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Senate Chamber, Sacramento

Monday, March 24, 2008

The Senate met at 2 p.m.

Hon. Don Perata, of the 9th District, presiding.

Secretary Greg Schmidt at the Desk.

Assistant Secretary Kipchoge Randall reading.

QUORUM CALL OF THE SENATE

Without objection, a quorum call was placed upon the Senate.

The President directed the Sergeant at Arms to close the doors and to bring in the absent Members.

PROCEEDINGS UNDER QUORUM CALL OF THE SENATE

ROLL CALL

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Hollingsworth, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee—35.

Quorum present.

(NOTE: Senator Wyland will be excused this day on legislative business, Senator Dutton will be excused this day due to a family emergency, Senator Torlakson will be excused this day due to a family illness, Senator Oropeza will be excused this day due to illness, and Senator Calderon will be excused this day due to a death in the family.)



PRAYER

Upon invitation of the President, the following prayer was offered by his Eminence Metropolitan Gerasimos of the Greek Orthodox Metropolis of San Francisco:

Tomorrow, March 25, Greek Orthodox Christians here in California and around the world celebrate two significant events. First, we celebrate the Feast of the Annunciation, when Mary the Mother of our Lord received the joyful announcement foretelling the birth of Jesus Christ. We also commemorate the proclamation in 1821 by Archbishop Germanos of Patras announcing the freedom of Greece—the political and spiritual emancipation of the Hellenic people from four centuries of slavery and oppression under the Ottoman Empire.

On this day Greeks around the world and here in California, celebrate and ponder the concept of FREEDOM in all its dimensions. Ancient Greeks knew that freedom was as necessary for life as air and water; only in freedom can human beings thrive. Freedom, as we understand it, is not a license for unbridled pursuit of power and profit. True Freedom means ridding our lives of all that is immoral. True Freedom safeguards the dignity of every person against exploitation, discrimination, and social injustice of every type.

On the occasion of this double celebration, we thank God for our political freedom as we pray for the political freedom of all people around the world, holding in our hearts most especially brother and sister Greeks who are still suffering political and spiritual oppression in places such as Turkey and Cyprus. The sad truth, witnessed throughout history, is that freedom is won through struggle and defended through sacrifice. We remember prayerfully those who have gone before us and those who are presently engaged in heroic defense of freedom, willing to sacrifice even their own lives to smash the chains of bondage, oppression, and human degradation.

Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord Our God, Living source of freedom and love and justice, who, throughout the ages has enlightened humans, keep also, under your loving care, the members of the Government, the Senate and the Assembly of our beloved State of California and guide them to always do the right thing for the people of our State and the entire nation, teaching them how to use every good and perfect gift wisely.

You have implanted in each person the inclination to love and protect and nurture all that is good and beautiful and true. Do you, the same Lord, be present here now. Make us worthy of the ideals we hold dear, the gifts of freedom and liberty that we have inherited. Grace us with the



wisdom and prudence to govern well, and freedom from the temptations of power. So that, through our work, all people may know and enjoy the blessings of freedom, increasing health, prosperity which leads to generosity, and the security that blossoms from true freedom and your peace. For you are holy, and to you we ascribe glory, now and forever and to the ages of age.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Senator Ducheny led the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

Governor's Office, State Capitol
February 19, 2008

To the Senate of the State of California:

I have the honor to transmit to you herewith the following appointments or reappointments heretofore made by me to offices which by law are to be filled by the Governor. These appointments are subject to Senate confirmation and consent. I hereby nominate these appointees to you and request your confirmation and consent.

Sincerely,

ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER, Governor

Geoffrey C. Brown, president, USA Properties Fund since 1997; former vice president, USA Properties Fund from 1989 to 1996; former vice president, for Sanwa Bank; and has served as a member of the California Housing Partnership Corporation since 2005. Reappointed 02/29/08. Effective 03/14/08.

Member, California Housing Partnership Corporation, term ending 01/01/11.

Kathleen K. Nakase, executive director, Orange County Farm Bureau; managing consultant for the Centennial Farm Foundation since 1994; former executive vice president, Master tag West from 1988 to 1993; and has served on the California Exposition and State Fair Board of Directors since 2004. Reappointed 02/22/08. Effective 03/14/08.

Director, California Exposition and State Fair, term ending 01/01/12.

