CA AB 11 AUTHOR: Gonzalez [D]

TITLE: Employment: Paid Sick Days: In-Home Supportive

Services

INTRODUCED: 12/01/2014

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Revises the definition of an employee under the Healthy workplaces, Healthy Families Act of 2014 to include providers of in-home support services.

STATUS:

05/28/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS:

Held in committee.

Commentary:

Entitles IHSS workers to accrue one hour of sick leave for every 30 hours worked

CA AB 22 AUTHOR: Rodriguez [D]

TITLE: Office of Emergency Services: Oil-by-Rail Spills

INTRODUCED: 12/01/2014

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Requires the Curriculum Development Advisory Committee to review the curriculum and courses of instruction offered by public and private programs that train firefighters in response methods for oil-by-rail spills. Requires the Office of Emergency Services to compile a list of those curriculum and courses of instruction.

STATUS:

08/27/2015 In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

Commentary:

Sent LOS for 8/17 hearing. **Position:** Support

CA AB 35 AUTHOR: Chiu [D]

TITLE: Income tax: Credit: Low-Income Housing: Allocation

INTRODUCED: 12/01/2014
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: Enrolled

SUMMARY:

Amends existing law establishing a low-income housing tax credit program to which the State Tax Credit Allocation Committee provides procedures and requirements for the allocation of State insurance, income, and corporation tax credits amount among low-income housing projects. Increases the aggregate housing credit dollar amount that may be allocated among such projects.

Modifies the definition of percentage relating to qualified low-income buildings in all listed tax laws.

STATUS:

09/15/2015 Enrolled.

Commentary:

Consistent with platform. Send LOS to author 6/4/15. Sent LOS to Comm for 7/1/15, 8/17 hearing.

Position: Support

CA AB 43 AUTHOR: Stone [D]

TITLE: Personal Income Taxes: Credit: Earned Income

INTRODUCED: 12/01/2014

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Provides for an earned income credit under the Personal Income Tax Law to an eligible individual that is equal to specified percentages of the earned income tax credit allowed by federal law, that would only be allowed in those taxable years in which an appropriation is made by the Legislature. Provides that in those years in which the appropriation is made, the credit is refundable.

STATUS:

08/27/2015 In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

Commentary:

Consistent with Platform. Sent LOS for 5/11, 7/15, 8/17 hearings.

Position: Support

CA AB 45 AUTHOR: Mullin [D]

TITLE: Household Hazardous Waste

INTRODUCED: 12/01/2014

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Requires each jurisdiction providing for the residential collection and disposal of solid waste to increase the collection and diversion of household hazardous waste in its service area over the baseline. Provides the increase is to be determined in accordance with Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery regulations. Authorizes the adoption of a model ordinance for a comprehensive program for the collection of waste. Requires an annual report to the Department on progress in achieving compliance.

STATUS:

05/20/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: To

Suspense File.

Commentary:

Watch. CSAC has an "oppose" position on the bill.

CA AB 57 AUTHOR: Quirk [D]

TITLE: Wireless Telecommunications Facilities

INTRODUCED: 12/02/2014
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Provides that a collocation or siting application for a wireless telecommunications facility is deemed approved if the application is not approved or disapproved within the reasonable time periods specified in application decisions of the Federal Communications Commission, all required public notices have been providing regarding the application, and the applicant has provided a notice to the city or county that the reasonable time period has lapsed.

STATUS:

09/03/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

Veto request sent to Governor 9/9/15.

Position: Oppose

CA AB 59 AUTHOR: Waldron [R]

TITLE: Mental Health Services: Assisted Outpatient

Treatment

INTRODUCED: 12/09/2014

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Judiciary Committee

SUMMARY:

Deletes the repeal date of the Assisted Outpatient Treatment Demonstration Project Act of 2002. Authorizes professional staff of an agency or facility that provided treatment of a person who is released from intensive treatment or postcertification treatment, to evaluate whether the person meets the criteria for assisted outpatient treatment, and to petition the Superior Court therefor.

STATUS:

04/28/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY: Failed

passage.

04/28/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY:

Reconsideration granted.

Commentary:

No impact.

Position: Watch

CA AB 65 AUTHOR: Alejo [D]

TITLE: Local Law Enforcement: Body-Worn Cameras

INTRODUCED: 12/17/2014

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Requires the Board of State and Community Corrections to develop a grant program to make funds available to local law enforcement entities to purchase body-worn cameras and related data storage and equipment, and to hire personnel to operate the program. Creates the Body-Worn Camera Fund. Diverts moneys from court fines, forfeitures, and penalties on criminal offenses to the Fund.

STATUS:

05/28/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS:

Held in committee.

Commentary:

Assembly Bill 65, by Assembly Member Luis Alejo, would require the Board of State and Community Corrections to develop a grant program to make funds available to local law enforcement entities to purchase body-worn cameras and related data storage and equipment, and to hire personnel necessary to operate a local body-worn camera program.

