

THE EIGHTIETH DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), April 27, 2005

Assembly called to order at 11:12 a.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblymen Christensen and McClain, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Deacon Bob Evans.

Let us pray. We give You thanks, Lord, for the overnight rain, for the ways in which You nourish the earth and, therefore, each of us. Help us, Lord, in response to Your generosity, to be good custodians of the land and the creatures which inhabit the earth. We give You thanks, Lord, for all the people who assist us to live a fruitful and happy life. Help us, Lord, in response to Your generosity, to serve those people well who have put their trust in us. We prayerfully respond.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Ocegueda 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 Elections, Procedures, Ethics, and Constitutional Amendments, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 415, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

ELLEN KOIVISTO, *Chairman*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 104, 105 and 532; Senate Bills Nos. 12, 87, 108, 504, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

Also, your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was re-referred Assembly Bill No. 108, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass, as amended.

MORSE ARBERRY JR., *Chairman*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, April 26, 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 Bills Nos. 21, 31, 62, 64, 67, 81, 98, 109, 115, 123, 125, 130, 153, 172, 184, 193, 212, 219, 224, 229, 233, 243, 245, 252, 262, 263, 267, 276, 286, 296, 323, 325, 329, 337, 338, 343, 344, 365, 384, 386, 389, 397, 402, 411, 420, 430, 431, 452, 453, 457, 462, 464, 473, 475, 477, 481, 488.

MARY JO MONGELLI

Assistant Secretary of the Senate

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Assemblymen Oceguera, 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, Ohrenschall, 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. 23—Urging public and private entities to work together to establish a statewide system of care for patients suffering from strokes.

WHEREAS, The American Stroke Association, a division of the American Heart Association, is promoting the message “Time Lost = Brain Lost” to offer advocates for stroke awareness an opportunity to educate the public and policymakers about the devastating effects of a stroke; and

WHEREAS, Statistics reveal that every 45 seconds on average, someone in the United States suffers a stroke, which means that each year, about 700,000 persons in this country are victims of a new or recurrent stroke, and there are approximately 4.8 million stroke survivors in our nation today; and

WHEREAS, Strokes are a leading cause of serious, long-term disability and can result in both physical and emotional devastation, leaving many victims struggling with activities of daily living and 15 to 30 percent of victims permanently disabled; and

WHEREAS, Strokes are the third leading cause of death in the United States, with one death occurring every 3.3 minutes, and in Nevada last year, strokes accounted for over 1,000 deaths; and

WHEREAS, In 2004, the estimated direct and indirect costs of strokes in this nation totaled about \$53.6 billion; and

WHEREAS, The Institute of Medicine of the National Academies has concluded that the fragmentation of the delivery of health care services for stroke victims frequently results in suboptimal treatment, safety concerns, and inefficient use of health care resources; and

WHEREAS, The Institute of Medicine has recommended the establishment of coordinated systems of care that integrate services for prevention and treatment of strokes and promote access by each patient to care that is based on the best evidence available at the time of treatment; and

WHEREAS, The Health Division of the Department of Human Resources and the American Stroke Association are working on a systems approach that is necessary to effectuate true change in the way strokes are treated statewide so that patients have access to the most advanced treatment in centers that are best designed and equipped to deal with the critical and time-sensitive needs of stroke patients; and

WHEREAS, The main purpose of such a statewide system of care is to establish a systems approach for assisting stroke patients that includes the development and recognition of primary stroke centers, emergency medical services, protocols and field triage, transfer of stroke victims between facilities, and collection of data relating to strokes; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That the Legislature of the State of Nevada recognizes the importance of proper care for victims of strokes and calls upon public and private entities to work together to establish a cohesive statewide system of care for all residents of this state who suffer from strokes; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to the Director of the Department of Human Resources and to the Vice President of the American Stroke Association.

Assemblyman Oceguela moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Assemblymen Oceguela and Carpenter.

Resolution adopted.

Assemblyman Oceguela moved that all rules be suspended and that Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 23 be immediately transmitted to the Senate.

Motion carried unanimously.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Assemblyman Oceguela moved that the reading of Histories on Senate bills on Introduction be dispensed with for this legislative day.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

Senate Bill No. 21.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 31.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 62.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 64.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 67.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 81.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 98.

Assemblyman Ocegueda moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 109.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 115.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 123.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 125.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 130.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 153.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 172.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 184.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 193.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 212.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 219.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 224.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 229.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 233.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 243.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 245.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 252.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 262.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 263.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 267.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 276.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 286.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 296.

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

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Assemblyman Ocegueda moved that the action whereby Senate Bill No. 286 was referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services be rescinded.