John F. Hotchkis, chair and chief executive officer, Ramajal, an investment management firm since 2000; previous general partner, Hotchkis and Wiley from 1980 to 1999; and from 1973 to 1980 was vice president for Everett Harris & Company. Appointed 03/07/08. Effective 03/17/08.

Member, the Regents of the University of California, vice John J. Moores, resigned, term ending 03/01/09.



Marko C. Mlikotin, president, River City Communications since 2004; former chief of staff for Congressman Doug Ose from 1998 to 2004; member, Sacramento Metro Chamber of Commerce; and has served on the California Exposition and State Fair Board of Directors since 2004. Reappointed 02/22/08. Effective 03/18/08.

Director, California Exposition and State Fair, term ending 01/01/12.

Steven M. Moore, civil engineer, Nute Engineering since 2006; and has held various positions with the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board including chief of planning, planning staff and water resources control engineer in the permits division; member, American Society of Civil Engineers and the Save the San Francisco Bay Association. Appointed 03/07/08. Effective 03/10/08.

Member, California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Francisco Bay Region, vice Kristina V. Brouhard, resigned, term ending 09/30/08.

Above appointments referred to the Committee on Rules.

Governor's Office, State Capitol
March 20, 2008

To the Members of the California Senate:

Given California's significant budget challenge, I cannot consider bills that would add significant fiscal pressures to the State's structural budget deficit.

For this reason, I am returning SB 867 without my signature.

Cordially,

ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER, Governor

Above bill ordered placed on unfinished business file.

Receipt of Bills

I acknowledge receipt this 20th day of March, 2008 at 1:32 p.m., of Senate Bill 867 without the Governor's signature, together with a statement of his objection thereto, signed by the Governor, delivered to me personally by Mikhael Skvarla.

BERNADETTE McNULTY
Assistant Secretary of the Senate

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on Judiciary

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Judiciary, to which were referred:

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|---------|---------|---------|
| SB 1264 | SB 1319 | SB 1370 |
| SB 1329 | AB 1519 | |

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

CORBETT, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1264—An act to amend Section 21320 of, to add Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 21310) to Part 3 of Division 11 of, and to repeal Chapter 1 (commencing with Section 21300) of Part 3 of Division 11 of, the Probate Code, relating to wills and trusts.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1319—An act to amend Sections 1513.5, 1514, 1516, 1520, 1523, 1540, 1560, 1563, 1565, and 1576 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to unclaimed property.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1370—An act to amend Sections 48907, 48950, and 66301 of the Education Code, relating to education.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1329—An act to amend Section 5240 of the Corporations Code, and to add Part 7 (commencing with Section 18501) to Division 9 of, and to repeal Part 7 (commencing with Section 18500) of Division 9 of, the Probate Code, relating to the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act.

Bill read second time.

Assembly Bill 1519—An act to add Chapter 2.5 (commencing with Section 7070) to Part 1 of Division 7 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to human remains.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Health

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Health, to which were referred:

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|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| SB 1196 | SB 1216 | SB 1260 | SB 1300 |
| SB 1349 | SB 1395 | AB 1127 | |

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

KUEHL, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1196—An act to amend Section 27491 of the Government Code, relating to local government.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1216—An act to amend Sections 10235 and 10235.9 of the Insurance Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read second time.



Senate Bill 1260—An act to add Part 8 (commencing with Section 1179.120) to Division 1 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to health facility financing.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1300—An act to add Sections 1262.55 and 1367.49 to the Health and Safety Code, and to add Section 10117.6 to the Insurance Code, relating to health care coverage.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1349—An act to amend Section 5600.8 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to mental health.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1395—An act to add Section 116877 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to lead plumbing.

Bill read second time.

Assembly Bill 1127—An act to add Section 116365.6 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to drinking water.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Date of Hearing, March 13, 2008

Mr. President: The Committee on Health, to which were referred:

SB 1070

Reports the same back with the recommendation: Do pass as amended, but first amend, and re-refer to the Committee on Appropriations.

KUEHL, Chair

Above measures ordered to second reading.

