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Assembly Chamber, Sacramento Friday, September 26, 2025

Pursuant to the provisions of Joint Rule 59, the following Assembly Journal for the 2025–26 Regular Session was printed while the Assembly was in Interim Study Recess.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

Select Committee on Alternative Protein Innovation, on Thursday, October 23, 2025, at 1:30 p.m., at UCLA, 10745 Dickson Ct., Los Angeles, 90095, Royce Hall, Room 314.

REPORTS

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

California State Auditor

2024-108 September 23, 2025

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 the Alameda County Department of Children and Family Services (department) regarding its role in ensuring the health and safety of youth in the county's foster care system. In general, we determined that the department did not always initiate investigations of alleged child abuse and neglect referrals within the prescribed time frames, did not always ensure that foster youth received timely critical physical and mental health services, and did not always ensure that youth maintained connection with family members.

The department must initiate investigations within one day when youth are in imminent risk (immediate referrals) and within 10 days when youth are not at imminent risk (non-immediate referrals); however, the late initiation of such investigations has increased since fiscal year 2019–20. In fiscal year 2023–24, the department initiated investigations of 11 percent of immediate referrals and 48 percent of non-immediate referrals after the required time frames. Furthermore, the department did not complete investigations within the prescribed 30 days after initiation, and it took the department an average of 105 days to complete investigations for about half of all non-immediate referrals in fiscal year 2023–24. Although delays in *initiating* investigations of the referrals that we selected for review were beyond the department's control—when, for example, the department was unable to contact a family member after repeated attempts—the department could not always demonstrate why its completion of investigations took so long. We acknowledge that the department has faced high job vacancies, which has resulted in large caseloads for its staff in the Emergency Response Unit—the unit responsible for conducting investigations.

Because it lacked necessary documentation, the department could not demonstrate or did not ensure that youth received needed services in a timely manner. Inconsistent documentation leaves the department unable to know whether its staff have made adequate efforts to ensure that youth receive services in a timely manner. Similarly, we found that the department's documentation did not include information about its efforts to identify, locate, and notify all relatives who could serve as potential caretakers or to engage youth with family members to expand the youths' potential support networks.

Without timely investigations and thorough documentation, the department runs the risk of leaving youth in potentially unsafe circumstances or of not providing vital services that youth in its care require for their well-being, family connections, and successful transition into adulthood.

Respectfully submitted,

GRANT PARKS California State Auditor

Above report referred to the Committee on Human Services.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following message from the Governor was received and ordered printed in the Journal:

Signing Message—Assembly Bill No. 238

Governor's Office, Sacramento September 22, 2025

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am signing Assembly Bill 238, which requires mortgage servicers to provide up to 12 months of forbearance to borrowers experiencing financial hardship due to the January 2025 Los Angeles firestorm.

This bill is a welcome expansion of the forbearance agreements my Administration secured earlier this year with major national lenders, as well as over 400 state-chartered financial institutions, to offer mortgage relief to LA firestorm victims. In particular, this bill requires mortgage servicers to honor forbearance requests, subject to applicable conditions, and ensures that the same requirements apply even if a loan is transferred or sold to a new servicer or investor. Under this bill, if a loan is transferred or sold during the required forbearance period, the borrower remains entitled to forbearance, and any denial of forbearance following a sale or transfer must be consistent with the terms of this bill.

Sincerely,

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ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, September 22, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions	, the Chief Clerk has examined:
Assembly Bill No. 14	Assembly Bill No. 432
Assembly Bill No. 36	Assembly Bill No. 450
Assembly Bill No. 44	Assembly Bill No. 461
Assembly Bill No. 64	Assembly Bill No. 474
Assembly Bill No. 76	Assembly Bill No. 483
Assembly Bill No. 82	Assembly Bill No. 512
Assembly Bill No. 246	Assembly Bill No. 515
Assembly Bill No. 250	Assembly Bill No. 518
Assembly Bill No. 260	Assembly Bill No. 524
Assembly Bill No. 263	Assembly Bill No. 527
Assembly Bill No. 288	Assembly Bill No. 538
Assembly Bill No. 289	Assembly Bill No. 543
Assembly Bill No. 374	Assembly Bill No. 554
Assembly Bill No. 382	Assembly Bill No. 561

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the 22nd day of September, 2025, at 3 p.m.

