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[AB 1](#)

(Garcia, Cristina D) Hazardous waste.

Current Text: Introduced: 12/7/2020 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/7/2020

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Status: 4/7/2021-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 7. Noes 0.) (April 7). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...repeal Sections 43005.5, 43051, 43055, 43151, 43152.11, and 43152.16 of, the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to **hazardous waste**. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 1, as introduced, Cristina Garcia. **Hazardous waste**. (1) Existing law provides that the Department of Toxic Substances Control regulates the handling and management of **hazardous substances** ...

Summary: Would create the Board of Environmental Safety in the California Environmental Protection Agency. The bill would provide requirements for the membership of the board and would require the board to conduct no less than 6 public meetings per year. The bill would provide for the duties of the board, which would include, among others, reviewing specified policies, processes, and programs within the hazardous waste control laws; proposing statutory, regulatory, and policy changes; and hearing and deciding appeals of hazardous waste facility permit decisions and certain financial assurance decisions.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Berman

[AB 6](#)

(Levine D) Health facilities: pandemics and emergencies: best practices.

Current Text: Introduced: 12/7/2020 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/7/2020

Status: 4/21/2021-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to suspense file.

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Synopsis: ...by skilled nursing facilities, intermediate care facilities, and congregate living health facilities that are providing post-acute care during a **pandemic**, public health crisis, or other emergency. Digest Key Vote: MAJORITY Appropriation: NO Fiscal Committee: YES Local Program: NO Bill Textby skilled nursing facilities, intermediate care facilities, and congregate living health facilities that are providing post-acute care during a **pandemic**, public health crisis, or other emergency. The guidelines and best practices shall address, at a minimum, the provision of care ...

Summary: Would require, by July 1, 2022, the State Department of Public Health and the State Department of Social Services to collaborate to create health and safety guidelines and a description of best practices for use by skilled nursing facilities, intermediate care facilities, and congregate living health facilities that are providing post-acute care during a pandemic, public health crisis, or other emergency.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Graham

[AB 9](#)

(Wood D) Fire safety: wildfires: fire adapted communities.

Current Text: Amended: 4/19/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/7/2020

Last Amend: 4/19/2021

Status: 4/20/2021-Re-referred to Com. on L. GOV.

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Synopsis: ...prioritize, and implement strategies and projects that create fire adapted communities and landscapes by improving watershed health, forest health, community **wildfire** preparedness, and fire resilience. The bill would require, among other things, the department to, upon an appropriation by the Legislature, provide block grants to regional entities, as defined, to develop regional strategies that develop governance structures, identify **wildfire** risks, foster collaboration, and prioritize and implement projects within the region to achieve the goals of the program. The billprioritize, and implement strategies and projects that create fire adapted communities and landscapes by improving watershed health, forest health, community **wildfire** preparedness, and fire resilience. (b) (1) The department shall, upon an appropriation by the Legislature for these purposes, provide do ...

Summary: Would establish in the Department of Conservation the Regional Forest and Fire Capacity Program to support regional leadership to build local and regional capacity and develop, prioritize, and

implement strategies and projects that create fire adapted communities and landscapes by improving watershed health, forest health, community wildfire preparedness, and fire resilience. The bill would require, among other things, the department to, upon an appropriation by the Legislature, provide block grants to regional entities, as defined, to develop regional strategies that develop governance structures, identify wildfire risks, foster collaboration, and prioritize and implement projects within the region to achieve the goals of the program.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Klinenberg

AB 55

(Boerner Horvath D) Employment: telecommuting.

Current Text: Introduced: 12/7/2020 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/7/2020

Status: 12/8/2020-From printer. May be heard in committee January 7.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Synopsis: ...improve working conditions and advance opportunities for profitable employment. Existing law regulates the wages, hours, and working conditions of any worker employed in any occupation, trade, or industry. This bill would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact future legislation ...