Committee on Rules

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Rules, to which were referred:

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|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| SB 1212 | SB 1224 | SB 1327 | SB 1529 |
| SB 1268 | SB 1305 | SB 1399 | SB 1267 |
| SB 1364 | SJR 24 | SB 1437 | SB 1468 |
| SB 1095 | SB 1194 | SB 1499 | SB 1380 |

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

PERATA, Chair



Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1212—An act to amend Section 538d of the Penal Code, relating to crime.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1268—An act to amend Section 110480 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to food processing.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1364—An act to amend Section 21466 of the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1095—An act relating to state teachers' retirement.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1224—An act to amend Section 10113.1 of the Insurance Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1305—An act to amend Section 290.45 of the Penal Code, relating to sex offenders.

Bill read second time.

Senate Joint Resolution 24—Relative to the Armenian Genocide.

Resolution read second time.

Senate Bill 1194—An act relating to taxation.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1327—An act to amend Section 17078.72 of the Education Code, relating to career technical education.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1399—An act to amend 25405.6 of the Public Resources Code, relating to public resources.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1437—An act relating to education technology.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1499—An act to amend Section 19311 of the Food and Agricultural Code, relating to grease.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1529—An act relating to health care coverage.

Bill read second time.



Senate Bill 1267—An act relating to whistleblower protections.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1468—An act relating to local planning.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1380—An act relating to foster care.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Environmental Quality

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Environmental Quality, to which were referred:

SB 1277

SB 1230

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

SIMITIAN, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1277—An act to add Article 3 (commencing with Section 115810) to Chapter 4 of Part 10 of Division 104 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to synthetic turf.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1230—An act to add Chapter 12 (commencing with Section 108945) to Part 3 of Division 104 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to product safety.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Veterans Affairs

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Veterans Affairs, to which was referred:

SB 1534

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

WYLAND, Chair



Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1534—An act to amend Section 80 of the Military and Veterans Code, relating to veterans.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Governmental Organization

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Governmental Organization, to which were referred:

SB 1211

SB 1246

SB 1596

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

FLOREZ, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1211—An act to amend Section 23399 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to alcoholic beverages.

Bill read second time.

Request to Add Urgency Section

To the Committee on Rules: I request permission to add an urgency section to SB 1211 pursuant to Joint Rule 58.

SENATOR HARMAN

Permission of Rules Committee

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

The Committee on Rules grants permission to offer amendments which would add an urgency section to SB 1211.

PERATA, Chair

Senate Bill 1246—An act to amend Section 23671 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to alcoholic beverages.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1596—An act to amend Sections 10507.7 and 10509 of the Public Contract Code, relating to the University of California.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.



Committee on Human Services

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Human Services, to which was referred:

SB 1183

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

ALQUIST, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1183—An act to add Section 4510.5 to the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to developmental disabilities.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Education

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Education, to which were referred:

SB 1110

SB 1321

SB 1322

SB 1097

SB 1219

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

SCOTT, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1110—An act to add Sections 44423.5 and 44423.6 to the Education Code, relating to teacher credentialing.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1321—An act to add Article 3 (commencing with Section 38150) to Chapter 4 of Part 23 of Division 3 of Title 2 of the Education Code, relating to school recycling programs.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1322—An act to amend Sections 38135, 44932, 44939, 45303, and 88122 of, and to repeal Sections 38136 and 51530 of, the Education Code, and to amend Section 1028 of, and to repeal Sections 1027.5 and 1028.1 of, the Government Code, relating to communism.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1097—An act to amend Section 60605 of the Education Code, relating to school curriculum.

Bill read second time.



Senate Bill 1219—An act to add Article 4.5 (commencing with Section 69436.70) to Chapter 1.7 of Part 42 of Title 3 of the Education Code, relating to student financial aid.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Transportation and Housing

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Transportation and Housing, to which were referred:

SB 1122 SB 1106 SB 1573

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

LOWENTHAL, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1122—An act to amend Section 18420 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to mobilehomes.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1106—An act to amend Section 65583 of the Government Code, relating to local planning.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1573—An act to repeal and amend Section 44013 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to air pollution.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Elections, Reapportionment and Constitutional Amendments

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Elections, Reapportionment and Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred:

SB 1208

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

CALDERON, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1208—An act to amend Sections 9004 and 9005 of the Elections Code, relating to elections.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.



