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IN SENATE

Senate Chamber, Sacramento Monday, August 29, 2005

The Senate met at 2 p.m. Hon. Gloria Romero, of the 24th 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, Cedillo, Chesbro, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Dunn, Escutia, Figueroa, Florez, Hollingsworth, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Morrow, Ortiz, Poochigian, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Soto, Speier, Torlakson, and Vincent—37.

Quorum present.

(NOTE: Senator Dutton will be excused this day on legislative business and Senators Murray and Perata will be excused this day due to illness.)

PRAYER

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

Almighty and Everlasting God, We give You thanks today for the many blessings of our land and for the work of our lives. Unite us, we pray, that we may faithfully protect the liberty of Your people, and help us to serve all with fairness, justice and mercy. This we ask in Your Holy Name.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY

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

The following Senators were granted leaves of absence for the day due to illness: Senators Murray and Perata.

ADJOURNMENT

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

PAULA K. ROSSETTO, Minute Clerk