

**THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY**

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CARSON CITY (Friday), March 4, 2005

Assembly called to order at 10:33 a.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblymen Carpenter and Mabey, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Larry Schneider.

Once again, let us begin our important work with prayer. We are now in the presence of pure Being and immersed in the Holy Spirit of life, love, and wisdom. We acknowledge Your presence and power. O blessed Spirit. In Your divine wisdom, now erase our mortal limitations, and from Your pure substance of love, bring into manifestation our world according to Your perfect law.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Ocegüera 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 Government Affairs, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 130, 131, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

DAVID PARKS, *Chairman*

*Mr. Speaker:*

Your Committee on Transportation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 138, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

JOHN OCEGUERA, *Chairman*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, March 3, 2005

*To the Honorable the Assembly:*

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as amended, Senate Bill No. 44.

MARY JO MONGELLI  
*Assistant Secretary of the Senate*

Mr. Speaker announced if there were no objections, the Assembly would recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Assembly in recess at 10:37 a.m.

## ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 10:43 a.m.  
Mr. Speaker presiding.  
Quorum present.

## INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By Assemblymen Smith, Gansert, Gerhardt, Giunchigliani, Holcomb, Leslie, Marvel, Parks, and Parnell; Senators Mathews and Washington (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 164—AN ACT relating to the City of Sparks; amending the Charter of the City of Sparks to increase the term of office of Municipal Judges; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Kirkpatrick, Parks, Ohrenschall, Goicoechea, Allen, Arberry, Atkinson, Christensen, Claborn, Conklin, Denis, Gerhardt, Giunchigliani, Grady, Hardy, Hettrick, Hogan, Horne, Koivisto, Manendo, McClain, McCleary, Munford, Ocegüera, Seale, Sibley, and Smith; Senators Hardy and Horsford:

Assembly Bill No. 165—AN ACT relating to land use planning; revising provisions governing continuances of matters before planning commissions in larger counties; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Hardy, Anderson, Hettrick, Sibley, Parks, Christensen, Claborn, Conklin, Denis, Gansert, Holcomb, Manendo, McCleary, and Seale; Senators Hardy, Nolan, and Raggio:

Assembly Bill No. 166—AN ACT relating to civil actions; revising certain provisions relating to an offer of judgment in a civil action; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Hardy, Hettrick, McCleary, Denis, Parks, Arberry, Buckley, Christensen, Claborn, Gansert, Giunchigliani, Holcomb, Leslie, Manendo, Seale, and Sibley; Senators Coffin, Beers, Hardy, and McGinness:

Assembly Bill No. 167—AN ACT relating to municipal obligations; authorizing the acquisition by a county or the State of Nevada of municipal securities issued by certain wastewater authorities; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Denis, Smith, Hardy, Anderson, Atkinson, Buckley, Christensen, Gansert, Gerhardt, Giunchigliani, Goicoechea, Hogan, Horne, Kirkpatrick, Koivisto, Manendo, Marvel, McCleary, Munford, Ocegüera, Parnell, and Pierce; Senators Titus, Carlton, Hardy, Heck, and Lee:

Assembly Bill No. 168—AN ACT relating to education; revising provisions governing the review of applications to form charter schools submitted for sponsorship by the State Board of Education; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Denis, McCleary, Manendo, Smith, Hardy, Anderson, Atkinson, Buckley, Christensen, Gansert, Gerhardt, Giunchigliani, Goicoechea, Hogan, Horne, Kirkpatrick, Koivisto, Marvel, Munford, Ocegüera, Pierce, Sherer, and Weber; Senators Carlton, Titus, Hardy, Heck, and Lee:

Assembly Bill No. 169—AN ACT relating to vehicles; requiring a person whose title to or interest in a vehicle is transferred to submit a notice of transfer and release of liability to the Department of Motor Vehicles under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen McCleary, Denis, Hardy, Ohrenschall, Parks, Allen, Buckley, Claborn, Gerhardt, Grady, Hogan, Manendo, Marvel, McClain, Mortenson, Munford, Perkins, and Seale; Senators Wiener, Care, and Washington (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 170—AN ACT relating to military affairs; requiring the Governor to enter into an agreement with the Secretary of Defense to conduct the National Guard ChalleNGe Program in this State; requiring the Office of the Military to operate the program; making an appropriation; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman McCleary moved that the bill be referred to the Concurrent Committees on Government Affairs and Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Hettrick, Angle, Sherer, Christensen, Claborn, Goicoechea, Hogan, Holcomb, Marvel, McCleary, Mortenson, Munford, Parks, and Weber; Senators Beers, Amodei, and Cegavske:

Assembly Bill No. 171—AN ACT relating to transportation; requiring common and contract motor carriers to perform routine inspections of their vehicles; making various changes to provisions governing the supervision and regulation of carriers, drivers and brokers; revising provisions governing access to public transportation by persons with disabilities and service animals; making changes to the provisions governing leases of taxicabs to independent contractors by certain holders of certificates of public convenience and necessity; providing a penalty; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen McClain, Koivisto, Giunchigliani, Smith, Parnell, Buckley, Claborn, Conklin, Denis, Gerhardt, Kirkpatrick, Leslie, Ohrenschall, Pierce, and Weber; Senators Titus, Wiener, and Carlton:

Assembly Bill No. 172—AN ACT making an appropriation to the Women's Research Institute of Nevada at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman McClain moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 44.

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

Motion carried.

#### SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 6.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 55.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 71.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2.

Resolution read second time and ordered to third reading.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

#### SIGNING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 6.

GUESTS EXTENDED PRIVILEGE OF ASSEMBLY FLOOR

On request of Assemblyman Hettrick, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Iani Dunbar.

On request of Assemblyman Sherer, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Cindy Marcotte, Dennis Keating, Nicole Genet, Traci Ward, and Debbie Wescoatt.

On request of Assemblywoman Weber, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Dennis Mankeo and Alisa Savoretti.

Assemblyman Oceguela moved that the Assembly adjourn until Monday, March 7, 2005, at 11:00 a.m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 10:58 a.m.

Approved:

RICHARD D. PERKINS  
*Speaker of the Assembly*

Attest: NANCY S. TRIBBLE  
*Chief Clerk of the Assembly*