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ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

Friday, February 7, 1997 TWENTY-SECOND SESSION DAY SIXTY-EIGHTH 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.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

IN ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, Sacramento Friday, February 7, 1997

The Assembly met at 8:30 a.m.

Hon. Sheila James Kuehl, Speaker pro Tempore of the Assembly,

Chief Clerk E. Dotson Wilson at the Desk.

Assistant Clerk Brian Ebbert reading.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called.

Quorum Call of the Assembly

Assembly Member Kuykendall moved a quorum call of the Assembly.

Motion carried. Time, 8:31 a.m.

The Speaker pro Tempore directed the Sergeant at Arms to close the doors, and to bring in the absent Members.

Quorum Present

At 8:37 a.m., Speaker pro Tempore Kuehl declared a quorum of the Assembly present.

The roll call was completed, and the following answered to their names—61:

Ackerman	Frusetta	Martinez	Scott
Aguiar	Gallegos	Mazzoni	Takasugi
Alby	Goldsmith	McClintock	Thompson
Alquist	Granlund	Morrissey	Thomson
Baca	Havice	Morrow	Torlakson
Battin	Hertzberg	Murray	Villaraigosa
Baugh	Honda	Napolitano	Vincent
Bordonaro	House	Olberg	Washington
Bowen	Keeley	Oller	Wayne
Bowler	Knox	Ortiz	Wildman
Cardoza	Kuehl	Pacheco	Woods
Davis	Kuykendall	Papan	Wright
Ducheny	Leach	Perata	Mr. Speaker
Escutia	Leonard	Pringle	•
Figueroa	Machado	Richter	
Firestone	Margett	Runner	

PRAYER

Upon invitation of Speaker pro Tempore Kuehl, the following prayer was offered by Rev. Constatine C. Pappademos, Pastor of Saint Katherine Greek Orthodox Church:

O Lord, You see the necessities of all Your creatures, bless our work and our endeavors. Give us this day our daily bread; and if it is Your good pleasure to entrust us with plenty, give us a compassionate heart, that we may share in turn with those in need. Let neither poverty nor riches estrange our heart from You, but assist us with Your grace to live in Your favor.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Upon request of Speaker pro Tempore Kuehl, Assembly Member Kuykendall then led the Assembly in the pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH READING OF THE JOURNAL.

Further reading of the Journal of the previous legislative day was dispensed with on motion of Assembly Member Baca, seconded by Assembly Member Alquist.

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 Aroner, Ashburn, Baldwin, Brewer, Caldera, Campbell, Cunneen, Floyd, Kaloogian, Lempert, Miller, Poochigian, Prenter, Shelley, and Strom-Martin.

On legislative business, and waiving per diem: Assembly Members Cardenas and Sweeney.

On personal business, and waiving per diem: Assembly member Brown.

To attend a funeral in her district: Assembly Member Migden.

EXPLANATIONS OF ABSENCE

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

January 27, 1997

The Honorable Cruz M. Bustamante Speaker of the Assembly State Capitol Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Bustamante: I respectfully request to be excused from session on Friday, February 7, 1997.

Because I did not realize Monday, February 10, would be a legislative holiday, I scheduled a major district forum on "Welfare Reform and Child Care" for 9 a.m. on February 7. This forum is one in a series I have been holding in my district, designed to deepen my knowledge of welfare reform issues by drawing on the considerable expertise available from academic institutions, think tanks, and the service provider community in the Bay Area. I expect 75–100 individuals to attend this particular forum, many of whom carved out the time from very busy schedules. My staff explored changing the date, but learned we would lose many of the most essential participants.

I understand and share your concern regarding absences from floor session, and would not request an excuse if this were not such an important event in my district.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

Dion S. Aroner, Assembly Member Fourteenth District

February 3, 1997

The Honorable Cruz Bustamante Speaker of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 219 Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Bustamante: I respectfully request that I be excused from Session on Friday, February 7, 1997, due to important legislative business in my district.

Thank you for considering this request.

Sincerely,

ROY ASHBURN, Assembly Member Thirty-second District

February 3, 1997

The Honorable Cruz Bustamante Speaker of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 219 Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Bustamante: I am respectfully requesting to be excused on February 7, 1997, due to legislative business in my district office.

