

THE THIRTY-THIRD DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), March 6, 2009

Assembly called to order at 11:24 a.m.

Madam Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblyman McArthur, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Bruce Kochsmeier.

Eternal God, before any of us were a glimmer in someone's eye, You knew us and had plans for us. You knew this day would bring us to the tasks before us. As we face the events that unfold here, give us hearts to follow Your lead. Make each of these leaders mindful of Your indwelling Holy Spirit. Where there may be weariness, bring Your rest. Where there is anxiety, bring Your peace. Where there are differences, bring Your healing grace that these leaders may see and do Your will.

We are grateful, our Father, that we live in this free land where ordinary people like all of us are called to speak and act for the good of all. It is a huge and daunting honor. Let Your voice speak into the life of each person here today. Equip each of them to serve Your people. Fill them with a sense of Your directing hand. Give them joy that comes from letting You lead within us. Bless our State of Nevada for Your glory. With gratitude for Your provisions and confident of Your promise to heal the land of those who seek You in prayer, we offer our lives and this session up to You today.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Conklin moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with, and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Madam Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 165, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

MORSE ARBERRY JR., *Chair*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, March 5, 2009

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 13.

SHERRY L. RODRIGUEZ
Assistant Secretary of the Senate

Assemblyman Ocegüera moved that the Assembly recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 11:29 a.m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 11:35 a.m.

Madam Speaker presiding.

Quorum present.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE

By Assemblymen Denis and Kihuen:

Assembly Bill No. 254—AN ACT relating to the Department of Business and Industry; making the Ombudsman of Consumer Affairs for Minorities a permanent position; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Denis moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

By Assemblywoman Leslie:

Assembly Bill No. 255—AN ACT relating to state financial administration; increasing the tax on cigarettes; providing for the use of the additional revenue to pay for coverage of certain pregnant women, Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program; requiring the Department of Health and Human Services to include presumptive eligibility to and certain coverage for pregnant women in the State Plan for Medicaid; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Leslie moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Segerblom, McClain, Aizley, Claborn, Mortenson, Munford, Ohrenschall, and Pierce; Senator Breeden:

Assembly Bill No. 256—AN ACT relating to elections; revising provisions governing the dates for certain elections; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Segerblom moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Elections, Procedures, Ethics, and Constitutional Amendments.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Kihuen, Horne, Anderson, Claborn, Conklin, Denis, Dondero Loop, McClain, Mortenson, Munford, Oceguela, Ohrenschall, and Segerblom:

Assembly Bill No. 257—AN ACT relating to crimes; prohibiting the taking of an excessive number of certain free publications under certain circumstances; providing a penalty; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Kihuen moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Horne, Manendo, Aizley, Atkinson, Conklin, Dondero Loop, Hambrick, Hogan, Kihuen, Munford, Ohrenschall, Segerblom, Spiegel, and Stewart; Senator Parks:

Assembly Bill No. 258—AN ACT relating to property; allowing the new owner of real property or a mobile home after a foreclosure sale or trustee's sale to offer the tenant of the property a payment in exchange for the tenant vacating the property; requiring a security deposit received by a landlord to be placed in an escrow account; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Horne moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Corrections, Parole, and Probation:

Assembly Bill No. 259—AN ACT relating to criminal offenders; revising provisions relating to the residential confinement of certain offenders; authorizing a court to provide for the forfeiture of credits for good behavior of a parolee or a probationer under certain circumstances; revising provisions concerning certain credits to be applied to a period of probation or parole; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Horne moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Corrections, Parole, and Probation.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 39.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 60.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 174.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Assemblyman Ocegüera moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 29, 69, 73, 136, 154, and 169 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

GUESTS EXTENDED PRIVILEGE OF ASSEMBLY FLOOR

On request of Assemblyman Cobb, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Taylor Diamond and Jessica Young.

On request of Assemblyman Goicoechea, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Julian Smith, JoAnne Smith, Joylyn Harmer, and Zoey Harmer.

On request of Assemblywoman Smith, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Ann Clark.

Assemblyman Ocegüera moved that the Assembly adjourn until Monday, March 9, 2009, at 11 a.m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 11:44 a.m.

Approved:

BARBARA E. BUCKLEY
Speaker of the Assembly

Attest: SUSAN FURLONG REIL
Chief Clerk of the Assembly