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Wednesday, August 27, 1997

**ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-SEVENTH SESSION DAY
TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-NINTH 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
Wednesday, August 27, 1997

The Assembly met at 7 a.m.

Hon. Elaine Alquist, Assembly Member, 22nd 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—76:

Ackerman	Ducheny	Lempert	Pringle
Aguiar	Escutia	Leonard	Richter
Alby	Figueroa	Machado	Runner
Alquist	Firestone	Margett	Scott
Aroner	Floyd	Martinez	Shelley
Ashburn	Frusetta	Mazzoni	Strom-Martin
Baca	Gallegos	McClintock	Sweeney
Baldwin	Goldsmith	Migden	Takasugi
Battin	Granlund	Miller	Thompson
Baugh	Havice	Morrissey	Thomson
Bordonaro	Hertzberg	Morrow	Torlakson
Bowen	Honda	Murray	Villaraigosa
Bowler	House	Napolitano	Vincent
Brewer	Kaloogian	Olberg	Washington
Brown	Keeley	Oller	Wayne
Campbell	Knox	Ortiz	Wildman
Cardenas	Kuehl	Pacheco	Woods
Cardoza	Kuykendall	Papan	Wright
Davis	Leach	Poochigian	Mr. Speaker

Quorum present.

At 2:20 p.m., Hon. Brett Granlund, 65th 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 Caldera and Cunneen.

Because of illness in their families: Assembly Members Perata and Prenter.

EXPLANATIONS OF ABSENCE

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

August 27, 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 Check-in Session today, August 27, due to legislative business in my district.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

JIM CUNNEEN, Assembly Member
Twenty-fourth District

(NOTE: For letter explaining the absence of Assembly Member Caldera on this day on legislative business pursuant to the Assembly Rules, see Assembly Daily Journal for Tuesday, August 26, 1997.)

COMMUNICATIONS

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

August 27, 1997

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

Dear Dotson: Please be advised that I am appointing Assemblymember Liz Figueroa to the Assembly Appropriations Committee to replace Assemblymember Don Perata for today, August 27, 1997, only.

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

CRUZ M. BUSTAMANTE
Speaker of the Assembly

August 27, 1997

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

Dear Dotson: Please be advised that I am appointing Assemblymember George Runner to the Assembly Appropriations Committee to replace Assemblymember Bruce Thompson for today, August 27, 1997, only.

Thank you for your attention to this request.

Sincerely,

CRUZ M. BUSTAMANTE
Speaker of the Assembly

The following communication was presented by the Chief Clerk, and ordered printed in the Journal:

August 26, 1997

E. Dotson Wilson

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

Dear Mr. Wilson: I am forwarding a copy of the newly revised Assembly "Policy Against Sexual Harassment" for you to chronicle. This policy was adopted in Assembly Rules Committee on July 28, 1997, and shall take effect immediately.

Sincerely,

DON PERATA, Chair
Assembly Rules Committee

POLICY AGAINST SEXUAL HARASSMENT

It is the policy of the California State Assembly that sexual harassment in the workplace is prohibited. This policy is intended to prevent sexual harassment of Assembly employees. The Assembly will take all reasonable steps to prevent harassment from occurring, and will take prompt and appropriate action when it knows that sexual harassment has occurred.

Sexual harassment in the workplace is also prohibited by state and federal law. Under the California Fair Employment and Housing Act, sexual harassment is in violation of the law if the harassment is sufficiently severe or pervasive as to alter the conditions of employment and create an abusive working environment, or if submission to conduct of a sexual nature is made either explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of employment. Sexual harassment is prohibited in similar circumstances under federal law by Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

The sexual harassment policy of the Assembly imposes a stricter standard of conduct than that in state and federal law. It is a "zero tolerance" standard, prohibiting sexual harassment (defined below) even though the conduct may not be sufficiently severe or pervasive to constitute sexual harassment in violation of law.

This policy does not create a contract. The Rules Committee may, in its discretion, discipline employees for conduct or follow procedures not described in this policy.

A summary of this policy shall be posted in every office and placed in the employee handbook. A copy of the policy shall be given to every employee upon employment, at the beginning of every session, and whenever the policy is revised.

WHAT IS SEXUAL HARASSMENT?

For purposes of this policy, sexual harassment includes unwanted sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other visual, verbal, or physical conduct of a sexual nature when: (1) submission to the conduct is made either an explicit or implicit term or condition of employment; (2) submission to or rejection of the conduct is used as the basis for an employment decision; or (3) the conduct has the purpose or effect of unreasonably interfering with an individual's

work performance or creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive work environment.