President Obama in December announced a three-year, \$263 million funding package called the "Body Worn Camera Partnership Program" (Program). The money will be used to match 50 percent spending by local law enforcement agencies and states on body cameras and equipment storage, as well as expanded training for law enforcement and an increase in the number of cities where the United States Department of Justice facilitates local law enforcement engagement with the community.

CA AB 86 AUTHOR: McCarty [D]

TITLE: Peace Officers: Department of Justice: Investigation

INTRODUCED: 01/06/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Requires the Attorney General to appoint a special prosecutor to direct an independent investigation if a peace officer uses deadly physical force upon another person and that person dies as result of that use of deadly force. Grants such prosecutor sole authority to determine whether criminal charges should be filed. Makes the special prosecutor responsible for prosecuting any charges filed.

STATUS:

05/28/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS:

Held in committee.

Commentary:

watch bill

Position: Watch

CA AB 150 AUTHOR: Melendez [R]

TITLE: Theft: Firearms

INTRODUCED: 01/15/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Makes the theft of a firearm grand theft in all cases, punishable by imprisonment in the state prison. Makes buying or receiving a stolen firearm a misdemeanor or a felony.

STATUS:

05/28/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS:

Held in committee.

Commentary:

Watch

CA AB 157 AUTHOR: Levine [D]

TITLE: Richmond-San Rafael Bridge

INTRODUCED: 01/20/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Authorizes the lead agency to complete the design work for the project simultaneously with the environmental review conducted pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act if the Metropolitan Transportation Commission and the Department of Transportation develop a project to open the third lane on the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge to automobile traffic on the eastbound level and to bicycle traffic on the westbound level.

STATUS:

09/14/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

Sending a Chair letter. Need BOS action 8/25.

CA AB 171 AUTHOR: Irwin [D]

TITLE: Department of Veterans Affairs: Veterans Services

INTRODUCED: 01/22/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover **LOCATION:** Senate Inactive File

SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Veterans Affairs to develop an allocation formula based upon performance standards that encourage innovation and reward outstanding service by county veterans service officers. Requires those funds to be allocated in accordance with that formula. Requires an annual report on the impact of the subvention funds on each county that receives those funds. Deletes obsolete provisions. Makes conforming changes.

STATUS:

09/01/2015 In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.

Commentary:

Consistent with Board policy--Veterans Issues #154. Sent letter of support for 3/10/15 and 5/28/15, 6/23/15, 7/6/15 hearings.

Position: Support

CA AB 190 AUTHOR: Harper [R]

TITLE: Solid Waste: Single-Use Carryout Bags

INTRODUCED: 01/27/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee

SUMMARY:

Imposes prohibitions and requirements regarding single-use carry-out bags on convenience food stores, foodmarts, and entities that are engaged in the sale of limited line of goods, or goods intended to be consumed off premises, and that hold a specified license with regard to alcoholic beverages. Provides that a law that would be created through the election process requires a reusable grocery bag sold by certain stores to a customer at the point of sale to meet specified requirements.

STATUS:

04/13/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL

RESOURCES: Failed passage.

04/13/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL

RESOURCES: Reconsideration granted.

Commentary:

Watch

CA AB 191 AUTHOR: Harper [R]

TITLE: Solid Waste: Single-Use Carryout Bags

INTRODUCED: 01/27/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee

SUMMARY:

Repeals the requirement that a store that distributes recycled paper bags make those bags available for purchase for not less than a specified amount.

STATUS:

04/13/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL

RESOURCES: Failed passage.

04/13/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL

RESOURCES: Reconsideration granted.

Commentary:

Watch

CA AB 203 AUTHOR: Obernolte [R]

TITLE: State Responsibility Areas: Fire Prevention Fees

INTRODUCED: 01/29/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover **LOCATION:** Assembly Inactive File

SUMMARY:

Requires the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection to amend emergency

regulations to establish a specified fire prevention fee and to annually adjust said fee. Extends the time when the fire prevention fee is due and payable from the date of assessment by the State Board of Equalization. Authorizes the petition for redetermination of the fee to be filed within a specified number of days after service of the notice of determination.

STATUS:

07/13/2015 In ASSEMBLY. To Inactive File.

Commentary:

Referred by CAO to Leg Com. Leg Com referred to BOS for support, 5/5/15. BOS supported. Sent LOS for 5/28 hearing.

Position: Support

CA AB 279 AUTHOR: Dodd [D]

TITLE: Disclosure of Information: Franchise Tax Board

INTRODUCED: 02/11/2015
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered

SUMMARY:

Amends existing law that requires, upon the request of the Franchise Tax Board, each city that assesses a city business tax or requires a city business license to annually submit to the Board specified information relating to the administration of the city's business tax program.

STATUS:

08/12/2015 Signed by GOVERNOR.

08/12/2015 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 180

Commentary:

Support requested by TT Rusty Watts. May go to BOS on 3/31.