Committee on Natural Resources and Water

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Natural Resources and Water, to which were referred:

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| SB 1262 | SB 1285 | SB 1418 |
| SB 1595 | SB 1172 | SB 1462 |

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

STEINBERG, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1262—An act to amend Section 13007 of the Fish and Game Code, relating to sport fishing.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1285—An act to add Section 5096.517 to the Public Resources Code, relating to state lands, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1418—An act to add Chapter 4.1 (commencing with Section 118955) of Part 15 of Division 104 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to public health.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1595—An act to amend Sections 51175, 51177, 51178, 51182, 51183, and 51189 of the Government Code, and to amend Section 4291 of, and to add Article 3.6 (commencing with Section 4140) to Chapter 1 of Part 2 of Division 4 of, the Public Resources Code, relating to public resources.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1172—An act to amend Sections 332, 1528, 3684, 3686, and 4332 of, and to add Sections 333, 4332.5, and 4764 to, and to repeal Sections 3685 and 4334 of the Fish and Game Code, relating to wildlife.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1462—An act to add Chapter 5 (commencing with Section 160) to Division 1.5 of the Harbors and Navigation Code, relating to navigable waters.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.



Committee on Local Government

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Local Government, to which were referred:

SB 1351

SB 1458

SB 1185

SB 1510

AB 169

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

NEGRETE McLEOD, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1351—An act to amend Section 32121 of, and to add Section 32121.6 to, the Health and Safety Code, relating to hospital districts.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1458—An act to amend Sections 25643, 50078.1, 54251, 56036, 56375, and 57075 of, to amend and renumber Section 25210 of, to add Chapter 2.5 (commencing with Section 25210) to and to repeal Chapter 2.2 (commencing with Section 25210.1) of, Part 2 of Division 2 of Title 3 of, the Government Code, to amend Section 5470 of the Health and Safety Code, to repeal Section 20394.3 of the Public Contract Code, to amend Sections 5621, 13031, and 13215 of, and to repeal Section 13030 of, the Public Resources Code, to amend Section 97.41 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, to amend Section 1179.5 of the Streets and Highways Code, and to amend Sections 22976, 22981, and 22982 of the Water Code, relating to local government.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1185—An act to amend Section 66452.11 of, to amend and renumber Sections 66452.11 and 66452.12 of, and to repeal Section 66452.13 of, the Government Code, relating to land use, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1510—An act to amend Sections 1936 and 2080.3 of the Civil Code, and to amend Sections 170010, 170011, 170013, 170016, 170017, and 170018 of, and to add Sections 170035 and 170036 to, the Public Utilities Code, relating to airports.

Bill read second time.

Assembly Bill 169—An act to add Section 6530.5 to the Government Code, relating to joint powers authorities.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.



Committee on Banking, Finance and Insurance

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Banking, Finance and Insurance, to which were referred:

SB 1279

SB 1604

SB 1054

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

MACHADO, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1279—An act to amend Section 12921 of, and to repeal Section 900.7 of, the Insurance Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1604—An act to amend Sections 22104, 22112, 50124, and 50306 of, and to add Sections 22169.1, 22169.2, 50318.1, and 50318.2 to, the Financial Code, relating to lending.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1054—An act to add Sections 10087, 10134, and 10177.6 to the Business and Professions Code, relating to real estate.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Business, Professions and Economic Development

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Business, Professions and Economic Development, to which were referred:

SB 1400

SB 1218

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

RIDLEY-THOMAS, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1400—An act to amend Section 17539.15 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to business.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1218—An act to amend Sections 28, 4980.02, 4980.03, 4980.35, 4980.38, 4980.40, 4980.43, 4980.44, 4980.50, and 4980.54 of, to amend and repeal Sections 4980.37, 4980.39, 4980.41, 4980.80, and 4980.90 of, and to add Sections 4980.36, 4980.72, 4980.74, 4980.76, and 4980.78 to, the Business and Professions Code, to amend Section 1010 of the Evidence Code, to amend Sections 6924 and 6929 of the Family Code,

and to amend Sections 1277 and 123115 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to marriage and family therapy.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations, to which were referred:

SB 1189

SB 1362

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

MIGDEN, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1189—An act to amend Sections 4658.5 and 4658.6 of the Labor Code, relating to workers' compensation.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1362—An act to amend Sections 3099.2 and 3099.4 of the Labor Code, relating to employment.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Energy, Utilities and Communications

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Energy, Utilities and Communications, to which were referred:

SB 1389

SB 1536

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

KEHOE, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1389—An act to amend Section 2893 of the Public Utilities Code, relating to telecommunications.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1536—An act to amend Sections 216, 330, 331, 335, 339, 340, 341.2, 341.5, 359, 361, 365, 367, 373, and 376, of, to repeal Sections 338, 367.7, and 390 of, and to repeal Article 4 (commencing with Section



