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IN SENATE

Senate Chamber, Sacramento
Tuesday, August 30, 2011

The Senate met at 10 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, Blakeslee, Calderon, Cannella, Corbett, Correa, De León, DeSaulnier, Dutton, Emmerson, Evans, Fuller, Gaines, Hancock, 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 Harman and Runner will be excused this day on personal business.)



PRAYER

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Rabbi Mona Alfi:

Ralph Waldo Emerson offered wise words on how to live a successful life. He defined a successful life as one where we try “To laugh often and much. To win respect of intelligent people and the affection of children; to earn the appreciation of honest critics and endure the betrayal of false friends; to appreciate beauty; to find the best in others; to leave the world a bit better, whether by a healthy child, a redeemed social condition or a job well done; to know even one other life has breathed easier because you lived.” If we do these things, then we will have lived not only a successful life, but a meaningful one as well.

We pray to the Heavenly God to grant us success in all of our worthy endeavors, to enable us to walk humbly even as we strive to do what is mighty, may we always learn from our mistakes, and may we be blessed to be able to find meaning in our journey. May this be God’s will.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**Committee on Rules**

Senate Chamber, August 30, 2011

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

SB 27

Reports the same back with author’s amendments with the recommendation: Amend, and re-refer to the committee.

STEINBERG, Chair

Second Reading of Bills—Author’s Amendments

Senate Bill 27—An act to add Section 89500.5 to the Education Code, relating to public postsecondary education.

Bill read second time.

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

LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY

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