CA AB 304 AUTHOR: Gonzalez [D]

TITLE: Sick Leave: Accrual and Limitations

INTRODUCED: 02/12/2015
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered

SUMMARY:

Amends the Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act of 2014. Delays the requirement an employer provide an employee with notice of the amount of paid sick leave available, or paid time off an employer provides in lieu of sick leave. Permits an employer who provides unlimited sick leave to its employees to satisfy requirements by indicating the term unlimited on a wage statement. Provides limits. Makes changes about eligibility for accrued sick leave and the calculation of paid sick leave using total wages.

STATUS:

07/13/2015 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 67

Commentary:

HR is tracking this bill.

CA AB 396 AUTHOR: Jones-Sawyer [D]

TITLE: Rental Housing Discrimination: Criminal Records

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Makes it unlawful for the owner of rental housing accommodation to deny the rental or lease of a housing accommodation without first satisfying specified requirements relating to the application process. Prohibits inquiring or requiring an applicant to disclose a criminal record during the initial application assessment phase. Authorizes the request for a criminal background check and to consider that record in deciding whether to rent or lease. Requires a certain disclosure. Provides for owner liability.

STATUS:

05/27/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Not

heard.

Commentary:

Watch. Phil Kader sent over.

CA AB 428 AUTHOR: Nazarian [D]

TITLE: Income Taxes: Credit: Seismic Retrofits

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Amends the Personal Income Tax and the Corporation Tax laws to allow a tax credit under both laws for a percentage of the qualified costs paid or incurred for any seismic retrofit construction on a qualified building. Provides the procedures to be accomplished by the taxpayer in regards to obtaining credit certifications. Provides credits will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis. Provides for an aggregate cap for each calendar year. Relates to performance indicators and data collection.

STATUS:

09/17/2015 *****To GOVERNOR.

CA AB 474 AUTHOR: Brown [D]

TITLE: Public Social Services: SSI/SSP

INTRODUCED: 02/23/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Budget Committee

SUMMARY:

Requires the State maximum for the State Supplementary Program for the Aged, Blind and Disabled (SSP) grant for individual to be readjusted and increased so that the SSP payment and federal Social Security Income (SSI) payment, when combined, equals a specified percentage of the federal poverty level.

STATUS:

04/28/2015 From ASSEMBLY Committee on HUMAN SERVICES:

Do pass to Committee on BUDGET. (7-0)

Commentary:

Board approved support position on 5/5/15 along with support for restoration of SSI/SSP funding in State Budget.

Position: Support

CA AB 546 AUTHOR: Gonzalez [D]

TITLE: Peace Officers: Basic Training Requirements

INTRODUCED: 02/23/2015
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered

SUMMARY:

Requires the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training, when evaluating a certification request from a probation department for a training course, to deem there to be an identifiable and unmet need for the training course.

STATUS:

08/13/2015 Signed by GOVERNOR.

08/13/2015 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 200

Commentary:

Chief Kader has asked for support. Referred to Leg Com. Leg Com referred to BOS for support, 5/5/15. BOS supported. Sent LOS for 6/23/15, 7/6/15 hearing.

Position: Support

CA AB 551 AUTHOR: Nazarian [D]

TITLE: Rental property: Bed Bugs

INTRODUCED: 02/23/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover **LOCATION:** Senate Inactive File

SUMMARY:

Prescribes the duties of landlords and tenants with regard to bed bugs. Requires the landlord to provide a prospective tenant and all other tenants information about bed bugs. Prohibits a tenant from bringing items onto a property the tenants knows or reasonable should know are infested with bed bugs. Requires a tenant to notify the landlord. Requires the landlord to acquire pest control services. Prohibits the renting or leasing of a unit that has infestation. Provides for eviction requirements.

STATUS:

09/08/2015 In SENATE. From third reading. To Inactive File.

Commentary:

Tanya Drlik, Integrated Pest Management Coordinator in HSD wanted BOS support.

CA AB 637 AUTHOR: Campos [D]

TITLE: Physician Orders for Life Sustaining Treatment

INTRODUCED: 02/24/2015
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered

SUMMARY:

Authorizes the signature of a nurse practitioner or physician assistant acting under the supervision of the physician and within the scope of practice authorized by law to create a valid Physician Orders for Life Sustaining Treatment form.

STATUS:

08/17/2015 Signed by GOVERNOR.

08/17/2015 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 217

Commentary:

The California Medical Association (CMA), of which the Alameda-Contra Costa Medical Association (ACCMA) is a component, is sponsoring AB 637 (Campos) in this session of the legislature, AB 637 allows nurse practitioners (NPs) and physician assistants (PAs) under physician supervision to sign Physician Orders for Life Sustaining Treatment (POLST) forms.

Commentary001:

To Leg Com for support on 4/2. Leg Com referred to BOS for support, 5/5/15. BOS supported. Sent LOS for 6/10 hearing.

