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## IN SENATE

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Senate Chamber, Sacramento  
Wednesday, March 9, 2016

The Senate met at 9 a.m.

Hon. Richard D. Roth, of the 31st District, presiding.

Secretary Daniel Alvarez at the Desk.

Assistant Secretary Zachary L. Twilla reading.

### ROLL CALL

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

Allen, Anderson, Bates, Beall, Berryhill, Block, Cannella, De León, Fuller, Gaines, Galgiani, Glazer, Hall, Hancock, Hernandez, Hertzberg, Hill, Hueso, Jackson, Lara, Leno, Leyva, Liu, McGuire, Mendoza, Mitchell, Monning, Moorlach, Morrell, Nguyen, Nielsen, Pan, Pavley, Roth, Runner, Stone, Vidak, Wieckowski, and Wolk—39.

Quorum present.

*(NOTE: Senator Huff will be excused this day on legislative business.)*



**CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE  
SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS**

**Senate Concurrent Resolution 104**—Relative to Black April Memorial Month.

Resolution read second time and ordered to third reading.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**

**Committee on Rules**

Senate Chamber, March 9, 2016

Mr. President: The Committee on Rules has examined:

SCR 104

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

DE LEÓN, Chair

Senate Chamber, March 9, 2016

Mr. President: The Committee on Rules has examined:

SB 821

SB 875

And reports the same correctly engrossed.

DE LEÓN, Chair

**Committee on Education**

Date of Hearing, March 9, 2016

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

SB 906

Reports the same back with the recommendation: Do pass, but first be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

LIU, Chair

Above bill re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

**Committee on Natural Resources and Water**

Senate Chamber, March 9, 2016

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

SB 900

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

PAVLEY, Chair

**Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments**

**Senate Bill 900**—An act to amend Section 6217 of, and to add Section 6212 to, the Public Resources Code, relating to state lands.

Bill read second time.

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



**Committee on Rules**

Senate Chamber, March 9, 2016

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

SB 940

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

DE LEÓN, Chair

**Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments****Senate Bill 940**—An act relating to transportation.

Bill read second time.

**Request to Add Urgency Section**

To the Committee on Rules: I request permission to add an urgency section to SB 940 pursuant to Joint Rule 58.

SENATOR VIDAK

**Permission of Rules Committee**

Senate Chamber, March 9, 2016

The Committee on Rules grants permission to offer amendments which would add an urgency section to SB 940.

DE LEÓN, Chair

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

**Committee on Natural Resources and Water**

Senate Chamber, March 9, 2016

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

AB 938

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

PAVLEY, Chair

**Second Reading of Bills—Author's Amendments****Assembly Bill 938**—An act to amend Section 10722.4 of the Water Code, relating to groundwater.

Bill read second time.

**Request to Add Urgency Section**

To the Committee on Rules: I request permission to add an urgency section to AB 938 pursuant to Joint Rule 58.

ASSEMBLY MEMBER RODRIGUEZ



**Permission of Rules Committee**

Senate Chamber, March 9, 2016

The Committee on Rules grants permission to offer amendments which would add an urgency section to AB 938.

DE LEÓN, Chair

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

**Committee on Rules**

State Capitol, March 9, 2016

Mr. President: The Committee on Rules has ordered the following measures to third reading:

SCR 113	SCR 114	SCR 115	SCR 116
SR 64	SR 65		

State Capitol, March 9, 2016

Mr. President: The Committee on Rules made the following changes:

**STANDING COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS**

Appointed Senator Glazer as Chair of the Banking and Financial Institutions Committee to replace Senator Block who will no longer remain as a member.

Increased the membership of the Budget and Fiscal Review Committee from 16 to 17 members and appointed Senator Glazer as a member.

Appointed Senator Huff as a member of the Education Committee replacing Senator Runner, leaving the Vice-Chair appointment vacant.

