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IN SENATE

Senate Chamber, Sacramento Monday, June 22, 2009

The Senate met at 12 p.m. Hon. S. Joseph Simitian, of the 11th District, presiding. Secretary Greg Schmidt at the Desk. Assistant Secretary Zach Twilla reading.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names: Aanestad, Alquist, Ashburn, Benoit, Calderon, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, DeSaulnier, Ducheny, Dutton, Florez, Hancock, Harman, Hollingsworth, Huff, Kehoe, Leno, Liu, Lowenthal, Maldonado, Negrete McLeod, Oropeza, Padilla, Pavley, Price, Romero, Runner, Simitian, Steinberg, Strickland, Walters, Wiggins, Wolk, Wright, Wyland, and Yee—40.

Quorum present.

PRAYER

Upon invitation of the President, the following prayer was offered by Bishop Jaime Soto.

Come Holy Spirit,

Replace the tension within us with a holy relaxation.

Replace the turbulence within us with a sacred calm.

Replace the anxiety within us with a quiet confidence.

Replace the fear within us with a strong faith.

Replace the bitterness within us with the sweetness of grace.

Replace the coldness within us with a loving warmth.

Replace the night within us with your day.

Replace the winter within us with your spring.

Straighten our crookedness.

Fill our emptiness.

Dull the edge of our pride.

Sharpen the edge of our humility.

Light the fires of our love.

Quench the flames of our lust.

Let us see ourselves as you see us,

That we may see you as you have promised,

And be fortunate according to your word.

Blessed are the pure of heart, for they shall see God.

(Prayer of St. Richard to the Holy Spirit.)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

ADJOURNMENT

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

PAULA K. ROSSETTO, Minute Clerk