Position: Support

CA AB 647 AUTHOR: Eggman [D]

TITLE: Beneficial Use: Storing of Water Underground

INTRODUCED: 02/24/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee

SUMMARY:

Declares that the diversion of water to underground storage constitutes a beneficial use of water if the water so stored is thereafter applied to the beneficial purposes for which the appropriation for storage was made, or if the water is so stored consistent with a sustainable groundwater management plan, statutory authority to conduct groundwater recharge, or a judicial degree and is for specified purposes. Requires applying for a permit or petition for a change. Requires including specified conditions.

STATUS:

06/30/2015 From SENATE Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES

AND WATER with author's amendments.

06/30/2015 In SENATE. Read second time and amended. Re-referred

to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES AND

WATER.

Commentary:

SJC supports. Consistent with Water Platform. Sending letter of support.

CA AB 662 AUTHOR: Bonilla [D]

TITLE: Public Accommodation: Disabled Adults: Changing

INTRODUCED: 02/24/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Requires a person, private firm, organization or corporation that owns or manages a commercial place of public amusement to install and maintain an adult changing station for a person with a physical disability. Extends the compliance period for certain renovation projects. Requires the facility to ensure that the entrance to each such station has conspicuous signage indicating its location, and, if the facility has a central directory, ensure that the directory indicates the location of such station.

STATUS:

09/17/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

Support requested by AM Bonilla staff. Kathy Gallagher concurs. Send to Leg Com for 5/7 meeting. BOS adopted Support position at 6/9 meeting. Sent LOS for 6/30/15, 8/17/15 hearings. Sent LOS to Governor 9/15/15.

Position: Support

CA AB 762 AUTHOR: Mullin [D]

TITLE: Day Care Centers: Toddler Programs

INTRODUCED: 02/25/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Amends the State Child Day Care Facilities Act. Requires a day care center with a toddler program to extend the program to service children within a specified age range. Makes changes related to guidelines the State Department of Social Services is required to develop.

STATUS:

09/09/2015 *****To GOVERNOR.

CA AB 1051 AUTHOR: Maienschein [R]

TITLE: Human Trafficking

INTRODUCED: 02/26/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Adds human trafficking as an offense that may be used to establish a pattern of criminal gang activity.

STATUS:

08/27/2015 In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

Commentary:

Sent LOS for 4/28, 5/28, 7/7, 8/17 hearings. Consistent with policy: 131. SUPPORT legislation that will combat the negative impact that human trafficking has on victims in our communities, including the impact that this activity has on a range of County services and supports, and support efforts to provide additional tools, resources and funding to help counties address this growing problem.

Position: Support

CA AB 1056 AUTHOR: Atkins [D]

TITLE: Second Chance Program

INTRODUCED: 02/26/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Requires the Board of State and Community Corrections to administer a competitive grant program that focuses on community-based solutions for reducing recidivism. Establishes minimum criteria for the program. Requires establishing a related committee to adopt guidelines for the submission of proposals for the program, including threshold or scoring criteria, or both. Requires the guidelines to prioritize proposals. Creates a fund for such grants. Requires the Board to administer the moneys in the fund.

STATUS:

09/16/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

CSAC has continued to work with the author's office on amendments that would remove the requirements around the ESC. Unfortunately, the author has not yet amended the bill to address CSAC's concerns.

Counties are encouraged to review the provisions of AB 1056 and to contact CSAC with any comments.

CA AB 1159 AUTHOR: Gordon [D]

TITLE: Product Stewardship: Pilot: Batteries and Sharps

Waste

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Establishes the Product Stewardship Pilot Program. Requires producers and product stewardship organizations of consumer products that are home-generated sharps waste or household batteries to develop and implement a product stewardship plan to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery. Provides for administrative fees. Establishes the Product Stewardship Penalty Subaccount in the Integrated Waste Management Fund for deposit of fees. Requires audits and reporting requirements.

STATUS:

05/20/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: To

Suspense File.

Commentary:

Platform would support. Sent LOS to author on 5/08/15. Letter to hearing on

5/20.

Position: Support

CA AB 1223 AUTHOR: O'Donnell [D]

TITLE: Emergency Medical Services: Ambulance

Transportation

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Authorizes a local emergency medical services agency to adopt policies and procedures relating to ambulance patient offload time. Requires the Emergency Medical Services Authority to develop a statewide standard methodology for the calculation and reporting by a local agency of ambulance patient offload time.

STATUS:

09/16/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

Send to Leg Com for 5/7 meeting.

CA AB 1236 AUTHOR: Chiu [D]

TITLE: Local Ordinances: Electric Vehicle Charging Stations

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Amends the Electric Vehicle Charging Stations Open Access Act. Requires a city, county or city and county to approve and application for installation of electric vehicle charging stations through the issuance of specified permits unless the proposed installation would have an adverse impact upon the public health or safety. Provides a decision appeal. Creates an expedited and streamlined electric vehicle charging stations permitting process. Allows referencing a certain guidebook in ordinance preparation.

STATUS:

09/17/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

Jason Crapo in DCD is reviewing.

