

THE FORTY-SEVENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), March 25, 2005

Assembly called to order at 11:49 a.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblymen Holcomb and Munford, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Dr. Terry Arnold.

The psalmist declared in Psalm 118:24, "This is the day which the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it." Our Heavenly Father, on this holiest day of the year, please fill our hearts with Your worship, our heads with Your wisdom, and our hands with Your work. I pray in my Savior's name.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblywoman Buckley 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 was referred Assembly Bill No. 9, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

Also, your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 86, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

BERNIE ANDERSON, *Chairman*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, March 24, 2005

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. 9.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 155.

MARY JO MONGELLI

Assistant Secretary of the Senate

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By the Committee on Elections, Procedures, Ethics, and Constitutional Amendments:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10—Proposing to amend the Nevada Constitution to provide that a person must be a resident of the State for 30 days before an election to be eligible to vote in that election.

RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY AND SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, JOINTLY, That Section 1 of Article 2 of the Nevada Constitution be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. All citizens of the United States (not laboring under the disabilities named in this Constitution) of the age of eighteen years and upwards, who shall have actually, and not constructively, resided in the State ~~for six months,~~ and in the district or county thirty days next preceding any election, shall be entitled to vote for all officers that now or hereafter may be elected by the people, and upon all questions submitted to the electors at such election; *provided*, that no person who has been or may be convicted of treason or felony in any state or territory of the United States, unless restored to civil rights, and no person who has been adjudicated mentally incompetent, unless restored to legal capacity, shall be entitled to the privilege of an elector. There shall be no denial of the elective franchise at any election on account of sex. The Legislature may provide by law the conditions under which a citizen of the United States who does not have the status of an elector in another state and who does not meet the residence requirements of this section may vote in this State for President and Vice President of the United States.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblyman Perkins:

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 11—Proposing to amend the Nevada Constitution to effect a freeze on property taxes for senior citizens.

RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY AND SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, JOINTLY, That Section 1 of Article 10 of the Nevada Constitution be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. 1. The Legislature shall provide by law for a uniform and equal rate of assessment and taxation, and shall prescribe such regulations as shall secure a just valuation for taxation of all property, real, personal and possessory, except mines and mining claims, which shall be assessed and taxed only as provided in Section 5 of this Article.

2. Shares of stock, bonds, mortgages, notes, bank deposits, book accounts and credits, and securities and choses in action of like character are deemed to represent interest in property already assessed and taxed, either in Nevada or elsewhere, and shall be exempt.

3. The Legislature may constitute agricultural and open-space real property having a greater value for another use than that for which it is being used, as a separate class for taxation purposes and may provide a separate uniform plan for appraisal and valuation of such property for assessment purposes. If such plan is provided, the Legislature shall also provide for retroactive assessment for a period of not less than 7 years when agricultural and open-space real property is converted to a higher use conforming to the use for which other nearby property is used.

4. Personal property which is moving in interstate commerce through or over the territory of the State of Nevada, or which was consigned to a warehouse, public or private, within the State of Nevada from outside the State of Nevada for storage in transit to a final destination outside the State of Nevada, whether specified when transportation begins or afterward, shall be deemed to have acquired no situs in Nevada for purposes of taxation and shall be exempt from taxation. Such property shall not be deprived of such exemption because while in the warehouse the property is assembled, bound, joined, processed, disassembled, divided, cut, broken in bulk, relabeled or repackaged.

5. The Legislature may exempt motor vehicles from the provisions of the tax required by this Section, and in lieu thereof, if such exemption is granted, shall provide for a uniform and equal rate of assessment and taxation of motor vehicles, which rate shall not exceed five cents on one dollar of assessed valuation.

6. The Legislature shall provide by law for a progressive reduction in the tax upon business inventories by 20 percent in each year following the adoption of this provision, and after the

expiration of the 4th year such inventories are exempt from taxation. The Legislature may exempt any other personal property, including livestock.

7. No inheritance tax shall ever be levied.

8. The Legislature may exempt by law property used for municipal, educational, literary, scientific or other charitable purposes, or to encourage the conservation of energy or the substitution of other sources for fossil sources of energy.