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Ocegueda moved that Senate Bill No. 286 be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND REFERENCE

Senate Bill No. 323.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 325.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 329.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 337.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 338.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 343.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 344.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 365.

Assemblyman Ocegüera moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 384.

Assemblyman Ocegüera moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 386.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 389.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 397.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 402.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 411.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 420.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 430.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 431.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 452.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 453.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 457.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 462.

Assemblyman Ocegueda moved that the bill be referred to the Concurrent Committees on Health and Human Services and Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 464.

Assemblyman Ocegueda moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 473.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 475.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 477.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 481.

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

Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 488.

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

Motion carried.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, April 27, 2005

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 23.

MARY JO MONGELLI

Assistant Secretary of the Senate

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

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

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 23—Memorializing Tony Armstrong, beloved Mayor of the City of Sparks.

WHEREAS, The members of the Nevada Legislature wish to express their condolences and deep sorrow on the passing of Tony Armstrong, the beloved Mayor of the City of Sparks, on January 29, 2005; and

WHEREAS, Tony Armstrong was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on September 3, 1945, and moved to Sparks when he was 4 years of age, with his mother and younger brothers, attending local schools including graduating from Sparks High School; and

WHEREAS, Growing up in humble circumstances, Tony was a self-professed troublemaker until, at the age of 14 years, he got caught skipping school and had to spend several hours in a jail cell alone, an experience which he said made him a different person and changed the path of

his life, otherwise the people of Sparks may never have experienced the pleasure of having Tony Armstrong as their Mayor; and

WHEREAS, Tony Armstrong, a licensed general contractor, had a strong work ethic, starting his own successful construction inspection business; and

WHEREAS, In 1989, Tony Armstrong was elected as a Councilman for the City of Sparks, now Nevada's fifth largest city with a population of almost 80,000, and was reelected twice; and

WHEREAS, Tony was elected Mayor of the City of Sparks in 1999 and was serving his second term at his passing, successfully steering the Rail City to healthy growth with thriving businesses and expanding neighborhoods, while still keeping that small hometown feeling; and

WHEREAS, As a public official, Tony Armstrong is largely credited with such successful developments as Victorian Square and the Sparks Marina, while taking time to attend school functions, grand openings, dedications, parades and other special events; and

WHEREAS, Under the watchful eye of Tony Armstrong, Sparks became known for its special events that include the entire family, such as the Star Spangled Sparks fireworks extravaganza, the Sparks Hometowne Farmers' Market, the Sparks Hometowne Christmas gala, the Big Easy, Hot August Nights, and the Best in the West Nugget Rib Cook-Off; and

WHEREAS, Geno Martini, former Councilman who was recently named Mayor of the City of Sparks and a friend of Tony Armstrong's since the third grade, said, "What made him stand out as a politician was a passion for his job of Mayor, his honesty and his connection with the people"; and

WHEREAS, Preferring to be called "Tony," rather than "Mr. Mayor," he was known for his willingness to always give a hand to anyone in need and for his friendliness, making everyone who met him feel they had a personal relationship with him; and

WHEREAS, Because Tony Armstrong disliked suits and ties, people were asked to wear casual attire to the service to celebrate his life, with about 2,000 people wearing such clothing as blue jeans, khaki pants, golf shirts and cowboy boots to show their respect for "the people's Mayor," and even Governor Kenny Guinn and Pastor Randy Siever of Sparks Christian Fellowship Church got in the spirit by wearing Hawaiian shirts; and

WHEREAS, His daughter Misti remembers Tony as a perfect father who always made time for his family, no matter how busy his schedule; and

WHEREAS, Upon learning that her grandfather had passed away, 7-year-old Madison consoled her parents by writing "Dear Mom and Dad, I'm sorry that Papa died. Hopefully, God has a Mayor up in the sky."; and

WHEREAS, Tony Armstrong is survived by Debby, his loving wife of 22 years, sons Richard and Keith Armstrong, daughter Misti Franco, and grandchildren Kierra, Madison, Kole, and James; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE ASSEMBLY CONCURRING, That Tony Armstrong will be remembered for attaining many great successes on behalf of the people and the city that he loved so much, while maintaining the friendliness and caring attributes that made the residents of Sparks return that affection; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the people of the City of Sparks will surely feel the presence of Tony Armstrong as they celebrate the Sparks Centennial because he will be watching over the city that he treasured and of which he was so proud; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of the Senate prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to Debby Armstrong, cherished wife of Tony.

Assemblyman Anderson moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Assemblymen Anderson, Marvel, Smith, and Angle.

Resolution adopted.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, April 27, 2005

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24.