355) of Chapter 2.3 of Part 1 of Division 1 of, the Public Utilities Code, relating to the electricity.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Revenue and Taxation

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Revenue and Taxation, to which was referred:

SB 1113

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

OROPEZA, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1113—An act to add Section 62.3 to the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation, to take effect immediately, tax levy.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Public Safety

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Public Safety, to which were referred:

SB 1126

SB 1302

SB 1250

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

ROMERO, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1126—An act to amend Section 186.22a of the Penal Code, relating to criminal street gangs.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1302—An act to amend Sections 1203.067, 12021, 12022.3, and 12022.8 of the Penal Code, relating to sex offenders.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1250—An act to amend Sections 223, 224.72, 1712.1, and 1766 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to juveniles.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.



Committee on Judiciary

Date of Hearing, March 11, 2008

Mr. President: The Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred:

SB 1107

Reports the same back with the recommendation: Do pass as amended.

CORBETT, Chair

Above measure ordered to second reading.

Committee on Rules

State Capitol, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Senate Rules Committee has appointed Ms. Beverly Johnson of Alameda as a member of the San Francisco Bay Area Water Emergency Transportation Authority, Board of Directors to serve for a term ending January 1, 2014

PERATA, Chair

Committee on Appropriations

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred:

SB 1159

Reports the same back with the recommendation: That the above measure be placed on second reading pursuant to Senate Rule 28.8.

TORLAKSON, Chair

Above measure ordered to second reading.

Committee on Public Safety

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Public Safety, to which was referred:

SB 1190

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

ROMERO, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1190—An act to amend Section 23575 of the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.



Committee on Banking, Finance and Insurance

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Banking, Finance and Insurance, to which was referred:

SB 1059

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

MACHADO, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1059—An act to add Section 758.6 to the Insurance Code, relating to insurance.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Rules

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Rules, to which were referred:

SB 1242

SB 1638

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

PERATA, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1242—An act to amend Section 1748.5 of the Civil Code, relating to credit cards.

Bill read second time.

Request to Add Urgency Section

To the Committee on Rules: I request permission to add an urgency section to SB 1242 pursuant to Joint Rule 58.

SENATOR RUNNER

Permission of Rules Committee

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

The Committee on Rules grants permission to offer amendments which would add an urgency section to SB 1242.

PERATA, Chair

Senate Bill 1638—An act relating to juveniles.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.



Committee on Business, Professions and Economic Development

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Mr. President: The Chair of the Committee on Business, Professions and Economic Development, to which was referred:

SB 1312

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

RIDLEY-THOMAS, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1312—An act to amend Section 139 of the Business and Professions Code, relating to professions and vocations.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

MEASURES WITHDRAWN FROM COMMITTEE

Without objection, **SCR 81**, **SCR 82**, **SCR 83**, **SCR 89**, **SCR 91**, and **ACR 109** were withdrawn from committee and placed on today's Special Consent Calendar.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW FROM COMMITTEE

Pursuant to a motion given, and without objection, **SB 853** was withdrawn from the Committee on Rules and returned to the Assembly for further action.

Senator Romero Presiding**REQUEST FOR UNANIMOUS CONSENT (SR 21)**

Senator Alquist asked for, and was granted, unanimous consent that SR 21 be withdrawn from committee and taken up at this time, without reference to file.

Consideration of Senate Resolution 21

Senate Resolution 21—Relative to Greek Independence Day.

Resolution read third time, presented by Senator Alquist, and adopted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS**Consideration of Assembly Amendments**

Senate Bill 344—An act to add Section 5925 to the Government Code, relating to public finance, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

Bill presented by Senator Machado.

The question being: Shall the Senate concur in the Assembly amendments to SB 344?



Urgency Clause

Urgency clause read and adopted by the following vote:

AYES (33)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (1)—Senator McClintock.

Roll Call

The roll was called and the Senate concurred in Assembly amendments by the following vote:

AYES (33)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (1)—Senator McClintock.

Above bill ordered enrolled.

THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS

Senate Bill 1055—An act to add Section 17144.5 to the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation, to take effect immediately, tax levy.

Bill read third time and presented by Senator Machado.

Roll Call

The roll was called and the bill was passed by the following vote:

AYES (34)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (0)—None.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

Senate Bill 1103—An act to add and repeal Section 53083 of the Government Code, relating to economic development.