Conduct which violates this policy may take many forms and includes, but is not limited to, slurs, jokes, statements, gestures, pictures, or cartoons. Examples of conduct which may violate this policy also include requests for sexual favors, conversation containing sexual comments which would be offensive to a reasonable person of the same sex as the complainant, and unwelcome sexual advances. Specific examples of conduct which may be found to violate this policy are:

1. Offering employment benefits in exchange for sexual favors.
2. Making or threatening reprisals after a negative response to sexual advances.
3. Verbal sexual advances or propositions; or pressuring or persistently asking an employee for dates.
4. Visual conduct: leering, sexual gestures, display of sexually suggestive objects or pictures, cartoons, calendars or posters.
5. Verbal conduct: sexually degrading or derogatory comments, epithets, slurs or jokes regarding a person's sex or physical appearance; constantly questioning someone about his or her personal life and speculating about his or her sex life.
6. Written conduct: suggestive or obscene letters, notes, electronic mail messages, or invitations.
7. Physical conduct: unwelcome touching, assault, or impending or blocking normal movement.
8. Other unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature which is unbecoming of an Assembly official or employee and which creates an intimidating, hostile or offensive work environment.

Harassment may involve outside vendors, lobbyists, or visitors. If the harassment is by a person who is not employed by the Assembly, it should nevertheless be reported to one of the people listed below.

Not all conduct which an employee may find offensive will necessarily violate this policy. For example, an ordinary social invitation to an employee, made under circumstances and in a manner that would not intimidate or offend a reasonable person of the same sex under the same or similar circumstances, is not sexual harassment, even though the particular employee may find the conduct objectionable.

Until July 28, 2000, the Rules Committee will investigate only those complaints of sexual harassment which have been reported to it within three years of the alleged harassment. After July 28, 2000, Rules Committee will investigate all complaints of sexual harassment reported to it within one year of the harassment. Rules Committee will promptly investigate these claims and, if necessary, appropriate corrective action will be taken. The investigation will take into consideration the totality of the circumstances as alleged, including

the nature of the conduct, the severity or frequency of the conduct, the total number of days over which all of the conduct occurred, and the context in which the conduct occurred.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU BELIEVE YOU HAVE BEEN SEXUALLY HARASSED

If you have been subjected to conduct of a sexual nature that is not welcome, you may choose to speak directly with the person responsible for the conduct. This could be a quick and effective way to bring the offensive conduct to a halt.

If you believe you are being sexually harassed or have been exposed to a sexually hostile work environment, you should bring the problem to the attention of one of the following people: your supervisor, the Member of the Assembly in whose office you work, the Compliance Officer, the Chief Administrative Officer, or any Member of the Rules Committee. If you receive a sexual harassment complaint or observe conduct in the workplace which you believe violates this policy, you should notify one of these same people. Complaints of sexual harassment should be reported as soon as possible after the incident or incidents have occurred. **You are not required to notify your supervisor first, especially if your supervisor is the individual whom you believe is doing the harassing.**

INTERNAL COMPLAINT POLICY AND PROCEDURES AVAILABLE TO ALL ASSEMBLY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES

Until July 28, 2000, the Rules Committee will investigate only those complaints of sexual harassment which have been reported to it within three years of the alleged harassment. After July 28, 2000, Rules Committee will investigate all complaints of sexual harassment reported to it within one year of the harassment. The Rules Committee will promptly investigate these claims and, if necessary, appropriate corrective action will be taken. The complainant and the accused will be interviewed. Other employees and witnesses may also be interviewed if circumstances warrant.

In most cases, the Rules Committee will attempt to resolve the problem informally. If informal resolution is not feasible or appropriate, a formal investigation, with specific findings, may be made. If the complaint is found to have merit, disciplinary action may be recommended.

The Rules Committee will strive to limit disclosure of any complaint to those directly concerned, consistent with its duty of fairness to the people involved and its duty to prevent harassment from occurring in the future. However, complete confidentiality cannot be guaranteed.

In determining whether or not particular conduct violates this policy, the Rules Committee will take into account such factors as the severity, duration, nature of the conduct, and the totality of the circumstances in each case. In addition, the Assembly prohibits retaliation against any employee for making a complaint or cooperating in an investigation. As set forth below, retaliation is a separate violation of this policy and the law.