Sincerely,

MARILYN C. BREWER, Assembly Member Seventieth District

January 23, 1997

The Honorable Cruz Bustamante Speaker of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 219 Sacramento, California

Dear Mr. Speaker: I respectfully request to be excused from session on February 7, 1997 due to legislative business in my district. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

BILL CAMPBELL, Assembly Member Seventy-first District

February 4, 1997

The Honorable Cruz M. Bustamante State Capitol, Room 219 Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker, I am requesting permission to be excused from session this Friday, February 7, 1997, as I need to be in my district to conduct legislative business. I would like to waive my per diem for that day.

Thank you, in advance, for your assistance.

Sincerely,

TONY CARDENAS, Assembly Member Thirty-ninth District

February 6, 1997

The Honorable Cruz Bustamante Speaker of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 219 Sacramento, California

Dear Mr. Speaker: I respectfully request to be excused from floor session on Friday, February 7, due to legislative business in my district.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

JIM CUNNEEN, Assembly Member Twenty-fourth District

January 27, 1997

The Honorable Cruz Bustamante Speaker of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 219 Sacramento, California

Dear Mr. Speaker: Please excuse my absence on February 7th. I will be away on legislative business attending a CNP conference, and will not be able to attend Session.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact either myself, or Darci King.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

HOWARD KALOOGIAN, Assembly Member Seventy-fourth District

January 30, 1997

The Honorable Cruz M. Bustamante Speaker, California State Assembly Room 219, State Capitol Sacramento. California

Dear Mr. Speaker: This letter is to request that I be excused from Session on February 7th for legislative business in my District.

The San Mateo County Community College Board of Trustees has scheduled a meeting with me regarding higher education policy on Friday morning. You should be aware this is a public hearing where the Board has had to comply with the Brown Act.

Also, later that morning, I am attending a tour of major Silicon Valley electronics companies at the request of the American Electronics Association.

Sincerely,

TED LEMPERT, Assembly Member Twenty-first District

February 6, 1997

The Honorable Cruz Bustamante Speaker of the Assembly Room 219, State Capitol Sacramento, California

Dear Mr. Speaker: This is to request that I be excused from session on Friday, February 7, 1997. I will be in my district on legislative business. Thank you for your immediate attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

GARY G. MILLER, Assembly Member Sixtieth District

February 4, 1997

The Honorable Cruz M. Bustamante Speaker of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 219 Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Bustamante: I respectfully request permission to be excused from Session on Friday, February 7, due to legislative business in my district. I will be meeting with constituents, visiting with administrators of a developmental center, and attending an agricultural industry event.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. If you have any questions, please contact Michael Villines of my office.

Sincerely,

CHARLES S. POOCHIGIAN, Assembly Member Twenty-ninth District

February 4, 1997

Speaker Cruz Bustamante State Capitol, Room 219 Sacramento, California

Dear Cruz: I will be unable to attend session on Friday, February 7, 1997 due to pressing legislative business in the district (related to flooding). Please excuse this absence.

If you have any questions please contact me at 445-7558.

Sincerely,

ROBERT PRENTER, Assembly Member Thirtieth District

February 4, 1997

The Honorable Cruz Bustamante Speaker of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 219 Sacramento, California

Dear Cruz: I respectfully request that I be excused from Session on Friday, February7, 1997, due to legislative business in my district. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

KEVIN SHELLEY, Assembly Member Twelfth District

February 3, 1997

The Honorable Cruz Bustamante Assembly Speakers Office State Capitol Sacramento, California

Dear Speaker Bustamante: Please excuse me from the Friday, February 7, 1997 Assembly Session for legislative business. I will be in Humboldt County touring flood sites. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

VIRGINIA STROM-MARTIN, Assembly Member First District

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February 5, 1997

The Honorable Cruz Bustamante Speaker of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 219 Sacramento, California

Dear Mr. Speaker: Please excuse me from Legislative Session Friday, February 7, 1997, due to legislative business in my district. I waive my per diem for Friday.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL SWEENEY, Assembly Member Eighteenth District

(NOTE: For letters explaining the absences of Assembly Members Baldwin, Caldera, and Floyd on this day on legislative business pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see Assembly Daily Journal for Thursday, February 6, 1997.)

COMMUNICATIONS

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

February 6, 1997

E. Dotson Wilson

Chief Clerk of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 3196 Sacramento, California

Dear Dotson: This is to advise you that I am establishing the Special Committee on Welfare Reform. I am appointing Denise Ducheny and Dion Aroner as Co-Chairs.

The following members are also appointed to the Committee:

Roy Ashburn, Tom Bordonaro, Valerie Brown, Bill Campbell, Carole Migden, Antonio Villaraigosa, and Roderick Wright.

