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ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

Tuesday, July 2, 2024

**TWO HUNDRED TWENTY-SEVENTH SESSION DAY
FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY-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, July 2, 2024

The Assembly met at 7 a.m.

Hon. Tri Ta, Assembly Member, 70th District, presiding.

Chief Clerk Sue Parker at the Desk.

Reading Clerk David A. Bowman reading.

ROLLCALL

The following were placed upon the morning rollcall—74:

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

Quorum present.

At 10:07 a.m., Hon. Pilar Schiavo, 40th 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 Member Rendon.

On personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Member Bennett.

Because of a death in her family: Assembly Member Waldron.

On medical leave: Assembly Members Jones-Sawyer and Mathis.

EXPLANATIONS OF ABSENCE

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following explanation of absence was ordered printed in the Journal:

June 26, 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 Session on Tuesday, July 2, 2024, due to legislative business in my district.

I plan to return to Sacramento on Wednesday, July 3rd for Floor Session.

Sincerely,

ANTHONY RENDON, Assembly Member
Sixty-second District

SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

Natural Resources, on Tuesday, July 2, 2024, at 1:30 p.m., at 1021 O Street, Room 1100.

REPORTS

The following letter of transmittal was presented by the Chief Clerk and ordered printed in the Journal:

California State Auditor

2023-128
July 2, 2024

*The Honorable Speaker of the Assembly
The Honorable Members of the Assembly
of the Legislature of California
State Capitol, Room 319
Sacramento, California*

Members of the Assembly: As directed by the Joint Legislative Audit Committee, my office conducted an audit of California's Department of Pesticide Regulation (DPR) and its pesticide registration process. The following report details the audit's findings and conclusions. Overall, we determined that the processing time for pesticide registration applications is lengthy and variable, and DPR's insufficient staffing and inefficient processes have contributed to registration delays. Additionally, DPR is making efforts to raise fees to address its increasing costs.

DPR's pesticide registration application processing times have been increasing: in 2023 the department took an average of more than 3.5 years to process registrations for pesticides with new active ingredients and major new uses, twice as long as it took in 2019. Although DPR asserts that the existing regulatory standards for the length of its data evaluations are outdated, it has not taken steps to substantively update them since 1989, even though it is required to review its regulations every five years. Long application processing times can delay the medical, agricultural, and other benefits that

pesticide products provide, and it can reduce revenue for businesses providing those products.

One of the causes of DPR's delays in processing registrations is its lack of adequate staffing, and DPR has recently taken steps to request additional positions. Nonetheless, it lacks a formal and ongoing process to determine its staffing needs. Additionally, DPR's registration process relies on paper documentation and 24 disparate data systems, creating significant inefficiencies. DPR plans to begin implementing the first stage of a new, integrated data system in August 2024. However, addressing its staffing levels and implementing its new data system have contributed to its growing expenses. The DPR Fund balance has declined by more than \$7 million in the last five years. DPR hopes to address these rising costs, in part, by raising its registration fees and its mill assessment.

Respectfully submitted,

GRANT PARKS
California State Auditor

Above report referred to the Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution was offered:

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 222—Weber. Relative to Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on Banking and Finance

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

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

Senate Bill No. 1286

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

GRAYSON, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Natural Resources

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Senate Bill No. 1298

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

BRYAN, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Labor and Employment.

Committee on Banking and Finance

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

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

Senate Bill No. 1061

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

GRAYSON, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

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

Senate Bill No. 1075

Senate Bill No. 1482

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

GRAYSON, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Utilities and Energy

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Utilities and Energy reports:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 18

With the recommendation: Be adopted.

PETRIE-NORRIS, Chair

Above resolution ordered to third reading.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Utilities and Energy reports:

Senate Bill No. 59

Senate Bill No. 1142

Senate Bill No. 1018

Senate Bill No. 1221

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

PETRIE-NORRIS, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Utilities and Energy reports:

Senate Bill No. 720

Senate Bill No. 778

Senate Bill No. 1292

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

PETRIE-NORRIS, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Utilities and Energy reports:

Senate Bill No. 934

Senate Bill No. 1301

Senate Bill No. 1003

Senate Bill No. 1413

Senate Bill No. 1054

Senate Bill No. 1508

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

PETRIE-NORRIS, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Utilities and Energy reports:

Senate Bill No. 1177

Senate Bill No. 1255

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

PETRIE-NORRIS, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Natural Resources

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Senate Bill No. 945

Senate Bill No. 1324

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: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Senate Bill No. 1143

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

BRYAN, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12

With the recommendation: Be adopted.

BRYAN, Chair

Above resolution ordered to third reading.

Committee on Business and Professions

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

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

Senate Bill No. 1453

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

BERMAN, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Arts, Entertainment, Sports, and Tourism

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

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

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 211

With the recommendation: Be adopted.

GIPSON, Chair

Above resolution ordered to third reading.

