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IN SENATE

Senate Chamber, Sacramento
Monday, May 10, 2010

The Senate met at 2:25 p.m.
Hon. Curren Price, of the 26th 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:

Aanestad, Alquist, Ashburn, Calderon, Cedillo, Cogdill, Correa, Cox, DeSaulnier, Ducheny, Florez, Hancock, Harman, Hollingsworth, Huff, Kehoe, Leno, Lowenthal, Negrete McLeod, Padilla, Pavley, Price, Romero, Runner, Simitian, Steinberg, Strickland, Walters, Wolk, Wright, Wyland, and Yee—32.

Quorum present.

(NOTE: Senators Liu and Wiggins will be excused this day on legislative business, Senator Denham will be excused this day on personal business, and Senators Corbett, Dutton, and Oropeza will be excused this day due to illness.)



PRAYER

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Rabbi Mona Alfi:

Eric Fromm, the noted American thinker, taught that: “Do not do to others what you have them do to you is one of the fundamental principles of ethics. But,” he says, “it is equally justifiable to state: Whatever you do to others, you also do to yourself.”

People do not exist in isolation from one another. Rather, we live in a state of relationship with those around us. While we are very often aware of the impact that the behavior of those around us has on *our* lives, we sometimes forget that the way we treat others *also* impacts who we are and how we live.

If we approach the world with kindness, compassion and joy, we will become more open to receiving it.

May the Holy One of Blessing grant us the wisdom, strength and ability to create the world we wish to live in. May this be God’s will.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

LEAVES OF ABSENCE FOR THE DAY

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

The following Senator was granted leave of absence for the day on personal business: Senator Denham.

The following Senators were granted leaves of absence for the day due to illness: Senators Corbett, Dutton, and Oropeza.

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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