CA AB 1262 AUTHOR: Wood [D]

TITLE: Telecommunications: Universal Service

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015 DISPOSITION: Enacted

LOCATION: Chaptered

SUMMARY:

Requires that, of the moneys collected for California Advanced Services Fund on and after a specified date, a specified amount is to be deposited into the Rural and Urban Regional Broadband Consortia Grant Account and used for specified purposes, and a specified amount is to be deposited into the Broadband Infrastructure Revolving Loan Account and used for specified purposes.

STATUS:

09/02/2015 Signed by GOVERNOR.

09/02/2015 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 242

Commentary:

From Leg Com on 5/7. BOS adopted Support position at 6/9 meeting. Sent

LOS for 6/16, 6/29 hearing. **Position:** Support

CA AB 1321 AUTHOR: Ting [D]

TITLE: Nutrition Incentive Matching Grant Program

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Establishes the Nutrition Incentive Matching Grant Program in the Office of Farm to Fork. Creates the Nutrition Incentive Matching Grant Account in the Farm to Fork Account to collect matching funds received from a specified federal grant program and funds from other public and private sources to encourage the purchase and consumption of fresh fruits, nuts, and vegetables of the State by nutrition benefit clients. Requires moneys in the account be awarded in the form of grants to qualified entities.

STATUS:

09/16/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

Received a request to support. Chad to send materials. Leg Com supported at 5/7 meeting. BOS adopted Support position at 6/9 meeting. Sent LOS for 7/7, 8/17 hearings.

CA AB 1335 AUTHOR: Atkins [D]

TITLE: Building Homes and Jobs Act

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Third Reading File

SUMMARY:

Enacts the Building Homes and Jobs Act. Imposes a fee on the recording of every real estate instrument, paper, or notice to be recorded. Requires fee revenues be sent to the Department of Housing and Community Development for deposit in the Building Homes and Jobs Fund to be expended for affordable

owner-occupied workforce housing and for supporting affordable housing, home ownership opportunities, and other housing-related programs, and admin costs. Establishes a Fund Governing Board.

STATUS:

06/04/2015 In ASSEMBLY. Assembly Rule 69(d) suspended.

Commentary:

This bill would impose a fee of \$75 to be paid at the time of recording every real estate instrument, paper or notice and would require that revenues from that fee be sent to the Department of Housing and Community Development for the Building Homes and Jobs Fund. This bill is similar to SB 391 (DeSaulnier) from last year. Send LOS to author 6/4/15.

Position: Support

CA AB 1347 AUTHOR: Chiu [D]

TITLE: Public Contracts Claims

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: Enrolled

SUMMARY:

Establishes, for state and local public contracts, a claim resolution process applicable to all claims by contractors in connection with public works. Specifies the procedures that are required of a public entity upon receipt of a claim sent by certified mail. Relates to failure of a public entity to respond to a claim within a specified time. Provides for a mutually agreed waiver and commencement of a civil action. Authorizes nonbinding mediation. Provides for a certain contractor claim procedure.

STATUS:

09/16/2015 Enrolled.

Commentary:

This bill would establish a claim resolution process applicable to all public entity contracts. This bill is similar to AB 2471 (Frazier) from last year.

Commentary001:

CSAC recommends Oppose; PW concurs. Sending to BOS for 4/14 action.

CA AB 1362 AUTHOR: Gordon [D]

TITLE: Local Government Assessments Fees and Charges

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Local Government Committee

SUMMARY:

Defines stormwater for purposes of the Proposition 218 Omnibus Implementation Act to mean any system of public improvements or service intended to provide for the quality, conservation, control, or conveyance of waters that land on or drain across the natural or man-made landscape.

STATUS:

03/23/2015 To ASSEMBLY Committee on LOCAL

GOVERNMENT.

Commentary:

Consistent with Platform. PW putting LOS on BOS agenda for 4/21 for info.

Position: Support

CA AB 1401 AUTHOR: Baker [R]

TITLE: Veterans: Student Financial Aid

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered

SUMMARY:

Relates to copies of the enrollment fee waiver application and the Free Application for Federal Student Aid available to each member of the State National Guard, the State Military Reserve, and the Naval Militia not having a baccalaureate degree. Requests the Adjutant General include information regarding the federal Post-9/11 GI Bill and the State National Guard Education Assistance Award Program.

STATUS:

09/03/2015 Signed by GOVERNOR.

09/03/2015 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 254

Commentary:

Sent letter of support for 4/28, 5/13, 6/23, 7/6 hearings.

Position: Support

CA AB 1436 AUTHOR: Burke [D]

TITLE: In-Home Support Services: Authorized

Representatives

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: Enrolled

SUMMARY:

Authorizes an applicant for, or recipient of, in-home supportive services to designate in writing a person to act as an authorized representative for purposes of the In-Home Supportive Services program. Provides that the representative has a legal responsibility to act in the applicant or recipient's best interest. Excludes persons with conviction for fraud. Requires the development of a form, with the county to retain the original of the form. Includes domestic, personal care and paramedical services.

STATUS:

09/16/2015 Enrolled.