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

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

Senate Bill No. 906

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

GIPSON, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Natural Resources

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Senate Bill No. 312

Senate Bill No. 1208

Senate Bill No. 615

Senate Bill No. 1231

Senate Bill No. 1062

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 Transportation

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

House Resolution No. 110

With the recommendation: Be adopted.

WILSON, Chair

Above resolution ordered to third reading.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 151

With the recommendation: Be adopted.

WILSON, Chair

Above resolution ordered to third reading.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Senate Bill No. 295

Senate Bill No. 359

Senate Bill No. 299

Senate Bill No. 689

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: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Senate Bill No. 532

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

WILSON, Chair

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

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Senate Bill No. 632

Senate Bill No. 936

Senate Bill No. 708

Senate Bill No. 983

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: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Senate Bill No. 960

Senate Bill No. 1487

Senate Bill No. 1216

Senate Bill No. 1509

Senate Bill No. 1418

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

WILSON, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Senate Bill No. 1417

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: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 143

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 resolution be placed on the Consent Calendar.

WILSON, Chair

Above resolution ordered to Consent Calendar.

Committee on Revenue and Taxation

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

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

Senate Bill No. 542

Senate Bill No. 946

Senate Bill No. 1501

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

IRWIN, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

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

Senate Bill No. 1004

Senate Bill No. 1261

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

IRWIN, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Revenue and Taxation reports:
Senate Bill No. 1527
Senate Bill No. 1528

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

IRWIN, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Governmental Organization

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Governmental Organization reports:
Senate Bill No. 536

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

BLANCA RUBIO, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Governmental Organization reports:
Senate Bill No. 549
Senate Bill No. 1230

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

BLANCA RUBIO, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Appropriations

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations reports:

Senate Bill No. 607	Senate Bill No. 1037
Senate Bill No. 901	Senate Bill No. 1137
Senate Bill No. 909	Senate Bill No. 1249
Senate Bill No. 990	Senate Bill No. 1300
Senate Bill No. 1020	Senate Bill No. 1356
Senate Bill No. 1022	Senate Bill No. 1481

With the recommendation: Do pass.

WICKS, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appropriations reports:

Senate Bill No. 956	Senate Bill No. 1395
Senate Bill No. 985	Senate Bill No. 1410
Senate Bill No. 1005	Senate Bill No. 1412
Senate Bill No. 1027	Senate Bill No. 1427
Senate Bill No. 1067	Senate Bill No. 1429
Senate Bill No. 1068	Senate Bill No. 1473
Senate Bill No. 1113	Senate Bill No. 1476
Senate Bill No. 1136	Senate Bill No. 1478
Senate Bill No. 1198	Senate Bill No. 1512
Senate Bill No. 1329	Senate Bill No. 1518
Senate Bill No. 1336	Senate Bill No. 1521
Senate Bill No. 1352	Senate Bill No. 1526

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.

Committee on Utilities and Energy

Date of Hearing: July 1, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Utilities and Energy reports:

Senate Bill No. 1374

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

PETRIE-NORRIS, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Labor and Employment

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Labor and Employment reports:

Senate Bill No. 480

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

ORTEGA, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Labor and Employment reports:

Senate Bill No. 1105

Senate Bill No. 1350

Senate Bill No. 1375

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

ORTEGA, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Labor and Employment reports:

Senate Bill No. 1298

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

ORTEGA, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Judiciary

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:

Senate Bill No. 42

Senate Bill No. 1047

Senate Bill No. 402

Senate Bill No. 1286

Senate Bill No. 697

Senate Bill No. 1287

Senate Bill No. 942

Senate Bill No. 1340

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

KALRA, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:

Senate Bill No. 1000

Senate Bill No. 1498

Senate Bill No. 1089

Senate Bill No. 1504

Senate Bill No. 1100

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

KALRA, Chair

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:

Senate Bill No. 1168

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

KALRA, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:

Senate Bill No. 1399

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.

KALRA, Chair

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: July 2, 2024

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary reports:

Senate Bill No. 393

Senate Bill No. 611

With the recommendation: Do pass.

KALRA, Chair

Above bills ordered to second reading.

CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

SENATE BILL NO. 424—An act to add Section 281.5 to the Public Utilities Code, relating to communications.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 1460—An act to add Section 14018 to the Unemployment Insurance Code, relating to broadband.

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

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, July 2, 2024

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

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 220

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above resolution ordered to the Consent Calendar.

Assembly Chamber, July 2, 2024

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

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 221

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Above resolution ordered on file.

Assembly Chamber, July 2, 2024

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

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 121
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 147
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 152
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 169
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 193
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 194
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 195
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 204
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 206

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Secretary of State on the 2nd day of July, 2024, at 3 p.m.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

ADJOURNMENT

At 3:34 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 3:30 p.m., Wednesday, July 3, 2024.

ROBERT RIVAS, Speaker

RUSSELL C. TOMAS, Minute Clerk

**AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE
ASSEMBLY ON JULY 2, 2024**

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

SB	RN
424	2417814
1460	2417635

Daily Total: 2

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