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## FIFTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

## IN SENATE

Senate Chamber, Sacramento Monday, April 24, 2006

The Senate met at 4:10 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:

Ackerman, Alarcón, Alquist, Ashburn, Battin, Bowen, Cedillo, Chesbro, Cox, Denham, Ducheny, Dunn, Dutton, Escutia, Figueroa, Florez, Hollingsworth, Kehoe, Kuehl, Lowenthal, Machado, Maldonado, Margett, McClintock, Migden, Morrow, Murray, Ortiz, Perata, Poochigian, Romero, Runner, Scott, Simitian, Soto, Speier, Torlakson, and Vincent—38.

Quorum present.

(NOTE: Senator Aanestad will be excused this day due to a family illness.)

#### PRAYER

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

*O God of Grace,* We give thanks for this new day and for the call to service each of us is given. We especially remember with grateful hearts Your servants, Senator Al Alquist and Senator Ed Davis, who now dwell in Your closer presence. We thank You for giving them to us, and for the service they gave to the people of our state. Grant to them Your peace and joy. Give comfort to all who mourn, especially their families, friends, and colleagues; and may each of us have the strength to meet the days to come with hope and courage.—AMEN.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Senator Alquist 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 a family illness: Senator Aanestad.

# ADJOURNMENT

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

PAULA K. ROSSETTO, Minute Clerk