

THE THIRTY-THIRD DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), March 6, 2015

Assembly called to order at 11:43 a.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Ben Fleming.

Heavenly Father, we lift up our eyes to the hills. From where does our help come? Our help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth. He will not let our foot be moved; he who keeps your servants in this Assembly will not slumber. Behold, he who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep. The Lord is your keeper; the Lord is your shade on your right hand. The sun shall not strike you by day, nor the moon by night. The Lord will keep you from all evil; he will keep your life. The Lord will keep your going out, and your coming in, from this time forth and forevermore. I pray this in the Name of Your Son Jesus.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Hansen 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

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Health and Human Services, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 99, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

JAMES OSCARSON, *Chair*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Taxation, to which were referred Assembly Bill No. 70; Senate Bill No. 21, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

DEREK ARMSTRONG, *Chair*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, March 5, 2015

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bills Nos. 35, 45, 63, 109.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as amended, Senate Bill No. 10.

SHERRY RODRIGUEZ
Assistant Secretary of the Senate

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE

By Assemblymen Munford, Hickey, Diaz, Thompson, Flores, Elliot Anderson, Araujo, Benitez-Thompson, Bustamante Adams, Kirkpatrick, Neal, Ohrenschall, Sprinkle, Swank and Wheeler; Senators Manendo, Atkinson, Denis, Kihuen, Ford, Harris and Spearman:

Assembly Bill No. 234—AN ACT relating to education; requiring the State Board of Education to adopt a program of multicultural education for certain pupils; requiring certain licensed teachers to complete a course in multicultural education for renewal of their license; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Munford moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Neal, Bustamante Adams, Diaz, Benitez-Thompson, Carlton, Elliot Anderson, Araujo, Carrillo, Flores, Joiner, Kirkpatrick, Munford, Ohrenschall, Spiegel, Sprinkle, Swank and Thompson; Senators Ford, Woodhouse, Kihuen, Atkinson, Parks, Manendo and Spearman:

Assembly Bill No. 235—AN ACT relating to employment; requiring an employer to provide paid sick leave to each employee of the employer under certain circumstances; providing a penalty; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Neal moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Neal, Spiegel, Thompson, Elliot Anderson, Araujo, Benitez-Thompson, Bustamante Adams, Carlton, Carrillo, Diaz, Flores, Joiner, Kirkpatrick, Munford, Ohrenschall, Sprinkle and Swank; Senators Atkinson and Spearman:

Assembly Bill No. 236—AN ACT relating to state agencies; providing for the promotion of public engagement by state agencies using the Internet and Internet tools; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Neal moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

By Assemblywoman Neal and Senator Atkinson (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 237—AN ACT relating to motor vehicle registration; revising provisions governing the issuance of a distinguishing number to certain vehicles by the Department of Motor Vehicles; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Neal moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Dooling, Shelton, Jones, Moore, Fiore, Edwards, Gardner, Ohrenschall, O'Neill, Seaman, Trowbridge and Wheeler:

Assembly Bill No. 238—AN ACT relating to common-interest communities; revising provisions governing eligibility to be a member of the executive board or an officer of a homeowners' association; revising provisions relating to the solicitation of bids for a homeowners' association project; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Dooling moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 10.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 35.

Assemblyman Hansen moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 45.

Assemblyman Hansen moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Mining.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 63.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 109.

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

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 122.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Assemblymen Swank and Wheeler.

ASSEMBLYWOMAN SWANK:

Assembly Bill 122 does not create a legal holiday but establishes May 20—which I might add is the birthday of Betty Willis, who designed the Fabulous Las Vegas sign and lives in Overton, Nevada—as “Nevada Mid-Century Architecture Day.” It will be a day of observance in celebration of the unique and important examples of mid-20th century architecture in this state and in recognition of the need to preserve these historically significant places that are a rich part of our cultural history. I would also like to add that on May 20, 2014, the Neon Museum along with the Nevada Preservation Foundation held a panel discussion on the Mid-century Home, that

honored architect Hugh Taylor, who designed over a thousand residences in Nevada. This May 20, the Neon Museum, the Nevada Preservation Foundation, and the City of Las Vegas will hold a panel discussion on mid-century motels.

ASSEMBLYMAN WHEELER:

I rise in reluctant support of Assembly Bill 122. You see, Mr. Speaker, before the amendment, the bill was just fine. But when we add the word mid-century and I look around this room, I see so many people, like me, who were actually born in the mid-century. We are now being equated with an historical monument. I must ask my colleague, why did she do this to us?