I. INFORMAL RESOLUTION

A. Informal Resolution by a Supervisor

If a complaint of harassment is initially brought to the attention of a supervisor, the supervisor may attempt to resolve the problem

informally within 10 working days, or may immediately refer the matter to the Compliance Officer. If the supervisor attempts to resolve the problem and either the complainant or the accused rejects the proposed resolution, the supervisor shall report both the complaint and the proposed resolution promptly to the Compliance Officer. If the supervisor successfully resolves the problem, both the complaint and its resolution shall be reported promptly to the Rules Committee personnel.

B. Informal Resolution by the Rules Committee

Any unresolved complaint of harassment brought to the attention of the Rules Committee shall be investigated and, where appropriate, effective corrective action shall be taken. The Rules Committee in its sole discretion may attempt to resolve the complaint through informal procedures, and will complete these procedures within 10 working days whenever possible.

The Compliance Officer, or other person designated by the Rules Committee, will interview the complainant, the accused, and other individuals as appropriate, and may review other evidence. The Committee will strive to keep the investigation confidential to the extent possible. In the event that informal resolution is unsuccessful, either the complainant or the accused may request that the matter be handled through the formal procedure outlined below. At any time the Chief Administrative Officer or Compliance Officer may decide that the matter is to be handled through the formal procedure.

II. FORMAL RESOLUTION

The Rules Committee will conduct a formal investigation under the following guidelines:

A. Interviews and Information Gathering

1. If the informal resolution procedure has not resolved the complaint an outside investigator will review all reasonably available evidence and will interview the complainant, the accused, and other individuals with information on the matter, as appropriate.

2. The investigator will attempt to complete the investigation within 30 calendar days. The Rules Committee in its sole discretion may extend the time for completion of the investigation.

3. The Committee will strive to keep the investigation confidential to the extent possible.

4. The matter may be resolved informally at any time during the formal procedure.

B. Findings and Recommendations

At the conclusion of the investigation, the investigator shall prepare a written report of findings of fact, and shall file the report with the Chief Administrative Officer.

1. If the Chief Administrative Officer determines that the facts found by the investigator do not constitute a violation of this policy, the investigation is complete.

2. If the Chief Administrative Officer determines that the facts found by the investigator constitute a violation of this policy, the Chief Administrative Officer shall promptly notify the Chair and Vice-Chair of the Rules Committee of the determination that a violation of this policy has occurred. If an employee has violated the

policy, the Chief Administrative Officer shall also notify the Chair and Vice-Chair of any corrective action that the Chief Administrative Officer proposes to take, and any discipline that the Chief Administrative Officer proposes to impose pursuant to Part IV. If a Member has violated the policy, the Chief Administrative Officer shall report to the Chair and Vice Chair pursuant to Part V.

Both parties shall be informed in writing of the outcome of the investigation immediately.

III. RIGHTS OF APPEAL OF AN EMPLOYEE

The decision of the Chief Administrative Officer shall be final. However, a party may appeal this decision to the Chair and Vice-Chair of the Rules Committee by filing written objections with the Chief Administrative Officers within 10 working days of receipt of notification of the decision. If the Chair and Vice-Chair both determine that the accused or the complainant has been denied a fair evaluation of the complaint, the Chair and Vice-Chair shall direct the Chief Administrative Officer to take remedial action.

IV. DISCIPLINE AGAINST AN EMPLOYEE

The Chief Administrative Officer shall take appropriate corrective action, and shall also impose appropriate discipline on an employee which may include, but is not limited to, reprimand, suspension without pay, reduction in pay, demotion, or termination. In addition, an employee may be required to participate in additional training or individual counseling about sexual harassment and the responsibilities of personnel to maintain a working environment free from harassment.

The Chief Administrative Officer shall impose discipline upon an employee found to have violated this policy within five working days after the expiration of the appeals period.

V. SANCTIONS AGAINST A MEMBER

Upon receipt of a report by the Chief Administrative Officer that a Member has violated this policy, the Chair and Vice-Chair of the Rules Committee shall consult with the Speaker and Minority Floor Leader to determine what further action shall be taken. If appropriate, they may bring the matter before the Rules Committee in closed session. The Committee may decide on informal action, or it may vote to present a resolution to the floor of the Assembly for the formal discipline of a Member. Formal discipline may include reprimand, censure, or expulsion. In addition, a Member may be required to participate in additional training or individual counseling about sexual harassment and the responsibilities of supervisory personnel to maintain a working environment free from harassment.