Assembly Chamber, September 22, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to	your instructions,	the Chief	Clerk has	examined:
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Assembly Bill No. 563	Assembly Bill No. 827
Assembly Bill No. 573	Assembly Bill No. 843
Assembly Bill No. 606	Assembly Bill No. 845
Assembly Bill No. 621	Assembly Bill No. 898
Assembly Bill No. 640	Assembly Bill No. 935
Assembly Bill No. 648	Assembly Bill No. 992
Assembly Bill No. 656	Assembly Bill No. 1028
Assembly Bill No. 679	Assembly Bill No. 1037
Assembly Bill No. 682	Assembly Bill No. 1074
Assembly Bill No. 723	Assembly Bill No. 1094
Assembly Bill No. 727	Assembly Bill No. 1096
Assembly Bill No. 737	Assembly Bill No. 1104
Assembly Bill No. 742	Assembly Bill No. 1125
Assembly Bill No. 749	Assembly Bill No. 1167
Assembly Bill No. 752	Assembly Bill No. 1197
Assembly Bill No. 753	Assembly Bill No. 1224
Assembly Bill No. 786	Assembly Bill No. 1249
Assembly Bill No. 812	Assembly Bill No. 1250
Assembly Bill No. 818	Assembly Bill No. 1261

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the 22nd day of September, 2025, at 3 p.m.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Assembly Chamber, September 22, 2025

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

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Assembly Bill No. 1275	Assembly Bill No. 1501
Assembly Bill No. 1280	Assembly Bill No. 1502
Assembly Bill No. 1308	Assembly Bill No. 1503
Assembly Bill No. 1329	Assembly Bill No. 1504
Assembly Bill No. 1370	Assembly Bill No. 1511
Assembly Bill No. 1378	Assembly Bill No. 1513
Assembly Bill No. 1410	Assembly Bill No. 1514
Assembly Bill No. 1411	Assembly Bill No. 1520
Assembly Bill No. 1414	Assembly Bill No. 1521
Assembly Bill No. 1423	Assembly Bill No. 1525
Assembly Bill No. 1430	Assembly Bill No. 1531
Assembly Bill No. 1455	Assembly Bill No. 1532

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the 22nd day of September, 2025, at 3 p.m.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Assembly Chamber, September 22, 2025

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

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 13

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Secretary of State on the 22nd day of September, 2025, at 11:30 a.m.

Assembly Chamber, September 23, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 1	Assembly Bill No. 419
Assembly Bill No. 39	Assembly Bill No. 422
Assembly Bill No. 70	Assembly Bill No. 495
Assembly Bill No. 93	Assembly Bill No. 507
Assembly Bill No. 243	Assembly Bill No. 566
Assembly Bill No. 247	Assembly Bill No. 610
Assembly Bill No. 268	Assembly Bill No. 628
Assembly Bill No. 338	Assembly Bill No. 671
Assembly Bill No. 406	

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the 23rd day of September, 2025, at 4 p.m.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Assembly Chamber, September 23, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 632	Assembly Bill No. 798
Assembly Bill No. 650	Assembly Bill No. 851
Assembly Bill No. 678	Assembly Bill No. 858
Assembly Bill No. 692	Assembly Bill No. 961
Assembly Bill No. 709	Assembly Bill No. 1050
Assembly Bill No. 738	Assembly Bill No. 1056
Assembly Bill No. 740	Assembly Bill No. 1064
Assembly Bill No. 747	Assembly Bill No. 1069
Assembly Bill No. 766	Assembly Bill No. 1078
Assembly Bill No. 777	·

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the 23rd day of September, 2025, at 4 p.m.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Assembly Chamber, September 23, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined: Assembly Bill No. 1136 Assembly Bill No. 1362

Assembly Bill No. 1172 Assembly Bill No. 1445 Assembly Bill No. 1319 Assembly Bill No. 1466 Assembly Bill No. 1324 Assembly Bill No. 1487 Assembly Bill No. 1332 Assembly Bill No. 1527 Assembly Bill No. 1529 Assembly Bill No. 1336

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the 23rd day of September, 2025, at 4 p.m.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Assembly Chamber, September 23, 2025

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

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 102 Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 105

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 108

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 111 Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 113

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 114

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Secretary of State on the 23rd day of September, 2025, at 11 a.m.