Bill read third time and presented by Senator Cedillo.

Roll Call

The roll was called and the bill was passed by the following vote:

AYES (25)—Senators Aanestad, Alquist, Cedillo, Corbett, Correa, Ducheny, Florez, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (9)—Senators Ackerman, Ashburn, Battin, Cogdill, Cox, Denham, Harman, Maldonado, and Runner.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.



THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Bill 1491—An act to amend Sections 70321, 70363, 70374, and 70402 of, and to repeal and add Section 70322 of, the Government Code, relating to court facilities, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

Bill read third time and presented by Senator Corbett.

Urgency Clause

Urgency clause read and adopted by the following vote:

AYES (34)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (0)—None.

Roll Call

The roll was called and the bill was passed by the following vote:

AYES (34)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (0)—None.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

Assembly Bill 1100—An act to amend Section 13139 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to fire safety, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

Bill read third time and presented by Senator Florez.

Urgency Clause

Urgency clause read and adopted by the following vote:

AYES (32)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (1)—Senator Battin.

Roll Call

The roll was called and the bill was passed by the following vote:

AYES (32)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Negrete



McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (1)—Senator Battin.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS (RESUMED)

Consideration of Governor's Appointments

Senator Perata placed the following Governor's appointments before the Senate:

Gilbert A. Albiani, Member, California Exposition and State Fair Board of Directors.

Cornelius L. Gallagher, Member, California Exposition and State Fair Board of Directors.

Jonathan Emami, Member, California Housing Partnership Corporation Board of Directors.

Ronald J. Garcia, Member, California Housing Partnership Corporation Board of Directors.

The President put the question: "Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointments by the Governor?"

Roll Call

The roll was called and the appointments were confirmed by the following vote:

AYES (34)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (0)—None.

Consideration of Governor's Appointment

Senator Perata placed the following Governor's appointment before the Senate:

Katherine I. Dargan, State Fire Marshal.

The President put the question: "Will the Senate advise and consent to the appointment by the Governor?"

Roll Call

The roll was called and the appointment was confirmed by the following vote:

AYES (34)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (0)—None.



THIRD READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS (RESUMED)

Assembly Bill 963—An act to amend Section 1957 of the Streets and Highways Code, relating to vehicles.

Bill read third time and presented by Senator Simitian.

Roll Call

The roll was called and the bill was passed by the following vote:

AYES (33)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez, Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, McClintock, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.

NOES (0)—None.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

SPECIAL CONSENT CALENDAR

Senate Concurrent Resolution 89—Relative to Cancer Survivor Beauty and Support Day.

Resolution read, adopted, and ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

(NOTE: See Consent Calendar Roll Call)

Senate Concurrent Resolution 83—Relative to California Indian Heritage Month.

Resolution read, adopted, and ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

(NOTE: See Consent Calendar Roll Call)

Senate Concurrent Resolution 91—Relative to Children's Day and Children's Week.

Resolution read, adopted, and ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

(NOTE: See Consent Calendar Roll Call)

Senate Concurrent Resolution 81—Relative to Child Abuse Prevention Month.

Resolution read, adopted, and ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

(NOTE: See Consent Calendar Roll Call)

Senate Concurrent Resolution 82—Relative to arts education.

Resolution read, adopted, and ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

(NOTE: See Consent Calendar Roll Call)

Assembly Concurrent Resolution 109—Relative to Read Across America Day.

Resolution read, adopted, and ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

(NOTE: See Consent Calendar Roll Call)

Special Consent Calendar Roll Call

The roll was called and the above resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

AYES (34)—Senators Aanestad, Ackerman, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Florez,



Harman, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Perata, Ridley-Thomas, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Steinberg, Vincent, Wiggins, and Yee.
NOES (0)—None.

REQUEST TO BE ADDED TO ROLL CALL

March 24, 2008

Mr. Secretary: Pursuant to the provisions of Senate Rule 44, I request to be recorded as voting on the following measures taken up on this day:

AB 963—Aye

DICK ACKERMAN, Minority Floor Leader

LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY

The following Senator was granted leave of absence for the day due to legislative business: Senator Wyland.

The following Senator was granted leave of absence for the day due to a family emergency: Senator Dutton.

The following Senator was granted leave of absence for the day due to a family illness: Senator Torlakson.