VI. NOTICES AND RECORD-KEEPING IN ALL CASES

A. Notice of Action Taken

The Rules Committee shall promptly inform the complainant and the accused of the outcome of its investigation under this policy, including any corrective actions taken as a result of the complaint and investigation. The Rules Committee will limit the information

conveyed in order to protect the reasonable expectations of privacy of the parties and witnesses.

B. Written Records to be Maintained

The Rules Committee shall keep written records of any supervisor's reports, informal or formal Rules Committee investigations, and any recommendations for discipline, corrective action, or sanctions made pursuant to this policy.

VII. STATE AND FEDERAL COMPLAINTS

In addition to or in lieu of filing a complaint with the Assembly under this policy, a person who believes that he or she has been subjected to sexual harassment in violation of law may file a complaint with the California Department of Fair Employment and Housing (DFEH) or the Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC). A complaint with the DFEH must be filed within one year of the harassment. A complaint with the EEOC must be filed within 300 days of the harassment.

EEOC (800) 669-4000

TDD (415) 744-7392

DFEH (800) 884-1684

TDD (213) 897-2840 L.A.

TDD (916) 324-1678 SAC.

No Assembly supervisor or Rules Committee investigator may attempt to dissuade any person from filing a complaint with the DFEH or the EEOC. To the contrary, an employee who is not satisfied with the internal complaint procedure outlined in this policy may pursue his or her claim with these outside agencies.

VIII. PERSONAL LIABILITY

A Member of the Assembly who is found liable by a court of law for acts or omissions constituting sexual harassment, as defined by law, may be personally liable to the plaintiff for the total judgment and for the costs of the Member's defense (see Sec. 815.3, Gov. C.).

Any employee of the Assembly who is found liable by a court of law for acts constituting sexual harassment, as defined by law, may be personally liable to the plaintiff for money damages awarded because of those acts.

IX. RETALIATION IS PROHIBITED

Retaliation for reporting sexual harassment, filing a complaint, or providing information or assisting in the investigation of any complaint of sexual harassment is prohibited by this policy and by law. Retaliation in any form is prohibited. Examples of retaliation include, but are not limited to, verbal abuse, reduction in pay, termination, refusal to hire, or any other adverse employment actions which are intended to have a detrimental effect on an employee and are substantially influenced by improper retaliatory motives.

Retaliatory conduct is a separate violation of this policy and state and federal laws and is subject to the same procedures for investigation, discipline and sanctions that are applicable to sexual harassment.

X. SELECTION OF COMPLIANCE OFFICER AND OUTSIDE INVESTIGATOR

The Chief Administrative Officer shall make the selection of a Compliance Officer and an outside investigator from a list of candidates previously approved by the Chair and Vice-Chair of the Assembly Rules Committee.

XI. NO EFFECT ON EMPLOYMENT RELATIONSHIP OR LEGAL REMEDIES

Nothing in this policy shall alter the at-will employment relationship between the employee and the Assembly as set forth in the Personnel Policy Manual for Assembly Employees.

Nothing in this policy shall create any new cause of action or waive, extend, or otherwise alter any applicable statute of limitations in state or federal law.

Policy Adopted February 1993; revised July 1995; revised July 1997.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolution was offered:

ASSEMBLY JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 37—Ortiz and Perata (Senator Polanco, coauthor). Relative to ovarian cancer research.

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, August 27, 1997

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

Assembly Bill No. 307

Assembly Bill No. 1310

Assembly Bill No. 400

Assembly Bill No. 1564

And reports the same correctly enrolled, and presented to the Governor at 10:45 a.m., August 27, 1997.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Assembly Chamber, August 27, 1997

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

Assembly Bill No. 933

Assembly Bill No. 1229

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above bills re-referred to committee.

AUTHOR'S AMENDMENTS
Committee on Agriculture

August 27, 1997

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Agriculture reports:

Senate Bill No. 1161

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

CARDOZA, Chairman

SENATE BILL NO. 1161—An act to amend Sections 12021, 12103, 12104, 12112, 12201, 12252, 12784, 12843, 12845, 12846, 12931, 12991, 12994, and 14152, and the heading of Chapter 7 (commencing with Section 12101) of Division 6 of, to amend and renumber Sections 121153.3, 12115.5, and 12115.6 of, to add Chapter 10 (commencing with Section 12400) to Division 6 of, to repeal Sections 12115, 12115.1, 12115.2, 12115.4, 12932, and 12971.5 of, the heading of Article 1.5 (commencing with Section 12115) of Chapter 7 of Division 6 of, and Article 4.6 (commencing with Section 12848) of Chapter 2 of Division 7 of, to repeal and add Sections 12841, 12842, 12844, and 12847 of, and to repeal, add, and repeal Section 12841.1 of, the Food and Agricultural Code, relating to pesticides.