ASSEMBLYWOMAN SWANK:

I would like to reply to my esteemed colleague. I, too, am from the mid-century. Being in historic preservation—maybe that is something that would benefit my esteemed colleague also, so that all of us can be well preserved.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 122:

YEAS—42.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 122 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SIGNING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Senate Bill No. 90.

REMARKS FROM THE FLOOR

ASSEMBLYMAN ELLISON:

My colleague from District 22 implemented a tan hump-day during the last couple of weeks. We feel that we have been discriminated against. Therefore, we would like to recommend that once in a while we have a blue, Levi Jeans Day. I know I have my colleague from District 22 who probably would like to debate this, but, sir, I would like to make sure that that goes on the record.

ASSEMBLYMAN STEWART:

As one who likes to include everyone, I would not oppose the Levi Day. In fact, I remember when Levi Straus first came to San Francisco and sewed the first pair of Levis. The miners were very relaxed and felt much more comfortable in them. I would strongly support a Levi Day, and by the way, sometime this year Levi Straus will have another birthday.

ASSEMBLYMAN WHEELER:

I, too, rise in support of Levi Day, obviously. Being from the Rodeo State and having a license plate on my car that says Rodeo State, once in a while we just ought to do it. Looking back two years ago, I know that the former Speaker was very much in support of this since she gave us denim day about six times if I remember correctly. We just ask that you carry on with the tradition.

ASSEMBLYMAN OSCARSON:

I could not help but weigh in on this important matter. I believe that it would be prudent to compromise and perhaps wear Levis with a brown jacket and just combine the two days. Also, for the record, I will not be in support of a license plate for Levis.

GUESTS EXTENDED PRIVILEGE OF ASSEMBLY FLOOR

On request of Assemblywoman Benitez-Thompson, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Antonio Gonzalez, Jeff Thompson, Sandy Thompson, and Truckee Thompson, and the following students, chaperones, and teachers from Swope Middle School: Vivian Aleman, Adaline Armon, Jaedyn Ashbrook, Ryan Barkowski, Lindsey Biggs, Jesse Bruno Torrero, Dominic Burke, Kevin Butler, Kaelyn Campbell, Ivette Carapia, Sofia Carmona, Jovany Carranza, Jeonard Cawile, Manuel Chavez, Lucas Clowers, Turner Collins, Michael Crow, Alyssa Doyle, Gabriel Duff, Eduardo Escobar, Rodolfo Fletes, Tess Fouassier, Nathan Francis, Zachary Geddry, Aden Gentner, Emma M. Gregg, Rebecca Hamilton, Brett Hamlin, Brett Hardie, Nascia Harris, Gavin J. Hicks, Cooper Jackson, Jose Jordan Valdes, Rachelle Kerr, Kaden Kridler, Kenia Linares, Franklin Little, Elizabeth McKibben, Zachary Metzker, Justice Mills, Kiley Nichols, Luis Ortiz, Ricardo Palacio, Brianna Perez, Izzy Bennett, Gerardo Chavez Rodriguez, Millie Cruz Carbajal, Jonah Davis, Kyle Fermoile, Nacayla Franey, Dillon Greenan, Brett Grimm, Sawyer Harris, Dylan Hutchings, Brandi Jarvis, Alex Khorshidi, Addison Klupfell, Kayli Koffler, Sydney Lamb, Gianna Lotito, Madison Lovett, Yolani Mapp, Angel Mata, Paris McCabe, Quinn Means, Ava Miller, Jason Montgomery, Breeze Nay, Hunter Olson, Luis A. Ortiz, Levi Potter, Eduardo Ramos, Chase Ramos, Katie Sawyer, Erica Schwab, Jullian Scolari, Alexis Serratos, Charles Siemann, Kaleigh Sippola, Annika Sorensen, Destiny Stewart, Payton Unger, Madison Wanco, Aydan White, Elizabeth Whitlock, Addison Woelfle, and Drue Worthen.

On request of Assemblyman Hambrick, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Greg Haas and Jordan Haas.

On request of Assemblyman Ohrenschall, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Craig Handzlik and Janette Dean.

Assemblyman Hansen moved that the Assembly adjourn until Monday, March 9, 2015, at 11:30 a.m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 12:02 p.m.

Approved:

JOHN HAMBRICK
Speaker of the Assembly

Attest: SUSAN FURLONG
Chief Clerk of the Assembly