Assembly Chamber, September 24, 2025

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to	your instructions,	the Chief Clerk	has examined:
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Assembly Bill No. 7	Assembly Bill No. 290
Assembly Bill No. 8	Assembly Bill No. 299
Assembly Bill No. 16	Assembly Bill No. 301
Assembly Bill No. 45	Assembly Bill No. 325
Assembly Bill No. 56	Assembly Bill No. 349
Assembly Bill No. 91	Assembly Bill No. 357
Assembly Bill No. 154	Assembly Bill No. 366
Assembly Bill No. 234	Assembly Bill No. 378
Assembly Bill No. 245	Assembly Bill No. 383
Assembly Bill No. 253	Assembly Bill No. 394
Assembly Bill No. 265	•

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor on the 24th day of September, 2025, at 3 p.m.

SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Assembly Chamber, September 24, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 400	Assembly Bill No. 562
Assembly Bill No. 445	Assembly Bill No. 572
Assembly Bill No. 451	Assembly Bill No. 587
Assembly Bill No. 460	Assembly Bill No. 607
Assembly Bill No. 462	Assembly Bill No. 630
Assembly Bill No. 468	Assembly Bill No. 653
Assembly Bill No. 476	Assembly Bill No. 670
Assembly Bill No. 478	Assembly Bill No. 695
Assembly Bill No. 484	Assembly Bill No. 699
Assembly Bill No. 486	Assembly Bill No. 715
Assembly Bill No. 531	

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SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Assembly Chamber, September 24, 2025 Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to your instructions, the Chief Clerk has examined:

Assembly Bill No. 1288
Assembly Bill No. 1293
Assembly Bill No. 1327
Assembly Bill No. 1356
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Assembly Bill No. 1400	Assembly Bill No. 1476
Assembly Bill No. 1417	Assembly Bill No. 1479
Assembly Bill No. 1418	Assembly Bill No. 1524

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Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to	your instructions,	the Chief Clerk has	examined:
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Assembly Bill No. 720	Assembly Bill No. 870
Assembly Bill No. 726	Assembly Bill No. 889
Assembly Bill No. 732	Assembly Bill No. 896
Assembly Bill No. 741	Assembly Bill No. 915
Assembly Bill No. 764	Assembly Bill No. 940
Assembly Bill No. 770	Assembly Bill No. 943
Assembly Bill No. 779	Assembly Bill No. 959
Assembly Bill No. 789	Assembly Bill No. 962
Assembly Bill No. 799	Assembly Bill No. 963
Assembly Bill No. 808	Assembly Bill No. 969
Assembly Bill No. 831	Assembly Bill No. 975
Assembly Bill No. 841	Assembly Bill No. 978
Assembly Bill No. 847	Assembly Bill No. 979
Assembly Bill No. 849	Assembly Bill No. 985
Assembly Bill No. 853	

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SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

Assembly Chamber, September 24, 2025

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

Assembly Bill No. 986	Assembly Bill No. 1084
Assembly Bill No. 1005	Assembly Bill No. 1089
Assembly Bill No. 1007	Assembly Bill No. 1098
Assembly Bill No. 1009	Assembly Bill No. 1108
Assembly Bill No. 1032	Assembly Bill No. 1127
Assembly Bill No. 1036	Assembly Bill No. 1143
Assembly Bill No. 1043	Assembly Bill No. 1152
Assembly Bill No. 1071	Assembly Bill No. 1178
Assembly Bill No. 1079	•

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SUE PARKER, Chief Clerk

ROBERT RIVAS, Speaker

DANIEL ALVAREZ, Assistant Minute Clerk

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