MARY JO MONGELLI

Assistant Secretary of the Senate

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

By Senators Wiener, Amodei, Beers, Care, Carlton, Cegavske, Coffin, Hardy, Heck, Horsford, Lee, Mathews, McGinness, Nolan, Raggio, Rhoads, Schneider, Tiffany, Titus, Townsend, Washington; Assemblymen Parnell, 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, Ohrenschall, Parks, Perkins, Pierce, Seale, Sherer, Sibley, Smith, and Weber:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24—Expressing the support of the Legislature for implementing standards for the social studies curriculum that is offered in Nevada schools, particularly in the area of civics and the skills and values of citizenship.

WHEREAS, In 2003, the Nevada Legislature enacted legislation, Senate Bill No. 309, chapter 387, Statutes of Nevada 2003, at page 2257, which established the Advisory Committee on Participatory Democracy within the Office of the Secretary of State and required the preparation of a report for the 73rd Session of the Legislature evaluating efforts currently in progress to implement standards for the social studies curriculum that is being offered in Nevada schools, particularly in the area of civics and the skills and values of citizenship; and

WHEREAS, A report has been filed with the 73rd Session of the Legislature setting forth goals and a work plan for Nevada that would enable school officials to better evaluate the efforts currently in progress to implement standards for the social studies curriculum that is offered in Nevada schools, particularly in the area of civics and the skills and values of citizenship; and

WHEREAS, The Legislature finds that to ensure the health of American democracy, every student in kindergarten through high school, as well as in postsecondary school, needs to learn and experience the fundamental ideas, principles and values on which this nation was founded and to graduate ready for the responsibilities of citizenship; and

WHEREAS, In the 2004 General Election, the county clerks and registrars of voters in Nevada were confronted with record numbers of voter registrations and a record voter turnout; and

WHEREAS, The Secretary of State and the Advisory Committee for Participatory Democracy have achieved great strides in reaching the goals outlined in Senate Bill No. 309 of the 2003 Legislative Session and have established the first Jean Ford Democracy Award; and

WHEREAS, The Legislature urges every school district, with the assistance of the State Board of Education, the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada and any other educational officers involved in reviewing and approving the social studies curriculum used in this state to:

1. Provide all students with a high-quality, engaging and rigorous civic learning experience;
2. Support the civic mission of schools with adequate resources and trained teachers; and
3. Maintain standards for civic learning and the means to assess students and schools in meeting them; and

WHEREAS, The Legislature desires to express its support for the Campaign for the Civic Mission of Schools, a project of the Council for Excellence in Government and the Academy for Educational Development funded by the Carnegie Corporation of New York and the John S. and

James L. Knight Foundation, which has awarded a \$150,000, 2-year grant to the Nevada coalition to carry out state advocacy and policy activities to implement the recommendations in the report *Civic Mission of Schools*; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE ASSEMBLY CONCURRING, That the Legislature hereby declares that it is committed to working with the Advisory Committee on Participatory Democracy, the Department of Education, the State Board of Education, the Superintendent of Public Instruction and each local school district, with the advice and assistance of the University and Community College System of Nevada and the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada, in supporting the goals and work plan as submitted pursuant to Senate Bill No. 309 of the 2003 Legislative Session; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Legislature reaffirms its support for the efforts of the Secretary of State and the Advisory Committee on Participatory Democracy to reach the goals for voter registration and voter participation set forth in that bill for the 2008 General Election; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Advisory Committee on Participatory Democracy, working with the Superintendent of Public Instruction and representatives of other pertinent education organizations interested in improving civic learning in Nevada, should meet before the start of the 2007 Legislative Session to review the status of the recommendations presented in this resolution; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Advisory Committee and Superintendent shall make a full report to the 74th Session of the Nevada Legislature on the achievement of the goals set forth in this resolution; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Legislature hereby honors the first two recipients of the Jean Ford Democracy Award, Larry Struve, Outstanding Public Citizen, and Mark Peplowski, Outstanding Educator, for exemplary service in promoting participatory democracy in this state; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Legislature hereby declares April 27, 2005, Democracy Day in the Nevada State Legislature; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of the Senate prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to Larry Struve, Mark Peplowski, the President of the State Board of Education, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, the Chairman of the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada, the Secretary of State, and the Advisory Committee on Participatory Democracy.

Assemblywoman Parnell moved the adoption of the resolution.

Remarks by Assemblywoman Parnell.

Mr. Speaker requested the privilege of the Chair for the purpose of making remarks.

Resolution adopted.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 496.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Assemblyman Marvel.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 496:

YEAS—40.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Christensen, McClain—2.

Senate Bill No. 496 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Assemblyman Ocegüera moved that the action whereby Senate Bill No. 62 was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Mining be rescinded.

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Ocegüera moved that Senate Bill No. 62 be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

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 Debby Armstrong, Richard Armstrong, Keith Armstrong, Misty Franco, John Armstrong, Evelyn Johnston, Sara Rimbey, Justine Rimbey, and Susan Bemus.