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 Water, Parks and Wildlife

August 27, 1997

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Water, Parks and Wildlife reports:
Senate Bill No. 231

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

MACHADO, Chairman

SENATE BILL NO. 231—An act to add Article 3.5 (commencing with Section 2086) to Chapter 1.5 of Division 3 of the Fish and Game Code, and to add Article 8.6 (commencing with Section 570) to Chapter 3 of Part 1 of Division 1 of the Food and Agricultural Code, relating to endangered species.

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 Appropriations

August 27, 1997

Mr. Speaker: The Chair of your Committee on Appropriations reports:
Senate Bill No. 1350

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

MIGDEN, Chairwoman

SENATE BILL NO. 1350—An act to add Chapter 6 (commencing with Section 101860) to Part 4 of Division 101 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to health care.

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 Local Government

Date of Hearing: August 26, 1997

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government reports:
Senate Bill No. 712

With the recommendation: Do pass.

SWEENEY, Chairman

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Date of Hearing: August 26, 1997

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government reports:
Senate Bill No. 431

With amendments with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass, as amended.

SWEENEY, Chairman

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials

Date of Hearing: August 26, 1997

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials reports:

Senate Bill No. 521

Senate Bill No. 1189

Senate Bill No. 660

Senate Bill No. 1307

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

WAYNE, Chairman

Above bills re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee on Health

Date of Hearing: August 26, 1997

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Health reports:

Senate Bill No. 406

With the recommendation: Do pass.

GALLEGOS, Chairman

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Transportation

Date of Hearing: August 25, 1997

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Transportation reports:

Senate Bill No. 545

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

MURRAY, Chairman

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Natural Resources

Date of Hearing: August 25, 1997

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Natural Resources reports:

Senate Bill No. 1179

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

BOWEN, Chairwoman

Above bill ordered to second reading.

Committee on Televising the Assembly and Information Technology

Date of Hearing: August 26, 1997

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Televising the Assembly and Information Technology reports:

Senate Bill No. 1273

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

ALQUIST, Chairwoman

Above bill ordered to second reading.

**CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE
SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS****SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 54**—Relative to employment compensation.

Resolution read; amendments proposed by the Committee on Labor and Employment read and adopted, resolution ordered reprinted and to be placed upon the third reading file.

SENATE BILL NO. 1145—An act to amend Sections 6086.65, 6140, 6140.3, and 6140.4 of, and to add and repeal Section 6140.17 of, the Business and Professions Code, relating to the State Bar of California.

Bill read second time; amendments proposed by the Committee on Judiciary read and adopted, bill ordered reprinted and to be returned to the second reading file.

SENATE BILL NO. 225—An act to repeal and add Section 12900 of the Insurance Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read second time; amendments proposed by the Committee on Elections, Reapportionment and Constitutional Amendments read and adopted, bill ordered reprinted and to be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

SENATE BILL NO. 451—An act to amend Sections 65302, 65351, and 65352 of the Government Code, relating to land use.

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

ENGROSSMENT AND ENROLLMENT REPORTS

Assembly Chamber, August 27, 1997

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

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 36

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk

Above resolution ordered on file.

**CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE (RESUMED)
UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

MOTION TO RECONSIDER SENATE BILL NO. 1082 CONTINUED

By unanimous consent, the motion to reconsider the vote on Senate Bill No. 1082 was continued until the next legislative day.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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

Agriculture, on Thursday, August 28, 1997, upon adjournment of session, in Room 126;

Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials, on Friday, August 29, 1997, off the Floor.

ADJOURNMENT

At 3 p.m., the Assembly adjourned until 11 a.m., Thursday, August 28, 1997.

CRUZ M. BUSTAMANTE, Speaker

PAM CAVILEER, Minute Clerk

**AMENDMENTS CONSIDERED BY THE
ASSEMBLY ON AUGUST 27, 1997**

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

	SB	RN
	225	9721502
	231	9721411
	451	9721588
	1145	9721384
	1161	9721440
	1350	9721696
	SCR	RN
	54	9721448
Daily Total:		7
Cumulative Total:		3121

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