The following Senator was granted leave of absence for the day due to illness: Senator Oropeza.

The following Senator was granted leave of absence for the day due to a death in the family: Senator Calderon.

**FURTHER PROCEEDINGS UNDER QUORUM CALL OF THE
SENATE DISPENSED WITH**

At 2:50 p.m., on motion of Senator Perata, further proceedings under the quorum call of the Senate were dispensed with.

MOTION TO ADJOURN

Senator Perata moved that the Senate stand in recess until the hour of 3:30 p.m. The Desk shall remain open to receive communications and to conduct the business of the day. At 3:30 p.m., the Senate will adjourn until Tuesday, March 25, 2008.

Motion carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Assembly on this day passed:

AB 1823

AB 1866

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk of the Assembly



Assembly Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Assembly on this day adopted:

SCR 75

Above resolution ordered enrolled.

Assembly Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Assembly amended, and on this day passed, as amended:

SB 562

SCR 60

And respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk of the Assembly

Above measures ordered to unfinished business file.

FIRST READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

The following measures were read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules for assignment:

Assembly Bill 1823—An act to amend Section 749.22 of the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to juveniles.

Assembly Bill 1866—An act to add Section 1794.45 to the Civil Code, relating to service contracts.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on Rules

State Capitol, March 24, 2008

The Committee on Rules has re-referred the following measures to committees:

Banking, Finance and Insurance—SB 1224.

Education—SB 1327, SB 1437.

Energy, Utilities and Communications—SB 1399.

Governmental Organization—SB 1464.

Health—SB 1268, SB 1364, SB 1529.

Public Safety—SB 1212, SB 1305, SB 1499.

Revenue and Taxation—SB 1194.

The Committee on Rules has re-referred the following measure to two committees:

Education and Public Employment and Retirement—SB 1095.

Committee on Energy, Utilities and Communications

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Energy, Utilities and Communications, to which was referred:

SB 1278



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

KEHOE, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1278—An act to add Chapter 4.8 (commencing with Section 18944.45) to Part 2.5 of Division 13 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to building standards.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Education

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Education, to which were referred:

SB 1378 SB 1405 SB 1430 SB 1197

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

SCOTT, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1378—An act to add Section 41533 to the Education Code, relating to teachers.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1405—An act to amend Section 17078.58 of the Education Code, relating to charter school facilities.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1430—An act to add Section 50079.7 to the Government Code, relating to taxation.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1197—An act to amend Section 52321 of the Education Code, relating to regional occupational centers and programs.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Environmental Quality

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Environmental Quality, to which was referred:

SB 1357

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

SIMITIAN, Chair



Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1357—An act to amend Section 14581 of the Public Resources Code, relating to beverage containers, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Transportation and Housing

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Transportation and Housing, to which was referred:

SB 1470

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

LOWENTHAL, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1470—An act to add Division 28 (commencing with Section 28000) to the Welfare and Institutions Code, relating to homeless youth.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations, to which was referred:

SB 1352

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

MIGDEN, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1352—An act to amend Sections 1742.1 and 1743 of the Labor Code, relating to public works.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Judiciary

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred:

SB 1255



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

CORBETT, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1255—An act to amend Section 17524 of the Family Code, relating to child support.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Natural Resources and Water

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Natural Resources and Water, to which was referred:

SB 1617

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

STEINBERG, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1617—An act to amend Sections 51175, 51177, 51178, 51182, 51183, and 51189 of, and to add Sections 8682.10 and 8682.11 to, the Government Code, and to amend Section 4291 of, and to add Article 3.6 (commencing with Section 4140) to Chapter 1 of Part 2 of Division 4 of, the Public Resources Code, relating to public resources.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Appropriations

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred:

SB 1124

Reports the same back with the recommendation: That the above measure be placed on second reading pursuant to Senate Rule 28.8 and amended.

TORLAKSON, Chair

Above measure ordered to second reading.

Committee on Local Government

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Local Government, to which were referred:

SB 1118

SB 1191



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

NEGRETE McLEOD, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1118—An act to amend Sections 21670, 21670.1, 21670.4, 21674.7, 21675.1, 21678, 21679, and 21679.5 of, and to repeal Section 21677 of, the Public Utilities Code, relating to airports.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1191—An act to amend Section 61100 of the Government Code, relating to local government.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Public Safety

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Public Safety, to which were referred:

SB 1259

SB 1388

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

ROMERO, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1259—An act to amend Sections 237, 368, 1048, and 14213 of the Penal Code, relating to crime.