9. No income tax shall be levied upon the wages or personal income of natural persons. Notwithstanding the foregoing provision, and except as otherwise provided in subsection 1 of this Section, taxes may be levied upon the income or revenue of any business in whatever form it may be conducted for profit in the State.

10. The Legislature may provide by law for an abatement of the tax upon or an exemption of part of the assessed value of a single-family residence occupied by the owner to the extent necessary to avoid severe economic hardship to the owner of the residence.

11. *The annual property tax upon a residence owned and occupied by a senior citizen who has paid property taxes in this State during each of the previous 10 years must be limited to an amount not greater than the tax upon the assessed value of the property in the year in which the person:*

(a) Reaches the age of retirement, as defined by the Legislature; or

(b) Has paid property taxes in this State for each of the previous 10 years, whichever is later.

Assemblyman Ocegüera moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Growth and Infrastructure.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Ohrenschall, Allen, Anderson, Angle, Arberry, Atkinson, Buckley, Carpenter, Christensen, Claborn, Conklin, Denis, Gansert, Gerhardt, Giunchigliani, Goicoechea, Grady, Hardy, Hettrick, Hogan, Holcomb, Horne, Kirkpatrick, Koivisto, Leslie, Mabey, Manendo, Marvel, McClain, McCleary, Mortenson, Munford, Ocegüera, Parks, Parnell, Perkins, Pierce, Seale, Sherer, Sibley, Smith, and Weber; Senators Titus, Amodei, Beers, Care, Carlton, Cegavske, Coffin, Hardy, Heck, Horsford, Lee, Mathews, McGinness, Nolan, Raggio, Rhoads, Schneider, Tiffany, Townsend, Washington, and Wiener:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 12—Recognizing March 25, 2005, as Greek Independence Day in Nevada.

WHEREAS, Ancient Greece was the birthplace of the democratic principles and thought that fundamentally shaped the growth of democracy in world history, and our own democratic system of government traces its earliest roots back to the beliefs in freedom and representative government forged in classical Greece over 2500 years ago; and

WHEREAS, Greek literature, philosophy and theology form the foundation of western culture, and ancient Greece was the birthplace of the Olympic Games which today have become a celebration of international brotherhood, competition, sportsmanship, goodwill and peace, and demonstrate to all people of the world the unity of our common humanity; and

WHEREAS, After losing their independence in 1453, the Greeks bravely endured almost four centuries of foreign occupation, preserving their culture, language and religion in the face of oppression; and

WHEREAS, In 1821 at the monastery of Agia Lavras, Bishop Germanos of Patras chose the Feast of the Annunciation of Theotokos, one of the holiest days for Greek Orthodox Christians, to deliver the message that a new spirit was about to be born in Greece as he raised the banner of revolution to mark the beginning of the war of independence against the Ottoman Empire; and

WHEREAS, After a long, hard-fought struggle that lasted 8 years and involved countless sacrifices from the people of Greece for the cause of freedom, the independence of Greece was finally recognized with the signing of the Treaty of Andrianople on September 2, 1829; and

WHEREAS, In the late 19th Century, many Greek families sent their sons to the United States to earn wages and eventually return to Greece to buy land there, and in the pursuit of this dream, some of these immigrants made their way west to labor on the railroads and in the mines of Nevada; and

WHEREAS, Although, in the spirit of patriotism, many Greeks working in America returned to their motherland during the Balkan Wars to fight on behalf of their country, immigration to America resumed after World War I with the new dream of establishing homes and businesses, and these Greek Americans brought with them the cultural and social traditions of Greece which have helped create the diversity that gives strength to this Country; and

WHEREAS, The ideals of ancient Greece have influenced modern culture with important contributions in art, drama, literature, philosophy, government, mathematics, science and architecture, and the Greek Americans of today continue this legacy as they add their unique talents and traditions to the mosaic that is the United States of America; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That the members of the 73rd Session of the Nevada Legislature do hereby recognize March 25, 2005, as Greek Independence Day in Nevada and join the entire Nation as it celebrates “Greek Independence Day: A National Day of Celebration of Greek and American Democracy”; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all residents of Nevada are called upon to remember and cherish the democratic principles and love of freedom that are our heritage from ancient Greece and to show appreciation for the many contributions that Greek Americans have made to our Country and our State.

