

THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), March 1, 2017

Assembly called to order at 11:57 a.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Father Chuck Durante.

Let us pray.

God of grace and mercy, we are aware of Your constant love. You demonstrate that love by entrusting us with this great and beautiful world. You equip us with all that we need to care for all that You have created and to care for one another.

Grant us the time and insight to reflect upon Your desire for true and lasting justice, that all people may be lifted up by a new hope that each can become what You created her or him to be. Help all Your people to grow in the discipline that moves beyond self-centeredness and makes room for the needs and rights of all, especially the weakest and most vulnerable among us.

Bless this body of the Nevada Assembly today in their work. May they know the gratitude of the people of Nevada for their service and be always guided by what is good for all the people and lands of this great state.

We make this prayer in humility and trust.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblywoman Benitez-Thompson 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 Judiciary, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 4, 37, 63, 184, 219, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

STEVE YEAGER, *Chair*

COMMUNICATIONS

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20515-2802

March 1, 2017

THE HONORABLE JASON FRIERSON, Nevada Legislature, 401 Carson Street, Carson City, NV
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DEAR SPEAKER FRIERSON:

Pursuant to past protocol, I would like to request permission as a Representative in the United States Congress of the Second District of Nevada, to address a joint session of the Nevada Legislature on Monday, March 13, 2017, at 5 p.m.

Please contact Rachel Provost at 202.225.6155 to coordinate the details of my visit, or if you have any further questions.

Your consideration of this request is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
 MARK E. AMODEI
Congressman (NV-02)
 United States House of Representatives

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, February 28, 2017

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bills Nos. 92, 123.

SHERRY RODRIGUEZ
Assistant Secretary of the Senate

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

February 28, 2017

The Fiscal Analysis Division, pursuant to Joint Standing Rule 14.6, has determined the exemption of: Senate Bills Nos. 72, 155, 167, 180 and 190.

Also, the Fiscal Analysis Division, pursuant to Joint Standing Rule 14.6, has determined the eligibility for exemption of: Senate Bills Nos. 107, 108, 109, 112, 114, 120, 126, 135, 136, 137, 139, 147, 154, 179, 181, 194 and 221.

MARK KRMPOTIC
Fiscal Analysis Division

Assemblywoman Benitez-Thompson moved that Assembly Bill No. 24 be withdrawn from the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE

By Assemblymen Kramer, Benitez-Thompson, Daly, Hansen and Titus (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 246—AN ACT relating to regional development; revising provisions relating to the creation of a local improvement district; authorizing the governing bodies of two or more municipalities to jointly create a tax increment area under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Yeager, Ohrenschall, Watkins, Carrillo, Monroe-Moreno, Araujo, Bilbray-Axelrod, Brooks, Daly, Frierson, Fumo, Jauregui, Joiner, McCurdy, Miller, Neal, Sprinkle and Thompson:

Assembly Bill No. 247—AN ACT relating to residential leasing; providing for the early termination of certain rental agreements by victims of harassment, sexual assault or stalking under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Ellison, Oscarson, Wheeler and Titus:

Assembly Bill No. 248—AN ACT relating to unfair practices; expanding the circumstances under which a manufacturer, distributor or factory branch of a manufacturer commits an unfair act or practice against a vehicle dealer; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Ellison moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Frierson, Bilbray-Axelrod, Sprinkle, Benitez-Thompson, Yeager, Elliot Anderson, Araujo, Brooks, Bustamante Adams, Carlton, Carrillo, Cohen, Daly, Diaz, Flores, Fumo, Jauregui, Joiner, McCurdy, Miller, Monroe-Moreno, Neal, Ohrenschall, Spiegel, Swank, Thompson and Watkins:

Assembly Bill No. 249—AN ACT relating to health care; requiring the State Plan for Medicaid to provide certain benefits relating to contraception at no additional cost to the enrollee; requiring a pharmacist to dispense up to a 12-month supply of contraceptives in certain circumstances; requiring all health insurance plans to provide certain benefits relating to contraception at no additional cost to the insured; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Benitez-Thompson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 92.

Assemblywoman Benitez-Thompson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 123.

Assemblywoman Benitez-Thompson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 24.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

GUESTS EXTENDED PRIVILEGE OF ASSEMBLY FLOOR

On request of Assemblyman Paul Anderson, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Cody Hughes, Jodi Tyson, and Deb Gallo.

On request of Assemblywoman Benitez-Thompson, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Celeste Tinajero.

On request of Assemblyman Brooks, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to John Silvaroli.

On request of Assemblywoman Bustamante Adams, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Amber Martin-Jahn, Vincent D'Ascoli, and Adam Welmerink.

On request of Assemblyman Ellison, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Matthew Thacker and David White.

On request of Assemblywoman Jauregui, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Sean Fitzgibbons.

On request of Assemblywoman Joiner, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Jason Doucette.

On request of Assemblyman Kramer, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Chris Lingard.

On request of Assemblywoman Krasner, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Patrick Silvaroli.

On request of Assemblyman McCurdy, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Jessica Preston.

On request of Assemblywoman Monroe-Moreno, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Cedric Williams.

On request of Assemblyman Ohrenschall, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Robert Talley.

On request of Assemblyman Oscarson, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Bill Loken.

On request of Assemblyman Pickard, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Greg Pisani.

On request of Assemblyman Sprinkle, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Anna Severens.

On request of Assemblyman Thompson, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Randy Robison.

On request of Assemblywoman Tolles, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Rick Thiriot, Amy Gavin, and Mary Herzik.

On request of Assemblyman Watkins, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Mark Funke.

On request of Assemblyman Wheeler, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Susan Haas.

Assemblywoman Benitez-Thompson moved that the Assembly adjourn until Thursday, March 2, 2017, at 11:30 a.m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 12:23 p.m.

Approved:

JASON FRIERSON
Speaker of the Assembly

Attest: SUSAN FURLONG
Chief Clerk of the Assembly