Bill read second time.

Senate Bill 1388—An act to amend Section 14601.2 of, and to add Sections 23575.1 and 23575.2 to, the Vehicle Code, relating to vehicles.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Public Employment and Retirement

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Public Employment and Retirement, to which was referred:

SB 1123

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

WIGGINS, Chair



Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1123—An act to amend Section 7507 of, and to add Section 7507.2 to, the Government Code, relating to public employee benefits.

Bill read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

Committee on Rules

Senate Chamber, March 24, 2008

Madam President: The Chair of the Committee on Rules, to which were referred:

SB 1496

SCR 74

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

PERATA, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments

Senate Bill 1496—An act to amend Section 20035.5 of the Government Code, relating to public employees' retirement.

Bill read second time.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 74—Relative to the Prefecture of Athens.

Resolution read second time.

The amendments were read and adopted and the measures ordered printed and re-referred to the committee.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE MEASURES

The following measures were introduced, read the first time and transmitted to the Committee on Rules for assignment:

Senate Bill 1781: By the Committee on Environmental Quality (Senators Simitian (Chair), Aanestad, Florez, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Runner, and Steinberg)—An act to amend Sections 14501, 14511.7, 14520.5, 14524, 14539, 14549.6, 14549.7, 14552, 14560.5, 14561, 14571, 14571.1, 14571.7, 14575, 14580, 14581, 14588.1, 14588.2, 14593, 14594, 42889, 42963, 45014, and 71205.3 of, and to repeal Sections 14514.5, 14555, 14575.2, 14575.5, and 14580.5 of, the Public Resources Code, and to amend Section 31560 of the Vehicle Code, relating to environmental quality, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

Senate Concurrent Resolution 94: By Senator Maldonado (Principal coauthor: Assembly Member Parra)—Relative to Cook With Your Kids Day.



**UNANIMOUS CONSENT GRANTED
TO RESCIND ACTION (AB 1546)**

Without objection, unanimous consent was granted that the action be rescinded whereby AB 1546 was passed to the Assembly, and that the measure be taken up at this time without reference to file.

Consideration of Assembly Bill 1546

Assembly Bill 1546—An act to amend Section 17942 of, and to add Section 19394 to, the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to limited liability companies, to take effect immediately, tax levy.

Bill read.

Motion to Amend

Amendments to AB 1546 proposed by Senator Calderon were read and adopted and the measure ordered printed and to second reading.

MEASURES WITHDRAWN AND RE-REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

Without objection, **SB 1113** was withdrawn from the Committee on Revenue and Taxation and re-referred to the Committee on Rules; and

AB 169 was withdrawn from the Committee on Local Government and re-referred to the Committee on Rules.

REQUESTS TO ADJOURN IN MEMORIAM

Senator Ackerman requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of United States Ambassador to the Netherlands, the Honorable Roland E. Arnall of Los Angeles, Ralph Elmore Hilton of Orange, Joe Violini Jr. of Salinas, and Beatrice Lillian Hayes Drake of Irvine.

Senator Cogdill requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of Leo Kolligian of Fresno.

Senator Corbett requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of William Perras of San Leandro.

Senator Cox requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of Lester S. Nagy of South Lake Tahoe.

Senator Kehoe requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of Raymond M. Caron of San Diego.

Senator Machado requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of Frances Willard Abbott of Stockton and Maureen Southwell of Dixon.

Senator Negrete McLeod requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of Joseph Forest Jacquet, Sr. of San Bernardino and Joseph Borba of Chino/Upland.



Senator Scott requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of Robert Mauller and Katie Nack of Pasadena.

Senator Simitian requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of Virginia Adam Booz of Santa Cruz.

Senator Steinberg requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of Elizabeth V. Roberts and Martin "PopaTin" Rodriguez of Sacramento.

Senator Wiggins requested that when the Senate adjourns this day it do so in memory of Hazel Mitchell of Bodega Bay.

ADJOURNMENT

At 3:30 p.m., on motion of Senator Perata, the Senate adjourned pursuant to the Senators' requests until 9 a.m., Tuesday, March 25, 2008.

PAULA K. ROSSETTO, Minute Clerk

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