Assemblywoman Ohrenschall moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Assemblywoman Ohrenschall.

Resolution adopted.

Resolution ordered transmitted to 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 12:05 p.m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 12:14 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Quorum present.

By Assemblymen Ohrenschall, Allen, Anderson, Angle, Arberry, Atkinson, Buckley, Carpenter, Christensen, Claborn, Conklin, Denis, Gansert, Gerhardt, Giunchigliani, Goicoechea, Grady, Hardy, Hettrick, Hogan, Holcomb, Horne, Kirkpatrick, Koivisto, Leslie, Mabey, Manendo, Marvel, McClain, McCleary, Mortenson, Munford, Ocegueda, Parks, Parnell, Perkins, Pierce, Seale, Sherer, Sibley, Smith, and Weber; Senators Amodei, Beers, Care, Carlton, Cegavske, Coffin, Hardy, Heck, Horsford, Lee, Mathews, McGinness, Nolan, Raggio, Rhoads, Schneider, Tiffany, Titus, Townsend, Washington, and Wiener:

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 13—Recognizing the contributions of the Hellenic Macedonian people to the creation, preservation and enhancement of the Hellenic culture of Greece throughout the world.

WHEREAS, Archeological evidence reveals that old European civilization flourished in Macedonia between 7000 and 3500 B.C. and the name "Macedonia" is the oldest surviving name of a country on the continent of Europe; and

WHEREAS, Through out its history, the present-day Greek territory of Macedonia has been a crossroads for both traders and conquerors moving between the European continent and Asia Minor and each of these transiting powers left its mark on the region, giving rise to a rich and varied cultural and historical tradition; and

WHEREAS, The first Greeks arrived in the area in approximately 2500 B.C. and, in conjunction with their settlements along the coastline of the Aegean Sea, settled the interior and influenced the art and politics of Macedonia; and

WHEREAS, Philip II raised Macedonia into a great European power and his ancient kingdom reached its height during the reign of Alexander the Great, who extended Macedonia's influence over most of Asia Minor, the Levant, Egypt, Mesopotamia, Persia, and even parts of India, and produced a lasting extension of Greek culture and thought across the ancient Near East; and

WHEREAS, During the centuries of occupation by the Romans and then the Turks, the Hellenic Macedonian people clung fiercely to their Hellenistic character and beliefs and carried them into their society today; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That the members of the 73rd Session of the Nevada Legislature hereby recognize the contributions of the Hellenic Macedonian people to the creation, preservation and enhancement of the Hellenic culture of Greece throughout the world.

Assemblywoman Ohrenschall moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Assemblywoman Ohrenschall.

Resolution adopted.

Resolution ordered transmitted to the Senate.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

By the Committee on Government Affairs:

Assembly Bill No. 426—AN ACT relating to the Office of the Attorney General; revising provision governing the payment of litigation expenses; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Government Affairs:

Assembly Bill No. 427—AN ACT relating to housing; requiring each established place of business of a dealer, manufacturer, general serviceman or specialty serviceman to include name of the business and to conform to certain other requirements; authorizing the Administrator of the Manufactured Housing Division of the Department of Business and Industry to issue a cease and desist order against a licensee under certain circumstances; deleting the provisions that require a person to obtain a license before engaging in the business of a rebuilder, serviceman or installer of manufactured homes, mobile homes or commercial coaches; prohibiting a person from engaging in the business of a general serviceman or specialty serviceman without a license to engage in that business issued by the Division; subjecting a licensee to disciplinary action for failing to use certain forms for the sale and listing for sale of a manufactured home, mobile home

or commercial coach; providing a penalty; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblywoman Gansert:

