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IN SENATE

Senate Chamber, Sacramento Wednesday, February 25, 2009

The Senate met at 9 a.m. Hon. Darrell Steinberg, of the 6th District, presiding. Secretary Greg Schmidt at the Desk. Assistant Secretary David Valverde reading.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names: Aanestad, Alquist, Benoit, Calderon, Cedillo, Cogdill, Correa, Cox, Denham, DeSaulnier, Ducheny, Dutton, Florez, Hancock, Harman, Hollingsworth, Huff, Kehoe, Leno, Liu, Lowenthal, Maldonado, Oropeza, Padilla, Pavley, Romero, Runner, Simitian, Steinberg, Strickland, Walters, Wiggins, Wolk, Wright, and Wyland—35.

Quorum present.

(NOTE: Senators Corbett and Yee will be excused this day on legislative business, Senator Ashburn will be excused this day on personal business, and Senator Negrete McLeod will be excused this day due to illness.)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES Committee on Rules

Senate Chamber, February 24, 2009

Mr. President: The Committee on Rules, to which were referred: Req. No. 09 08714 (SCA 1) Req. No. 09 08726 (SCA 2)

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

STEINBERG, Chair

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INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF SENATE MEASURES

The following measures were introduced, read the first time and transmitted to the Committee on Rules:

Senate Constitutional Amendment 1: By Senator Steinberg—A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by adding Section 8.3 to Article XVI thereof, relating to education finance.

Senate Constitutional Amendment 2: By Senator Ashburn (Principal coauthor: Senator Cogdill) (Principal coauthors: Assembly Members Adams and Niello)—A resolution directing the Secretary of State to withdraw from the consideration of the people of the State of California Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 30 (Resolution Chapter 167 of the Statutes of 2008) and further directing the Secretary of State to make amendments in Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 13 (Resolution Chapter 144 of the Statutes of 2008).

CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE SECOND READING OF ASSEMBLY BILLS

Assembly Bill 18—An act relating to elections, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY

The following Senators were granted leaves of absence for the day due to legislative business: Senators Corbett and Yee.

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

The following Senator was granted leave of absence for the day due to illness: Senator Negrete McLeod.

ADJOURNMENT

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

PAULA K. ROSSETTO, Minute Clerk