuse me from check-in session on May 20, 2008, due to legislative business. I inadvertently forgot to check-in.

If you have any questions, please contact Kimberly Mitchell in my office at 319-2015. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

GUY S. HOUSTON, Assembly Member
Fifteenth District

SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

By unanimous consent, the following committees were permitted to meet:

Utilities and Commerce, on Thursday, May 22, 2008, upon adjournment of Session;

Local Government, on Wednesday, May 28, 2008, at 9 a.m., in Room 447;

Veterans Affairs, on Wednesday, June 4, 2008, at 3 p.m.

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, May 20, 2008

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

Assembly Bill No. 2104

Assembly Bill No. 2679

Assembly Bill No. 2153

Assembly Bill No. 2994

Assembly Bill No. 2508

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above bills ordered returned to second reading file.

Assembly Chamber, May 20, 2008

Mme. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:
 Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 132
 Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 133
 And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above resolutions ordered on file.

Assembly Chamber, May 20, 2008

Mme. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:
 House Resolution No. 30
 And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above resolution ordered on file.

Assembly Chamber, May 20, 2008

Mme. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:
 Assembly Bill No. 1759
 Assembly Bill No. 2930
 And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above bills re-referred to committee.

Assembly Chamber, May 20, 2008

Mme. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:
 Assembly Bill No. 2091
 Assembly Bill No. 2401
 Assembly Bill No. 2738
 And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above bills ordered to third reading file.

Assembly Chamber, May 20, 2008

Mme. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:
 Assembly Bill No. 2293
 Assembly Bill No. 2746
 Assembly Bill No. 2939
 And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above bills re-referred to committee.

AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS

Committee on Governmental Organization

May 20, 2008

Mme. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Governmental Organization reports:
 Senate Bill No. 157

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

PRICE, Chair

SENATE BILL NO. 157—An act to amend Sections 23399.6 and 25503.9 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to alcoholic beverages.

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.

AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS
Committee on Higher Education

May 20, 2008

Mme. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Higher Education reports:
Senate Bill No. 325

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

PORTANTINO, Chair

SENATE BILL NO. 325—An act to add Chapter 12.5 (commencing with Section 67050) and Chapter 12.7 (commencing with Section 67070) to Part 40 of Division 5 of Title 3 of the Education Code, relating to postsecondary education.

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.

AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS
Committee on Education

May 20, 2008

Mme. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Education reports:
Senate Bill No. 1104

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

MULLIN, Chair

SENATE BILL NO. 1104—An act to amend Sections 44260, 44260.1, 44260.8, and 44399 of, and to repeal Section 44253 of, the Education Code, relating to teacher credentials.

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 Governmental Organization

Date of Hearing: May 15, 2008

Mme. Speaker: Your Committee on Governmental Organization reports:
Senate Bill No. 1159

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

PRICE, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Labor and Employment

Date of Hearing: May 14, 2008

Mme. Speaker: Your Committee on Labor and Employment reports:
Senate Bill No. 940

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

SWANSON, 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. 2104, 2508, 2679, 2153, and 2994, ordered to third reading.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 96—Relative to the 2008 State Scientist Day.

Resolution read; amendments proposed by the Committee on Rules read and adopted, resolution ordered reprinted and to be placed upon Consent Calendar.

ADJOURNMENT

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 7 a.m., Wednesday, May 21, 2008.

KAREN BASS, Speaker

SUE PARKER, Minute Clerk

**AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE
ASSEMBLY ON MAY 20, 2008**

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

SB	RN
157	0813129
325	0815281
1104	0815204

SCR	RN
96	0815210

Daily Total:	4
Cumulative Total:	4666

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