Commentary:

BOS adopted Support position at 6/9 meeting. Sent LOS to author and for 6/23, 7/6 hearing. 9/17 sending letter to governor.

Position: Support

CA SB 4 AUTHOR: Lara [D]

TITLE: Health Care Coverage: Immigration Status

INTRODUCED: 12/01/2014
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Relates to individuals under a specified age enrolled in restricted-scope Medi-Cal to be enrolled in the full-scope benefits, if otherwise eligible, if a specified determination regarding immigration status is made. Requires monthly updates to specified legislative committees. Requires such individuals to enroll in a Medi-Cal managed care health plan.

STATUS:

09/18/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Position: Watch

CA SB 11 AUTHOR: Beall [D]

TITLE: Peace officer Training: Mental Health

INTRODUCED: 12/01/2014
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Requires the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training to review the training module relating to persons with a mental illness, intellectual disability, or substance abuse disorder in its basic training course, and develop additional training to better prepare law enforcement officers to recognize, deescalate, and appropriately respond to person with such conditions. Requires the Commission to establish and keep the course updated in a specified manner. Provides which officers must take the course.

STATUS:

09/08/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

Doug Sibley requested Leg Com review; Sent to BOS on 6/9/15 agenda. Sent LOS for 6/30, 7/14, 8/19 hearings.

CA SB 32 AUTHOR: Pavley [D]

TITLE: Global Warning Solutions Act of 2006

INTRODUCED: 12/01/2014

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee

SUMMARY:

Requires the State Air Resources Board to approve a specified statewide greenhouse gas emission limits that are the equivalent to a specified percentage below the 1990 level to be achieved by 2030. Revises current provisions of existing law regarding the implementation of the next update of a greenhouse gas scoping plan under existing law. Requires reports regarding reaching these limits.

STATUS:

09/10/2015 Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL

RESOURCES.

09/10/2015 From ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL

RESOURCES with author's amendments.

09/10/2015 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended.

Re-referred to Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

Commentary:

SB 32 (Pavley) - This bill would require the State Air Resources Board to approve a statewide greenhouse gas emission limit equivalent to 80% below the 1990 level to be achieved by 2050. The bill would also authorize the board to adopt interim greenhouse gas emissions level targets to be achieved by 2030 and 2040 through policy changes made by the legislature and other agencies.

CA SB 36 AUTHOR: Hernandez [D]

TITLE: Medi-Cal: Demonstration Project

INTRODUCED: 12/01/2014
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Authorizes the Director of Health Care Services, if federal assurances regarding a demonstration project under the Medi-Cal program that includes better care coordination for seniors and persons with disability and to reduce the number of uninsured individuals, to request temporary extension until the approved effective date of the project. Provides the required actions to be performed by the Department of Health Care Services subsequent to federal approval.

STATUS:

09/18/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

Waiver to implement a successor 1115 Medicaid Waiver demonstration program

CA SB 120 AUTHOR: Anderson [R]

TITLE: Sales and Use Taxes: First Responder Equipment

INTRODUCED: 01/15/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Senate Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Excludes, in the sale of any public safety first responder vehicle that is purchased by a local public agency and in the sale of any equipment on a public safety first responder vehicle that is purchased by a local public agency, from the terms gross receipts and sales price amounts of the gross receipts or sale price of an individual item in excess of a specified amount. Defines local public agency as a fire protection district or a fire department of a city, county, municipal corporation, or district.

STATUS:

05/28/2015 In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held in

committee.

Commentary:

Support requested by Chief Carman. Send to Leg Com for 5/7 meeting. BOS adopted Support position at 6/9 meeting.

Position: Support

CA SB 124 AUTHOR: Leno [D]

TITLE: Juveniles: Solitary Confinement

INTRODUCED: 01/16/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Appropriations Committee

SUMMARY:

Prohibits a person confined in a juvenile facility who is an imminent danger to himself, herself, or others as a result of a mental disorder, or who is gravely disabled from being subject to solitary confinement. Requires the person be transported to, and evaluated at, a designated facility. Provides procedures governing solitary confinement. Relates to the membership of a regional juvenile justice commission. Requires an inspection of detention facility and records. Relates to Internet Web site posting.

STATUS:

08/27/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS:

Held in committee.

Commentary:

Chief Kader supports. CPOC supports.

CA SB 163 AUTHOR: Hertzberg [D]

TITLE: Wastewater Treatment: Recycled Water

INTRODUCED: 02/04/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Rules Committee

SUMMARY:

Declares the discharge of treated wastewater from ocean outfalls is a waste and unreasonable use of water in light of certain conditions. Requires such facility to achieve a specified percentage of reuse of the actual annual flow for beneficial purposes. Prohibits such discharge except as backup discharge. Provides procedures for related exemption requests. Requires a prescribed plan to meet these provisions.

STATUS:

09/08/2015 Re-referred to ASSEMBLY Committee on RULES.