On request of Assemblywoman Angle, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Patty Bryan.

On request of Assemblyman Carpenter, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Pete Parker.

On request of Assemblyman Denis, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Ray Henderson.

On request of Assemblywoman Gansert, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Mario Lopez, Megan Franklin, Ryan Brock, Bonnie Serpa, Cindy Myers, Karen Scarbrough, Patrice Klaich, Sheri Boyden, Kelly Boyer, Gretchen Diggs, Gabrielle Bartl, Nicholas Bennett, Sierra Bertram, Brent Bremer, Riley Brown, Mackenzie Burgess, Serena Evans, Madison Fagg, Justin Fourgis, Madeline Genco, Michael Gore, Samantha Hutchens, Allison Kolseth, Victoria Legg, Scott Meyerhoff, Jessica Moore, Nicholas Ouellette, Megan Ranklin, Malyne Rasmussen, Alex Sagastume, Alberto Santana, Leslie Ryan, Tyler Salazar, Ethan Utley, Jared Welch, Madeline Wilson, Serrina Aguilar, Davison Beenfeldt, Hayley Blonsley, Amy Bodner, Rodrigo Campos, Bryce Carroll, Jacey Crane, Mikey Cogliano, Aariah Emeterio, David Hinitz, Jake Huneycutt, Alyson King, Haili Kovac, Kimberly Martinez, Elyse Matos, Emily Meany, Joshua Mendez, Hannah Myers, Joe Olivares, Kimberley Pena, Anna Scarbrough, Adrian Serrano-Siordia, Ada Smith, Zoe Swenson, Marissa Valdez, Jacob Becker, Dominic Beye, Brett Boyer, Connor Bradley, Ryan Diggs, Chase Ferrell, Chloe Ferguson, Matthew Fetters, Sam Genis, Davis Goicoechea, Adam Hettinger, Keegan Keller, Lauren Klaich, Audrey Krater, Kasey Lau, Ben Lerude, Nicholas Morales, Kate Ploeger, Ashley Stone, Ben Stone, Emily Student, Trevor Students, Esteban Valle,

Nicholas Vellis, Kylie Woodman, Weston Zach, Erica Drummer, Emma Boyden, Eric Lerude, and Stephanie Lerude.

On request of Assemblywoman Gerhardt, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Sheri Asay.

On request of Assemblyman Hardy, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Keira Lowry, Samantha Altergott, Casey Scott, Christopher Carnes, Brittany Gross, Andrew Gonzalez, Jake Weirich, Michael Mathews, Erika Estrada, Whitnie Woodard, Jonathan Osborne, Francis Rossi, Cheyanne Echlar, Brooke Maze, Victoria Parker, Ashley Dunn, Braize Huxford, Candice Childress, Ms. Carolyn Soliman, Kathleen Lowry, Janette Scott, Darlene Carnes, Heidi Gross, Stacy Altergott, Stacy Parker, Terry Dunn, Rachelle Huxford, Gigi Cordero, Lauren Denney, Tore Grasso, Callie Griffin, Jason Gusman, Kenneth Halstead, T.J. Hatfield, Jestina Jurgschat, Darrian Kister, Joseph Miller, Zayna Neill, Gary Ortiz, Emilia Oscilowicz, Eliza Randall, Austin Roefer, Marissa Smith, Margaret Denney, Mr. Lee Esplin, LaDonna Hollifield Grasso, Brent Griffin, Marcella Posthuma, Carol Lynn Broadbent, and Paul Katz.

On request of Assemblywoman Kirkpatrick, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Elizabeth Mullikin.

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

On request of Assemblyman Manendo, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Erin Lehman.

On request of Assemblyman Marvel, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Emile Fedoror.

On request of Assemblyman Ocegura, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Judy Reich, Allyson Herring, Eric Batch, and Debbie Estes.

On request of Assemblywoman Parnell, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Mark Peplowski and Larry Struve.

On request of Assemblyman Perkins, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Joe Dini, Mouryne Dini, and Maria Lucia Cajarville.

On request of Assemblywoman Pierce, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Debra Jacobsen.

On request of Assemblyman Seale, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Ziyad Pashich, Yozo Marich, Rahela Dzidich, Advan Mkrva, and Judy Simpson.

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

On request of Assemblywoman Weber, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Larry Blackman.

Assemblyman Oceguela moved that the Assembly adjourn until Thursday, April 28, 2005, at 11:00 a.m. and do so in memory of Richard Burdett.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 12:33 p.m.

Approved:

RICHARD D. PERKINS
Speaker of the Assembly

Attest: NANCY S. TRIBBLE
Chief Clerk of the Assembly