Summary: Current law promotes and develops the welfare of workers in California to improve working conditions and advance opportunities for profitable employment. Current law regulates the wages, hours, and working conditions of any worker employed in any occupation, trade, or industry. This bill would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact future legislation to ensure certain rights and benefits for telecommuting employees.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Hirsh

AB 73

(Rivas, Robert D) Employment safety: agricultural workers: wildfire smoke.

Current Text: Amended: 4/12/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/7/2020

Last Amend: 4/12/2021

Status: 4/13/2021-Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...and Wood) December 07, 2020 An act to add Part 12 (commencing with Section 9110) to Division 5 of the Labor Code, relating to employment safety, safety, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 73, as amended, Robert Rivas. Employment safety: agricultural workers: wildfire smoke. Existing law establishes the Division of Occupational Safety and Health within the Department of Industrial Relations and requires the ...

Summary: Would, among other things, require the Division of Occupational Safety and Health to designate a wildfire smoke strike team within each regional office for purposes of enforcing regulations regarding air quality safety for agricultural workers, as defined. The bill would require the division, by January 1, 2023, to establish a stockpile of N95 filtering facepiece respirators, as defined, of sufficient size to adequately equip all agricultural workers during wildfire smoke emergencies. The bill would require the division to establish guidelines for procurement, management, and distribution of the N95 respirators.

Position
Oppose Unless Amended

Assigned
Gulbrandsen

AB 93

(Garcia, Eduardo D) Pandemic response practices.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/7/2020

Last Amend: 3/25/2021

Status: 3/26/2021-Re-referred to Com. on HEALTH.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Synopsis: ...health. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 93, as amended, Eduardo Garcia. Pandemics: priority for medical treatment: food supply industry workers. Pandemic response practices. Existing law establishes the California Health and Human Services Agency, under the direction of the Secretary of CaliforniaAnalyst's Office to conduct a comprehensive review and analysis of issues related to the state's response to the COVID-19 pandemic, including, among others, whether local public health departments were sufficiently staffed and funded to handle specified pandemic-related responsibilities ...

Summary: Would require the Legislative Analyst's Office to conduct a comprehensive review and

analysis of issues related to the state's response to the COVID-19 pandemic, including, among others, whether local public health departments were sufficiently staffed and funded to handle specified pandemic-related responsibilities, and what specific measures of accountability the state applied to monitor and confirm that local public health departments were following state directives related to any dedicated COVID-19 funds allocated to counties. The bill would require the office to report to the Joint Legislative Audit Committee and the health committees of the Legislature by June 30, 2022. This bill contains other related provisions.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Cohen

[AB 100](#)

(Holden D) Drinking water: pipes and fittings: lead content.

Current Text: Amended: 4/5/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/11/2020

Last Amend: 4/5/2021

Status: 4/14/2021-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to suspense file.

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Synopsis: ...11, 2020 An act to amend Sections 25214.4.3 and 116875 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to **drinking water**. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 100, as amended, Holden. **Drinking water**: pipes and fittings: **lead** content. Existing law, the California Safe **Drinking Water** Act, requires the State Water Resources Control ...

Summary: The California Safe Drinking Water Act prohibits, with certain exceptions, the use of any pipe, pipe or plumbing fitting or fixture, solder, or flux that is not lead free in the installation or repair of any public water system or any plumbing in a facility providing water for human consumption. The act defines "lead free" for purposes of conveying or dispensing water for human consumption to mean not more than 0.2% lead when used with respect to solder and flux and not more than a weighted average of 0.25% lead when used with respect to the wetted surfaces of pipes and pipe fittings, plumbing fittings, and fixtures. This bill would additionally define "lead free," with respect to endpoint devices, as defined, to mean that the devices do not leach more than one microgram of lead under certain tests and meeting a specified certification.

Position
Support

Assigned
Spielman

[AB 240](#)

(Rodriguez D) Local health department workforce assessment.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/13/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/13/2021

Status: 4/14/2021-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to suspense file.