The Senate has created a similar committee and has appointed the following members:

Mike Thompson, Co-Chair, Diane Watson, Co-Chair, Jim Brulte, Pat Johnston, Barbara Lee, Ken Maddy, Hilda Solis, John Vasconcellos and Cathie Wright.

Thank you for the attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

CRUZ M. BUSTAMANTE Speaker of the Assembly

February 7, 1997

E. Dotson Wilson

Chief Clerk of the Assembly State Capitol, Room 3196 Sacramento, California

Dear Dotson: This is to advise you that I am establishing the following select committees and appointing the following Assemblymembers as Chairs.

Select Committee on Professional Sports, Don Perata, Chair Select Committee on California's Women, Sheila Kuehl, Chair Select Committee on the California Horse Racing Industry, Edward Vincent, Chair

Select Committee on California-Mexico Affairs, Denise Moreno Ducheny, Chair

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

CRUZ M. BUSTAMANTE Speaker of the Assembly

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES Committee on Rules

Date of Hearing: February 7, 1997

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules reports: Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6 With the recommendation: Be adopted.

PERATA, Chairman

Above resolution ordered on file.

REFERENCE OF BILLS TO COMMITTEE

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following bills were referred to Committee:

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SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Assembly Member Wayne was joined by the Members of the Assembly in extending congratulations to Dr. Doris Alvarez, Principal of Hoover High School in San Diego, who was named MetLife/NASSP (National Association of Secondary School Principals) National Principal of the Year.

ADJOURN IN MEMORY

Moment of Silence Observed

Assembly Members Machado and Bowler were granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of firefighters Bryan Jacob Golden and Brett Alan Laws, of the Stockton Fire Department, and that the Assembly observe a moment of silence in their honor.

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Assembly Member Washington was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of LAPD Officer Van Johnson, of Cerritos, and that the Assembly observe a moment of silence in his honor.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Assembly Member Battin was joined by the Members of the Assembly in extending best wishes to former President Ronald Reagan on the occasion of his 86th birthday.

The Members of the Assembly joined in extending best wishes to Assembly Members Figueroa, Kuehl, and Knox on the occasion of their birthdays.

ADJOURN IN MEMORY

Assembly Member Wildman was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Mary Jane Kidd, of Glendale.

Assembly Member Leach was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Allan Nelson, of Sacramento, and Jack Kaldem, of Danville.

Assembly Member Havice was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Margarito Cabrera, of Hawaiian Gardens.

Speaker Bustamante was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Willis "Bill" Snow, former Secretary of the Senate for the State of Michigan (1987–94) and former President of the American Society of Legislative Clerks and Secretaries (1993–94).

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9 TAKEN UP BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT

Assembly Member Murray was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9, without reference to committee or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

Resolution read.

Members Made Coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9

Assembly Member Murray was granted unanimous consent to open the roll for the purpose of permitting Members to add as coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9.

Roll Call

The following Assembly Members indicated a desire to become coauthors:

Ackerman, Aguiar, Alquist, Baca, Battin, Bordonaro, Bustamante, Cardoza, Davis, Ducheny, Escutia, Figueroa, Firestone, Frusetta, Gallegos, Goldsmith, Granlund, Havice, Hertzberg, Honda, House, Keeley, Kuehl, Leonard, Machado, Margett, Martinez, Mazzoni, Napolitano, Olberg, Oller, Pacheco, Papan, Perata, Pringle, Richter, Runner, Scott, Takasugi, Thomson, Torlakson, Villaraigosa, Wayne, and Woods.

Request for Unanimous Consent

Assembly Member Murray was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9, as amended, without reference to print or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

Consideration of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 9, as Amended ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9—Relative to Black History Month.

Resolution read, as amended, and adopted.

Resolution ordered printed, and transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11 TAKEN UP BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT

Assembly Member Honda was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11, without reference to committee or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

 ${\bf ASSEMBLY\ CONCURRENT\ RESOLUTION\ NO.\ 11} - {\bf Relative\ to\ Vietnamese\ Community\ Week}.$

Resolution read.

Motion to Amend

Assembly Member Honda moved the adoption of amendments. Amendments read and adopted; resolution ordered reprinted.

Members Made Coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11

Assembly Member Honda was granted unanimous consent to open the roll for the purpose of permitting Members to add as coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11.