**SUBCOMMITTEE RATIFICATION**

Increased the membership of the Budget and Fiscal Review Subcommittee No. 4 on State Administration and General Government from 3 to 4 members and appointed Senator Glazer as a member.

DE LEÓN, Chair

State Capitol, March 9, 2016

Mr. President: The Committee on Rules has considered the following appointment by the Governor and reports the same back with the recommendation of confirmation:

Valerie L. Shaw, Member, California Community Colleges Board of Governors (5–0)

DE LEÓN, Chair

Above appointment ordered to unfinished business.



State Capitol, March 9, 2016

Mr. President: The Committee on Rules has considered the following appointments by the Governor and reports the same back with the recommendation of confirmation:

Ofelia Alvarez-Willis, M.D., Member, Commission on the Status of Women and Girls (5-0)

Katherine L. Buckland, Member, Commission on the Status of Women and Girls (5-0)

Lauri A. Damrell, Member, Commission on the Status of Women and Girls (5-0)

Marina A. Illich, Ph.D., Member, Commission on the Status of Women and Girls (5-0)

Alisha M. Wilkins, Member, Commission on the Status of Women and Girls (5-0)

DE LEÓN, Chair

Above appointments ordered to unfinished business.

State Capitol, March 9, 2016

Mr. President: The Committee on Rules has made the following appointments:

Reappointed Elizabeth L. Lasensky as a member of the Court Reporters Board for a term ending June 1, 2019.

Appointed Donna Benton as a member of the California Task Force on Family Caregiving for a term ending at the pleasure of the Committee.

Appointed Carmen Estrada as a member of the California Task Force on Family Caregiving for a term ending at the pleasure of the Committee.

Appointed Karen Lincoln, Ph.D., as a member of the California Task Force on Family Caregiving for a term ending at the pleasure of the Committee.

DE LEÓN, Chair

#### **INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE MEASURES**

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

**Senate Bill 1477:** By the Committee on Health (Senators Hernandez (Chair), Hall, Mitchell, Monning, Nguyen, Nielsen, Pan, Roth, and Wolk)—An act to amend Section 100500 of the Government Code, and to amend Sections 101319, 123870, 123900, 123929, 123940, and 123955 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to health.



The following measure was offered and ordered held at Desk:

**Senate Resolution 67:** By Senator De León—Relative to the Standing Rules of the Senate for the 2015–16 Regular Session.

The following measure was offered and referred to the Committee on Rules:

**Senate Resolution 68:** By Senators Berryhill, Block, Gaines, Galgiani, Glazer, Hall, Hill, Hueso, McGuire, Runner, and Vidak—Relative to National Problem Gambling Awareness Month.

#### **SENATE COMMITTEE ROLL CALLS**

##### **Committee on Education**

**SB 871**—Do pass as amended and re-refer to the Committee on Appropriations

AYES (8)—Senators Block, Hancock, Leyva, Liu, Mendoza, Monning, Pan, and Vidak.

NOES (0)—None.

**SB 906**—Do pass and re-refer to the Committee on Appropriations

AYES (8)—Senators Block, Hancock, Leyva, Liu, Mendoza, Monning, Pan, and Vidak.

NOES (0)—None.

**SB 911**—Do pass as amended and re-refer to the Committee on Appropriations with the recommendation: To consent calendar

AYES (8)—Senators Block, Hancock, Leyva, Liu, Mendoza, Monning, Pan, and Vidak.

NOES (0)—None.

**SB 915**—Do pass as amended and re-refer to the Committee on Appropriations

AYES (8)—Senators Block, Hancock, Leyva, Liu, Mendoza, Monning, Pan, and Vidak.

NOES (0)—None.

Date of Hearing: 3/9/2016

Liu, Chair

#### **LEAVES OF ABSENCE**

The following Senator was granted leave of absence for the day on legislative business: Senator Huff.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 3:30 p.m., the Senate adjourned until 9 a.m., Thursday, March 10, 2016.

NEVA MARIE PARKER, Minute Clerk

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