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IN SENATE

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Monday, August 15, 2011

The Senate met at 12 p.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, Blakeslee, Calderon, Cannella, Corbett, Correa, De León, DeSaulnier, Dutton, Emmerson, Fuller, Gaines, Hancock, Harman, Hernandez, Huff, Kehoe, La Malfa, Leno, Lieu, Liu, Lowenthal, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Pavley, Price, Rubio, Simitian, Steinberg, Strickland, Vargas, Walters, Wolk, Wright, Wyland, and Yee—38.

Quorum present.

(NOTE: Senators Evans and Runner will be excused this day on personal business.)



PRAYER

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Rabbi Mona Alfi:

Oh God of All Humanity,

As we return to the sacred task of serving the people of California, may we be ever mindful of the importance of our work, and the profound impact it has on the lives of the men, women and children of this state.

May we also remember this afternoon the 30 U.S. soldiers killed last week in Afghanistan, in the single deadliest attack since the war began, a painful reminder of the thousands of men and women who have lost their lives in service to our country. May their courage and dedication inspire us to act with selflessness and loyalty to our country and its citizens. May we never take for granted the freedom and democratic ideals that they sought to protect and preserve.

May this be God's will.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**Committee on Rules**

Senate Chamber, July 15, 2011

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

Req. No. 1123499 (SB 25)

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

STEINBERG, Chair

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE MEASURE

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

Senate Bill 25: By Senators Alquist and Lowenthal—An act to add Section 89517.5 to the Education Code, relating to postsecondary education.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY

The following Senators were granted leaves of absence for the day due to personal business: Senators Evans 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

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