Roll Call

The following Assembly Members indicated a desire to become coauthors:

Ackerman, Aguiar, Alquist, Baca, Battin, Baugh, Bordonaro, Bustamante, Cardoza, Davis, Ducheny, Figueroa, Firestone, Frusetta, Gallegos, Goldsmith, Granlund, Havice, Hertzberg, House, Keeley, Knox, Kuehl, Kuykendall, Leonard, Machado, Margett, Martinez, Mazzoni, Morrissey, Morrow, Murray, Napolitano, Olberg, Oller, Papan, Perata, Pringle, Runner, Scott, Takasugi, Thomson, Torlakson, Villaraigosa, Vincent, Washington, Wayne, Wildman, Woods, and Wright.

Request for Unanimous Consent

Assembly Member Honda was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11, as amended, without reference to file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

Consideration of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11, as Amended ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11—Relative to Vietnamese Community Week.

Resolution read, as amended, and adopted.

Resolution ordered printed, and transmitted to the Senate immediately.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6 TAKEN UP BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT

Assembly Member Torlakson was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6, without reference to committee or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

Resolution read.

Members Made Coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6

Assembly Member Torlakson was granted unanimous consent to open the roll to permit Members to add as coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6.

Roll Call

The following Assembly Members indicated a desire to become coauthors:

Ackerman, Aguiar, Alby, Alquist, Baca, Bordonaro, Bowen, Bustamante, Cardoza, Davis, Ducheny, Escutia, Figueroa, Firestone, Frusetta, Gallegos, Goldsmith, Granlund, Havice, Hertzberg, Honda, House, Keeley, Knox, Kuehl, Kuykendall, Leach, Machado, Margett, Martinez, Morrissey, Morrow, Napolitano, Olberg, Ortiz, Pacheco, Papan, Perata, Pringle, Runner, Scott, Takasugi, Thomson, Villaraigosa, Vincent, Washington, Wayne, Wildman, Woods, and Wright.

Request for Unanimous Consent

Assembly Member Torlakson was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6, as amended, without reference to print or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

Consideration of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6, as Amended ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—Relative to Parent-Teacher Involvement and Responsibility Week.

Resolution read, as amended, and adopted.

Resolution ordered printed, and transmitted to the Senate.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10 TAKEN UP BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT

Assembly Member Ortiz was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10, without reference to committee or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—Relative to the California Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Capitol Park.

Resolution read, and presented by Assembly Member Ortiz.

Members Made Coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10

Assembly Member Ortiz was granted unanimous consent to open the roll for the purpose of permitting Members to add as coauthors of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10.

Roll Call

The following Assembly Members indicated a desire to become coauthors:

Ackerman, Aguiar, Alby, Alquist, Baca, Battin, Baugh, Bordonaro, Bowen, Bustamante, Cardoza, Ducheny, Escutia, Figueroa, Firestone, Frusetta, Gallegos, Goldsmith, Granlund, Havice, Hertzberg, House, Keeley, Knox, Kuehl, Kuykendall, Leach, Leonard, Machado, Margett, Martinez, Mazzoni, McClintock, Morrissey, Morrow, Murray, Napolitano, Olberg, Oller, Pacheco, Papan, Perata, Pringle, Runner, Scott, Takasugi, Thompson, Thomson, Torlakson, Villaraigosa, Vincent, Washington, Wayne, Wildman, Woods, and Wright.

Request for Unanimous Consent

Assembly Member Ortiz was granted unanimous consent to take up Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10, as amended, without reference to print or file, and that the same be considered engrossed.

Consideration of Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 10, as Amended ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10—Relative to the California Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Capitol Park.

Resolution read, as amended, and adopted.

Resolution ordered printed, and transmitted to the Senate.

CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6 (Lockyer)—Relative to the California State Parent Teacher Association.

Resolution read, and presented by Assembly Member Bustamante.

Members Made Coauthors of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6

Assembly Member Bustamante was granted unanimous consent to open the roll to permit Members to add as coauthors of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6.

Roll Call

The following Assembly Members indicated a desire to become coauthors:

Ackerman, Aguiar, Alby, Alquist, Baca, Baugh, Bordonaro, Bowen, Bustamante, Cardoza, Davis, Ducheny, Escutia, Figueroa, Firestone, Frusetta, Gallegos, Goldsmith, Granlund, Havice, Hertzberg, Honda, House, Keeley, Knox, Kuehl, Kuykendall, Leach, Machado, Margett, Martinez, Mazzoni, Morrissey, Murray, Napolitano, Pacheco, Papan, Perata, Pringle, Scott, Takasugi, Thomson, Torlakson, Villaraigosa, Vincent, Washington, Wayne, Wildman, Woods, and Wright.

