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#### **IN SENATE**

Senate Chamber, Sacramento Friday, July 1, 2011

The Senate met at 9 a.m. Hon. S. Joseph Simitian, of the 11th District, presiding. Secretary Greg Schmidt at the Desk. Assistant Secretary Zachary L. Twilla reading.

### **ROLL CALL**

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names: Alquist, Anderson, Berryhill, Cannella, Corbett, Correa, De León, DeSaulnier, Dutton, Emmerson, Gaines, Hancock, Harman, Huff, La Malfa, Leno, Lieu, Liu, Lowenthal, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Pavley, Price, Rubio, Simitian, Steinberg, Strickland, Vargas, Walters, Wolk, Wright, Wyland, and Yee—33.

Quorum present.

(NOTE: Senator Kehoe will be excused this day on legislative business and Senators Blakeslee, Evans, and Fuller will be excused this day on personal business and Senator Calderon will be excused this day to attend a funeral and Senators Hernandez and Runner will be excused this day due to illness.)

#### **PRAYER**

Upon invitation of the President, the following prayer was offered by Rev. Michael Moran, Spiritual LIfe Center:

In 1964 American poet and songwriter Bob Dylan wrote about a huge change that was taking place in the social and political core consciousness of our nation. President Kennedy had been assassinated, war was escalating, Civil rights advocates were marching, freedom riders were being called traitors by some, and we as a people were being forced

Dylan wrote about this movement that was picking up momentum. He wrote a call to action—an anthem that was true then and is even more

"Come gather round people wherever you roam

And admit that the waters around you have grown.

And accept that soon you'll be drenched to the bone.

If your time to you is worth savin',

then you better start swimming or you'll sink like a stone. For the times they are a changin'."

Come Senators, Congressmen and please heed this call,

Don't stand in the doorway and don't block the hall.

For he that hurts is the one who has stalled.

There's a battle outside and it's ragin'

It'll soon shake your windows and rattle your walls.

For the times they are a changin'."

This morning I ask for blessings for you, those you serve, and for wisdom as you work together to safely guide us through these changing times that are literally shaking our windows and rattling our walls.

Loving Creator—Divine Presence,

We thank you for this new day and the work that is ours to do. We are grateful for our capacity to think and plan, dream and act; for our ability to make things happen that will improve the lives of those we represent. Thank you for the privilege and sacred responsibility of being makers of history. May we, the elected representatives of the people of California be ever mindful of the needs of the less fortunate among us, and the greater good for all citizens.

Bless our work and those with whom we serve. Guide us along the path of harmony and justice. May we always put the welfare of the people who trust us at the heart of all our endeavors and use our skills to build a healthy and sustainable state and world. Help us to treat each other with genuine respect and seek fair and just solutions to the many problems we face.

Loving God known by many names, bless this assembly of women and men entrusted with the health and well-being of our beautiful state. Guide them and direct them each step of the way this day.

Om Shanti, Shalom, Salam, Peace.—AMEN.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Senator La Malfa led the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

# REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES Committee on Governance and Finance

Date of Hearing, June 29, 2011

Mr. President: The Committee on Governance and Finance, to which was referred:

SB 3

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

WOLK, Chair

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Above measure ordered to second reading.

## **Committee on Appropriations**

Senate Chamber, July 1, 2011

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

AB 14

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

**Assembly Bill 14**—An act to amend Sections 26003, 26102, 26140, and 26141 of, to amend the heading of Division 16.2 (commencing with Section 26100) of, to add Sections 26100.5 and 26103.5 to, and to add Chapter 2.5 (commencing with Section 26130) to Division 16.2 of, the Public Resources Code, relating to energy, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time.

Senate Chamber, July 1, 2011

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

**AB** 13

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

**Assembly Bill 13**—An act to amend Sections 2069 and 2099 of, and to add Sections 2099.10 and 2840 to, the Fish and Game Code, and to amend Section 25524 of, and to add Section 25619 to, the Public

Resources Code, relating to renewable energy resources, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read second time.

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

## LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY

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

The following Senators were granted leaves of absence for the day due to personal business: Senators Blakeslee, Evans, and Fuller.

The following Senator was granted leave of absence for the day to attend a funeral: Senator Calderon.

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

### **ADJOURNMENT**

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

PAULA K. ROSSETTO, Minute Clerk