Assembly Bill No. 428—AN ACT relating to property; making various changes concerning property that is exempt from execution by creditors; revising the requirements for obtaining a homestead exemption; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Horne and Atkinson:

Assembly Bill No. 429—AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; requiring the Department of Motor Vehicles to carry forward a person's excess credit for the payment of registration fees and governmental services taxes under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Sibley and Hardy:

Assembly Bill No. 430—AN ACT relating to taxation; providing for the submission to the voters of the question whether the Sales and Use Tax Act of 1955 should be amended to provide an exemption from the tax for medical goods and equipment; providing for such an exemption from certain analogous taxes if the voters approve the amendment to the Sales and Use Tax Act of 1955; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblyman Mabey:

Assembly Bill No. 431—AN ACT making an appropriation for a pilot project that will provide a free medical center for uninsured working residents of Clark County; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Hardy and Gansert:

Assembly Bill No. 432—AN ACT relating to the Legislature; requiring a state agency or local government to include certain additional information in

a fiscal note for certain bills and joint resolutions; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Hardy, Sibley, Gansert, Goicoechea, and Grady; Senators Hardy and Beers:

Assembly Bill No. 433—AN ACT relating to taxation of property; requiring the Department of Taxation to prepare a statewide property tax credit for owners and renters of certain property; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Growth and Infrastructure.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Leslie, Pierce, Carpenter, Goicoechea, Giunchigliani, Anderson, Arberry, Atkinson, Buckley, Conklin, Denis, Gerhardt, Grady, Hogan, Horne, Kirkpatrick, Koivisto, Manendo, Mortenson, Munford, Ocegüera, Ohrenschall, Parks, Parnell, Perkins, Sherer, and Smith:

Assembly Bill No. 434—AN ACT relating to environmental resources; providing for goals for water conservation in each county; creating a fund to be used to support the adjudication of existing water rights; requiring the State Engineer to conduct public hearings regarding interbasin transfers of water; conditioning and restricting the approval of certain applications for a permit to use water; providing for civil penalties and suspension or revocation of water permits for certain violations relating to water; revising the considerations and determinations the State Engineer must make before approving certain applications for a permit to use water; creating a fund to be used to protect existing water rights; revising the membership of the State Environmental Commission; providing for an inventory of water resources in this State; providing for a legislative study of water resources and management; providing a civil penalty; making appropriations; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Transportation:

Assembly Bill No. 435—AN ACT relating to the Department of Motor Vehicles; requiring the Department to withhold a portion of certain fees imposed by the Department or a portion of the governmental services tax for use in paying the fees charged by certain issuers of credit cards or debit cards or operators of systems that provide electronic transfers; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Commerce and Labor:

Assembly Bill No. 436—AN ACT relating to manufacturers of tobacco products; providing additional procedures to aid in the enforcement of certain requirements for such manufacturers; revising the provisions governing the release from escrow of certain deposits by such manufacturers; providing civil and criminal penalties; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Commerce and Labor:

Assembly Bill No. 437—AN ACT relating to manufactured home parks; revising provisions governing the rights and obligations of landlords and tenants of manufactured home parks; revising provisions governing the obligations of a landlord before the closure of a manufactured home park in certain situations; revising provisions governing regulations for the issuance and renewal of a limited dealer's license for mobile and manufactured homes; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Koivisto, Parnell, McClain, Denis, Ocegüera, and Perkins:

Assembly Bill No. 438—AN ACT relating to programs for public personnel; revising the provisions governing the payment of a portion of the costs of coverage under the Public Employees' Benefits Program for certain retired public officers and employees who join or remain in the Program upon retirement; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblyman Arberry:

Assembly Bill No. 439—AN ACT making an appropriation to the Southern Nevada Workforce Investment Board for the establishment of a Job Corps Center in Southern Nevada; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Grady and Goicoechea; Senators Amodei and Washington (by request):

Assembly Bill No. 440—AN ACT relating to counties; revising the boundary line between Washoe County and Lyon County; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblywoman Angle:

Assembly Bill No. 441—AN ACT relating to education; requiring all public schools to establish school community councils to prepare the plans to improve the achievement of pupils required of public schools; providing that certain required courses must be taught during 4 days of a regular school week and that elective classes and extracurricular activities must be taught on the remaining day; providing that certain teachers must not be required to work more than 4 days per week of school; requiring the State Board of Education to prescribe goals for the percentage of pupils that are reading at or above grade level for kindergarten through grade 3; requiring the development of a school literacy program at each elementary school; revising provisions governing the qualifications required of certain paraprofessionals for employment with a school district or charter school; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the bill be referred to the Concurrent Committees on Education and Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Assemblywoman Koivisto:

Assembly Bill No. 442—AN ACT relating to programs for public personnel; excluding health benefits provided pursuant to collective bargaining agreements from the provisions governing health benefits for officers and employees of local governments; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Elections, Procedures, Ethics, and Constitutional Amendments:

Assembly Bill No. 443—AN ACT relating to municipal elections; amending certain city charters to revise the timing of municipal elections; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Pierce, Leslie, Giunchigliani, Parks, Atkinson, Buckley, Denis, Gerhardt, Hogan, Kirkpatrick, Koivisto, McClain, Mortenson, and Ocegüera:

Assembly Bill No. 444—AN ACT relating to solid waste; requiring the State Environmental Commission to adopt regulations establishing standards for the construction of liner systems for all classes of solid waste disposal sites and requiring the installation of a liner system at certain such sites; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Judiciary:

Assembly Bill No. 445—AN ACT relating to the administration of public agencies; transferring the Committee on Testing for Intoxication from the Department of Motor Vehicles to the Department of Public Safety; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the bill be referred to the Concurrent Committees on Transportation and Judiciary.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Judiciary:

Assembly Bill No. 446—AN ACT relating to reporting; expanding the definition of “practice of court reporting” to include reporting by the use of voice writing; expanding the definition of “stenographic notes” to include certain records produced by voice writing; revising the circumstances under which a person who has received a passing grade on an examination for voice writing may be admitted for examination in this State for a certified court reporter's certificate; requiring an official reporter to make a record of certain proceedings; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Angle and Christensen; Senator Beers:

Assembly Bill No. 447—AN ACT relating to state financial administration; providing for a one-time credit against the basic governmental services tax that would otherwise be payable upon the registration of certain motor vehicles during the 2005–2006 Fiscal Year; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Angle and Christensen; Senator Beers:

Assembly Bill No. 448—AN ACT relating to taxation; repealing, in skeleton form, the basic governmental services tax and the supplemental governmental services tax; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblywoman Angle and Senator Beers:

Assembly Bill No. 449—AN ACT relating to taxation; repealing the business license fee, the business tax and the tax on financial institutions; re-enacting the business activity tax; providing a penalty; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Elections, Procedures, Ethics, and Constitutional Amendments:

Assembly Bill No. 450—AN ACT relating to elections; requiring the form adopted by the Secretary of State for the reporting of campaign contributions and expenses or expenditures to include a space to list cash on hand; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Assemblyman Munford:

Assembly Bill No. 451—AN ACT relating to education; requiring the Department of Education to prescribe a policy establishing a code of honor relating to cheating by pupils; requiring the policy to include appropriate punishments and consequences for violations, including ineligibility for receipt of a millennium scholarship for certain violations; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Munford and Anderson:

Assembly Bill No. 452—AN ACT relating to convicted persons; expanding the immediate restoration of the civil right to vote to additional ex-felons; expanding the immediate and automatic restoration of certain civil rights to certain additional ex-felons; establishing requirements for employment applications that require disclosure of felony convictions; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Mining:

Assembly Bill No. 453—AN ACT relating to wildlife; requiring the Board of Wildlife Commissioners to establish by regulation an additional drawing for game tags for certain persons; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Health and Human Services:

Assembly Bill No. 454—AN ACT relating to mental retardation; providing for the regulation of certain services provided to mentally retarded persons in their homes to maximize independence; requiring certification to provide such services; requiring the Legislative Committee on Health Care to review certain regulations concerning providers of supported living arrangement services; exempting certain persons who provide supported living arrangement services from the state certification and licensing requirements for practicing nursing in this State; providing a penalty; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the action whereby Assembly Bill No. 426 was referred to the Committee on Government Affairs be rescinded.

