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IN SENATE

Senate Chamber, Sacramento Monday, May 16, 2005

The Senate met at 2:05 p.m. Hon. Don Perata, of the 9th District, presiding. Secretary Greg Schmidt at the Desk. Assistant Secretary Kipchoge Randall reading.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names: Aanestad, Ackerman, Alarcón, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Bowen, Campbell, Chesbro, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Dunn, Dutton, Escutia, Figueroa, Florez, Hollingsworth, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Morrow, Murray, Ortiz, Perata, Poochigian, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Soto, Torlakson, and Vincent—37.

Quorum present.

(NOTE: Senators Cedillo and Romero will be excused this day on legislative business and Senator Speier will be excused this day due to illness.)

PRAYER

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Rev. Canon James Richardson:

Gracious and Holy God, We are reminded that Your two great commandments are to love the Lord our God, and to love our neighbors as ourselves. Guide our actions this day that we may honor You with laws that reach beyond the narrow and selfish so that our work may truly serve You and all of the people of this great state. In Your holy name we pray.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES Committee on Rules

Senate Chamber, May 16, 2005

Mr. President: The Committee on Rules, to which was referred: Reg. No. 05 13094 (SB 4)

Has had the same under consideration and finds the same within the purview of the call and refers it to the Committee on Public Employment and Retirement pursuant to the provisions of Rule 24.

PERATA, 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 4: By Senator Soto—An act to amend Section 1877.1 of, and to add Section 1877.35 to, the Insurance Code, and to amend Section 1095 of the Unemployment Insurance Code, relating to insurance fraud.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY

The following Senators were granted leaves of absence for the day due to legislative business: Senators Cedillo and Romero.

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

ADJOURNMENT

At 3:30 p.m., the President declared the Senate adjourned on call of the President pro Tempore.

PAULA K. ROSSETTO, Minute Clerk