Request for Unanimous Consent

Assembly Member Bustamante was granted unanimous consent to take up Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6, as amended, without reference to print or file.

Consideration of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6, as Amended SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6—Relative to the California State Parent Teacher Association.

Resolution read, as amended, and adopted.

Resolution ordered printed, and transmitted to the Senate.

SESSION SCHEDULE AND OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Speaker pro Tempore Kuehl announced the following session schedule:

Tuesday, February 11, Floor Session, at 12 noon;

Wednesday, February 12, Check-in Session, 7 a.m.–3 p.m.;

Thursday, February 13, Check-in Session, 7 a.m.–3 p.m.;

Friday, February 14, Floor Session, time to be announced.

ADJOURN IN MEMORY

On behalf of Assembly Member Brown, Assembly Member Scott was granted unanimous consent that when the Assembly adjourns on this day it do so out of respect to the memory of Irene Jaunes, of Santa Rosa.

CAUCUS ANNOUNCEMENTS

Assembly Member Torlakson announced that the Local Government Caucus would meet on Wednesday, February 12, 1997, from 8:30–10 a.m., in Room 126.

MOTION TO ADJOURN

At 9:05 a.m., Assembly Member House moved that the Assembly do now adjourn.

Assembly Member Havice seconded the motion.

Motion carried.

VOTE ADDS

The following Assembly Member was granted unanimous consent to record his vote on the following item:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6: Honda—Ave.

QUORUM CALL OF THE ASSEMBLY DISPENSED WITH

At 9:06 a.m., Speaker pro Tempore Kuehl declared the quorum call of the Assembly dispensed with.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

The following bills were introduced and read the first time:

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 240—Takasugi. An act to amend Section 69.5 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 241—Lempert. An act to add Chapter 9 (commencing with Section 1850) to Division 2 of the Fish and Game Code, relating to wildlife habitat.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 242—Honda and Machado. An act to amend Section 15301 of the Government Code, relating to homeless shelters, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 243—Honda. An act to amend Section 13823.15 of the Penal Code, relating to domestic violence.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution was offered:

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12—Cunneen, Alquist, Honda, Keeley, and Lempert, (Senators McPherson, Sher, and Vasconcellos, coauthors). Relative to State Highway Route 85.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

Utilities and Commerce on Wednesday, February 12, 1997 at 1:30 p.m. in Room 447:

Public Safety on Wednesday, February 12, 1997 in Room 444; Special Committee on Welfare Reform on Thursday, February 13, 1997; and

Governmental Organization on Monday, March 3, 1997 at 1:30 p.m. in Room 4202 and Wednesday, March 5, 1997 at 9 a.m.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Senate Chamber, February 7, 1997

Mr. Speaker: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11

GREG P. SCHMIDT, Secretary of the Senate By John W. Rovane, Assistant Secretary

Above resolution ordered enrolled.

Senate Chamber, February 7, 1997

Mr. Speaker: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly amendments to:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6

GREG P. SCHMIDT, Secretary of the Senate By John W. Rovane, Assistant Secretary

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Speaker pro Tempore Kuehl introduced Demetrius Varkados, of Portland, Oregon, who is the father-in-law of Assembly Chaplain Rev. Constantine C. Pappademos.

Assembly Member Figueroa, of the 20th Assembly District, introduced students from Amador Valley High School, in Pleasanton and Irvington High School, in Fremont, who are in the Capitol today for the "We the People . . . the Citizen and the Constitution" competition.

ADJOURNMENT

At 3 p.m., pursuant to the motion by Assembly Member House the Assembly adjourned until 12 noon, Tuesday, February 11, 1997, out of respect to the memory of Bryan Jacob Golden and Brett Alan Laws, on motion of Assembly Members Machado and Bowler; out of respect to the memory of Mary Jane Kidd, on motion of Assembly Member Wildman; out of respect to the memory of Allan Nelson and Jack Kaldem, on motion of Assembly Member Leach; out of respect to the memory of Officer Van Johnson, on motion of Assembly Member Washington; out of respect to the memory of Margarito Cabrera, on motion of Assembly Member Havice; out of respect to the memory of Irene Jaunes, on motion of Assembly Member Scott, on behalf of Assembly Member Brown; and out of respect to the memory of Willis "Bill" Snow, on motion of Speaker Bustamante.

CRUZ M. BUSTAMANTE, Speaker

PAM CAVILEER, Minute Clerk

AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE ASSEMBLY ON FEBRUARY 7, 1997

The following measure was amended in the Assembly on this day:

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