Motion carried.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that Assembly Bill No. 426 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the action whereby Assembly Bill No. 429 was referred to the Committee on Transportation be rescinded.

Motion carried.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that Assembly Bill No. 429 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the action whereby Assembly Bill No. 438 was referred to the Committee on Government Affairs be rescinded.

Motion carried.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that Assembly Bill No. 438 be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the action whereby Assembly Bill No. 443 was referred to the Committee on Government Affairs be rescinded.

Motion carried.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that Assembly Bill No. 443 be referred to the Committee on Elections, Procedures, Ethics, and Constitutional Amendments.

Motion carried.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the action whereby Assembly Bill No. 445 was referred to the Concurrent Committees on Transportation and Judiciary be rescinded.

Motion carried.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that Assembly Bill No. 445 be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

Senate Bill No. 155.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Assembly Bill No. 3.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 219.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

GUESTS EXTENDED PRIVILEGE OF ASSEMBLY FLOOR

On request of Assemblyman Anderson, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Bruce Armbrust, Daniel Armbrust, and Matthew Armbrust.

On request of Assemblyman Atkinson, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Haley Atkinson.

On request of Assemblyman Goicoechea, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Andrea Denney, Susan Ansotegui, Mike Ansotegui, Celeste Cousins, Alissa Reavy, Roberta Clough, Josephina Middleton, Sue Smith-Ansotegui, Deborah Howard, Lynn Biggs, David Leasure, Monica Leasure, Maryann Homa, Dozi Grant, Maria Juana Barajas, Jesus Carrion,

Austin Chadwick, Nicholas Chapman, Cassie Copeland, Nathan Denney, Kayla Kinkade, Cedie Lewis, Wendy Lopez, Monty McCaffrey, Algenis Middleton, Shiam Ament, Clint Myers, Laura Nelson, Kayla Norcutt, Alyssa Hooper-Howe, Jared Pishion, Hailey Plumb, Daniel Pursley, Joshua Reavy, Michelle Grossell, Sue Homer, Timothy Raymie, Susan Bodega, Mike Esposito, Ame Martin, Julie Santos, Diane DeRose, Dan Lucas, Lisa Scheele, Santiago Robles, Allison Sherman, Taylor Steninger, Kayla Clough, Justin Domer, Joseph Baltazar, Jose Barrera, Jessica Callahan, Michael-Dee Ercia, Devin Farren, Juanita Gonzalez, Shelly Greenwood, Shantanna Irwin, Sonia Lopez, Colby Malone, Cynthia Martinez, Dulce Manchaca, Gloria Montes, Cristian Ortega, Jade Parkerson, Ian Pendarvis, Vanessa Perez-Garcia, Tiffany Sullivan, Tieler Tucker, Robert White, Caitlin Biggs, Christian Solis, Scotti Jenkins, Rosemary Homma, Silverio Montes, Angel Allsop, Demi Grant, Sierra Esposito, Lani Martin, Alysso Santos, Michael DeRose, Daniel Lucas, Khane Crooks, Alyssa Scheele, Renee Sandoval, Kylie Grossell, Briana Homer, Luis Vicencio, Nicolas Martinez, Aaron Raymie, Destry Thomas, Yoselina Carrion, Emedio Montes, Buster Kyte, and Carmen Fonseca.

On request of Assemblyman Grady, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Susannah Hooper-Howe and Cherry Williamson.

On request of Assemblyman Mabey, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Jacob Mabey.

On request of Assemblywoman Ohrenschall, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Manny Karvounidis.

Assemblywoman Buckley moved that the Assembly adjourn until Monday, March 28, 2005, at 11:00 a.m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 12:36 p.m.

Approved:

RICHARD D. PERKINS
Speaker of the Assembly

Attest: NANCY S. TRIBBLE
Chief Clerk of the Assembly