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IN SENATE

Senate Chamber, Sacramento
Thursday, February 25, 2010

The Senate met at 9:07 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:

Aanestad, Alquist, Ashburn, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, Denham, DeSaulnier, Ducheny, Dutton, Florez, Hancock, Hollingsworth, Huff, Kehoe, Leno, Liu, Lowenthal, Maldonado, Negrete McLeod, Oropeza, Padilla, Pavley, Price, Romero, Runner, Simitian, Steinberg, Strickland, Walters, Wolk, Wright, Wyland, and Yee—36.

Quorum present.

(NOTE: Senator Calderon will be excused this day on legislative business and Senators Harman and Wiggins will be excused this day on personal business.)



PRAYER

Prayer was offered by the Chaplain, Rabbi Mona Alfi:

The noted American poet and college professor, Mark Van Doren, had this to say about his life's work:

Whenever I have been afraid that my work was so personal that no one could understand it, everybody *did* understand it. When I tried to speak for others, they didn't know what I was talking about.

When we speak from our hearts, we can cross boundaries created by language, culture, age and experience and find universal truths that resonate with others. But when we presume to know what others think or feel or need, our judgement can become clouded by arrogance. It is only by first knowing ourselves that we can then begin to know and understand others.

May we have the wisdom to look into our hearts and understand what we see, and may this insight enable us to infuse our life's work with honesty, integrity and thoughtfulness. May this be God's will.—AMEN.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

Assembly Chamber, February 25, 2010

Mr. President: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Assembly amended, and on this day passed, as amended:

SB 4

And respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendments.

Above measure ordered to unfinished business file.

Assembly Chamber, February 25, 2010

Mr. President: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Assembly on this day concurred in Senate amendments to:

AB 5

AB 7

E. DOTSON WILSON, Chief Clerk of the Assembly

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES**Committee on Natural Resources and Water**

Date of Hearing, February 25, 2010

Mr. President: The Committee on Natural Resources and Water, to which was referred:

SB 30

Reports the same back with the recommendation: Do pass, but first be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

PAVLEY, Chair

Above measure re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.



**CONSIDERATION OF DAILY FILE
THIRD READING OF SENATE BILLS**

Senate Bill 26—An act to add Division 16.2 (commencing with Section 26100) to the Public Resources Code, relating to energy, and making an appropriation therefor.

Bill read third time and presented by Senator Pavley.

Roll Call

The roll was called and the bill was passed by the following vote:

AYES (32)—Senators Aanestad, Alquist, Ashburn, Cedillo, Cogdill, Corbett, Correa, Cox, DeSaulnier, Dutton, Florez, Hancock, Hollingsworth, Huff, Kehoe, Leno, Liu, Lowenthal, Maldonado, Negrete McLeod, Oropeza, Padilla, Pavley, Price, Romero, Runner, Simitian, Steinberg, Strickland, Wolk, Wright, and Wyland.

NOES (0)—None.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

**SENATE COMMITTEE ROLL CALLS
Committee on Education**

SB 61—Do pass as amended and re-refer to Committee on Appropriations

AYES (2)—Senators Huff and Wyland.

NOES (6)—Senators Alquist, Hancock, Liu, Price, Romero, and Simitian.

Failed passage

SB 61—Reconsideration granted

AYES (8)—Senators Alquist, Hancock, Huff, Liu, Price, Romero, Simitian, and Wyland.

NOES (0)—None.

Date of Hearing: 2/25/2010

Romero (Chair)

Committee on Judiciary

SB 69—Do pass

AYES (1)—Senator Walters.

NOES (3)—Senators Corbett, Hancock, and Leno.

Failed Passage

Date of Hearing: 2/25/2010

Corbett (Chair)

Committee on Natural Resources and Water

SB 30—Do pass and re-refer to Committee on Appropriations

AYES (5)—Senators Kehoe, Lowenthal, Padilla, Pavley, and Simitian.

NOES (2)—Senators Cogdill and Hollingsworth.

Date of Hearing: 2/25/2010

Pavley (Chair)



LEAVES OF ABSENCE

The following Senator was given leave of absence for the day due to legislative business: Senator Calderon.

The following Senators were given leaves of absence for the day on personal business: Harman and Wiggins.

ADJOURNMENT

At 9:14 a.m., the President declared the Senate adjourned on call of the President pro Tempore.

PAULA K. ROSSETTO, Minute Clerk

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