Commentary:

Watch

CA SB 196 AUTHOR: Hancock [D]

TITLE: Elder Abuse: Protective Orders

INTRODUCED: 02/10/2015

DISPOSITION: Enacted **LOCATION:** Chaptered

SUMMARY:

Authorizes a county adult protective services agency to file a petition for a protective order on behalf of an elder or dependent adult has suffered abuse and has impaired ability to appreciation and understand the circumstances that place him or her at risk or who has provided authorization for the agency to act on his or her behalf. Imposes specified requirements of the agency in referring the adult to the public guardian. Clarifies the definition of abuse of an elder or dependent adult.

STATUS:

09/09/2015 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 285

Commentary:

Sending LOS to Governor (9/3/15).

Position: Support

CA SB 238 AUTHOR: Mitchell [D]

TITLE: Foster Care: Psychotropic Medication

INTRODUCED: 02/17/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Requires the Judicial Council to amend and adopt rules of court and develop appropriate forms for the implementation of specified provisions. Specifies the contents of such rules of court. Requires a report on the number of such medications authorized. Requires specified related training on aspects of taking and administering such medications. Requires foster care public health nurses to receive this training.

STATUS:

09/11/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

CA SB 239 AUTHOR: Hertzberg [D]

TITLE: Local Services: Contracts: Fire Protection Services

INTRODUCED: 02/17/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Permits a public agency to exercise new or extended services outside jurisdictional boundaries as per a fire protection contract only if the agency receives a specified approval. Requires, prior to entering into a proposal, the agency enter into an agreement for the performance of new or extended services per such contract with, or provide notice of such contract to, each affected public agency and employee organization representing firefighters in the affected area and conduct a public hearing.

STATUS:

09/11/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

Chief Carman recommends an "Oppose." Send to Leg Com for 5/7 meeting. BOS adopted Oppose position at 6/9 meeting. Sent LOO for 7/15, 8/19 hearings.

Position: Oppose

CA SB 266 AUTHOR: Block [D]

TITLE: Probation and Mandatory Supervision: Incarceration

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Assembly Public Safety Committee

SUMMARY:

Allows a court to authorizes the use of flash incarceration to detain the offender in county jail for not more than a specified number of days for a violation of conditions of probation or mandatory supervision. Provides these provisions would not apply to persons convicted of certain drug offenses.

STATUS:

06/16/2015 In ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY: Not

heard.

Commentary:

Bill sponsored by CPOC. Chief Kader supports. To BOS on 5/5/15. Board supported. Sent LOS for 6/16 and 6/30 hearings.

Position: Support

CA SB 277 AUTHOR: Pan [D]

TITLE: Public Health: Vaccinations

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2015
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered

SUMMARY:

Eliminates the exemption from existing specified immunization requirements based upon personal beliefs. Allows an exemption from future requirements deemed appropriate by the State Department of Public Health for either medical reasons or personal beliefs, and provides details. Exempts pupils in specified programs. Provides an temporary exclusion is only for a child who has been exposed to a specified disease and whose proof of status does not show proof of immunization against one of specified diseases.

STATUS:

06/29/2015 *****To GOVERNOR. 06/30/2015 Signed by GOVERNOR.

06/30/2015 Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter No. 35

Commentary:

Referred by Supv. Piepho 03.05.15. Referred to Leg Com 04.02.15. Referred to Board 05.05.15. Board voted 3-1 to support. Sent letter to author on 5.15.15 and 6.09.15 to committee hearing.

Position: Support

CA SB 313 AUTHOR: Galgiani [D]

TITLE: Local Government: Zoning Ordinances: School

Districts

INTRODUCED: 02/23/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover **LOCATION:** Senate Inactive File

SUMMARY:

Conditions the authorization to render a city or county zoning ordinance inapplicable to a proposed use of school district property upon compliance with a notice requirement regarding a schoolsite on agricultural land. Requires the governing board of a district to notify a city or county of the reason the board intends to take a specified vote. Requires the vote to be based upon findings that such an ordinance fails to accommodate the need for renovation or expanding an existing school, or for a new school.

STATUS:

06/02/2015 In SENATE. To Inactive File.

Commentary:

Consistent with Platform. John C. sending letter of support.

Position: Support

CA SB 608 AUTHOR: Liu [D]

TITLE: Homelessness INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015

DISPOSITION: Pending - Carryover

LOCATION: Senate Transportation and Housing Committee

SUMMARY:

Enacts the Right to Rest Act, which would afford persons experiencing homelessness the right to use public space without discrimination based on their housing status. Describes basic human and civil rights that may be exercised without being subject to criminal or civil sanctions or harassment, including the right to use and to move freely in public spaces, the right to rest in public spaces and to protect oneself from the elements.

STATUS:

04/07/2015 In SENATE Committee on TRANSPORTATION AND

HOUSING: Heard, remains in Committee.

Commentary:

This bill would enact the Right to Rest Act which would allow persons experiencing homelessness the right to use public spaces without discrimination based on their housing status. This bill would describe basic human and civil rights that may be exercised without being subject to criminal or civil sanctions or harassment, the right to rest in public spaces, the right to eat in any public space and the right to occupy a motor vehicle. This bill is very similar to the Ammiano bill which created a homeless bill of rights (AB 5, 2013).

CA SB 621 AUTHOR: Hertzberg [D]

TITLE: Mentally Ill Offender Crime Reduction Grants

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Authorizes the funds from a mentally ill offender crime reduction grant administered by the Board of State and Community Corrections to be used to fund specialized diversion programs that offer appropriate mental health and treatment services.

STATUS:

09/08/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

Consistent with Board policy #97: SUPPORT continued and improved funding for substance abuse treatment and mental health services including those that provide alternatives to incarceration and Laura's Law.

Sent letter of support for 4/7/15, 4/20/15, 5/28/15, 6/31/15 hearings. Sent LOS to Governor on 9/3.

Position: Support

CA SB 643 AUTHOR: McGuire [D]

TITLE: Medical Marijuana

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Sets forth standards for a physician and surgeon prescribing medical cannabis, and the Medical Board of the State prioritize its investigative and prosecutorial resources to identify and discipline physicians and surgeons that have improperly recommended excessive cannabis to patients. Prohibits a recommending physician or surgeon from receiving certain remuneration for a licensed facility. Requires the appointment of a Chief of the Bureau of Medical Marijuana Regulation. Authorizes a county cannabis tax.

STATUS:

09/18/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

This bill would express the Legislature's intent to enact legislation that would, among other things, reaffirm and clarify aspects of the Medical Marijuana Program Act, regulate the cultivation of medical marijuana, and authorize and appropriate adequate funding for the Board of Equalization to undertake a study, as specified, in order to make recommendations on the best way to levy and collect fees to regulate the cultivation and sale of medical marijuana.

CA SB 762 AUTHOR: Wolk [D]

TITLE: Competitive Bidding: Pilot Program: Design-Build

INTRODUCED: 02/27/2015

DISPOSITION: To Governor **LOCATION:** To Governor

SUMMARY:

Establishes a pilot program to allow specified counties to select a bidder on the basis of best value for construction projects that are in excess of a specified amount. Establishes procedures and criteria for the selection of the best value contractor. Requires that bidders verify specified information. Requires the board of supervisors of a participating county to submit a report to specified legislative committees. Amends the term best value to have the objective criteria evaluated.

STATUS:

09/15/2015 ******To GOVERNOR.

Commentary:

This bill would establish a pilot program to allow counties to select the lowest responsible bidder on the basis of best value. This bill would allow that if the board of supervisors deems it to be in the best interest of the county they may, on the refusal or failure of the successful bidder to execute a contract, award it to the second lowest responsible bidder. Best value is defined as a procurement process whereby the lowest responsible bidder may be selected on the basis of objective criteria with the resulting selection representing the best combination of price and qualifications.

CA AB 9 a AUTHOR: Levine [D]

TITLE: Richmond-San Rafael Bridge

INTRODUCED: 08/17/2015
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Requires the Department of Transportation to implement an operational improvement project that temporarily restores the third eastbound lane on State Highway Route 580 from the beginning of the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge in the County of Marin to Marine Street in the County of Contra Costa to automobile traffic and that temporarily converts a specified portion into a bi-directional bicycle and pedestrian lane. Requires temporary lanes until they can be safely removed.

STATUS:

08/17/2015 INTRODUCED.

Commentary:

Sending Chair LOS. To BOS for concurrence 8/25

CA AB 16 b AUTHOR: Bonta [D]

TITLE: Cigarette and Tobacco Projects: Electronic Cigarettes

INTRODUCED: 08/26/2015 DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Assembly Public Health and Developmental Services

Committee

SUMMARY:

Expands the definition of tobacco projects to include electronic cigarettes, thereby subjecting manufacturers, importers, distributors, wholesalers, and retailers of electronic cigarettes to the specified licensing requirements. Imposes an additional tax on the distribution of cigarettes. Imposes a related floor stock tax. Requires distributors to pay a cigarette indicia adjustment tax. Provides that tax revenues will be deposited in a specified fund to fund health care and prevention programs.

STATUS:

08/27/2015 To ASSEMBLY Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH AND

DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES.

Commentary:

Sending LOS from Chair, 09/08/15

CA AB 18 b AUTHOR: Bonilla [D]

TITLE: Taxation: Cocktails for Healthy Outcomes Act

INTRODUCED: 08/31/2015 DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Assembly Second Reading File

SUMMARY:

Amends the Fee Collection Procedures Law. Imposes a surtax on every individual for each purchase of a cocktail from an on-sale licensee for consumption or other use on the licensed, in-state premises. Requires a licensee to separately state and collect the surtax from an individual. Requires related revenues be deposited in a specified fund for funding developmental disability services. Excludes from gross receipts subject to tax the amount of surtax imposed by this legislation.

STATUS:

09/11/2015 From ASSEMBLY Committee on FINANCE: Do pass.

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Commentary:

Sent LOS from Chair of BOS, 9/1/15.

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