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Synopsis: ...Health to implement various programs throughout the state relating to public health, including licensing and regulating health facilities, control of **infectious** diseases, and implementing programs relating to chronic health issues. Existing law authorizes the department to implement the required programs throughthe following: (a) Local health departments are the first line of defense against public health threats, including novel pandemics like **COVID-19**. These organizations rely on trained public health professionals, including epidemiologists, communicable disease investigators, public health nurses, laboratorians, and health educators ...

Summary: Would require the State Department of Public Health to contract with an appropriate and qualified entity to conduct an evaluation of the adequacy of the local health department infrastructure and to make recommendations for future staffing, workforce needs, and resources, in order to accurately and adequately fund local public health. The bill would exempt the department from specific provisions relating to public contracting with regard to this requirement. The bill would require the department to report the findings and recommendations of the evaluation to the appropriate policy and fiscal committees of the Legislature on or before July 1, 2024. The bill would also require the department to convene an advisory group, composed of representatives from public, private, and tribal entities, as specified, to provide input on the selection of the entity that would conduct the evaluation.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Canright

[AB 257](#)

(Gonzalez, Lorena D) Food facilities and employment.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/15/2021

Last Amend: 3/25/2021

Status: 4/27/2021-From committee: Amend, and do pass as amended and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 7. Noes 3.) (April 27).

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Synopsis: ...to amend Section 96 of, and to add Part 4.7 (commencing with Section 1470) to Division 2 of, the Labor Code, and to amend Sections 113949.1 and 113949.2 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to food facilities and employment. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 257, as amended, Lorena Gonzalez. Fast ...

Summary: Would enact the Fast Food Accountability and Standards Recovery Act or FAST Recovery Act. The bill would establish the Fast Food Sector Council (council), to be composed of 11 members to be appointed by the Governor, the Speaker of the Assembly, and the Senate Rules Committee, and would prescribe its powers. The purpose of the council would be to establish industry-wide minimum standards on wages, working hours, and other working conditions related to the health, safety, and welfare of, and supplying the necessary cost of proper living to, fast food restaurant workers, as well as effecting interagency coordination and prompt agency responses in this regard.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Hirsh

AB 263 (Arambula D) Private detention facilities.

Current Text: Amended: 4/15/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/15/2021

Last Amend: 4/15/2021

Status: 4/15/2021-Read third time and amended. Ordered to third reading.

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Synopsis: ...require a private detention facility operator to comply with, and adhere to, all local and state public health orders and occupational safety and health regulations. This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute. Digest Keyensure that private detention facility operators in within the State of California respect and adhere to public health orders and occupational safety and health regulations, thus ensuring the welfare of those individuals detained or working in these facilities and protecting public ...

Summary: Current law requires the operator of a private detention facility, as defined, to comply with, and adhere to, the detention standards of care and confinement agreed upon in the facility's contract for operations, as specified. This bill would require a private detention facility operator to comply with, and adhere to, all local and state public health orders and occupational safety and health regulations.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Cohen

AB 284 (Rivas, Robert D) California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: climate goal: natural and working lands.

Current Text: Amended: 4/14/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/21/2021

Last Amend: 4/14/2021

Status: 4/15/2021-Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...the Health and Safety Code, relating to greenhouse gases. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 284, as amended, Robert Rivas. California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: climate goal: natural and working lands. The California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 establishes the State Air Resources Board as the state agency responsible for monitoring and regulating ...

Summary: The California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 requires the State Air Resources Board to prepare and approve a scoping plan for achieving the maximum technologically feasible and cost-effective reductions in greenhouse gas emissions and to update the scoping plan at least once every 5 years. This bill would require the state board, when updating the scoping plan and in collaboration with the Natural Resources Agency and other relevant state agencies and departments, to take specified actions by January 1, 2023, including, among others, identifying a 2045 climate goal, with interim milestones, for the state's natural and working lands, as defined, and identifying practices, policy and financial incentives, market needs, and potential reductions in barriers that would help achieve the 2045 climate goal.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Berman

AB 334 (Mullin D) Workers' compensation: skin cancer.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/27/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/27/2021

Status: 2/12/2021-Referred to Com. on INS.

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Synopsis: ...Introduced by Assembly Member Mullin (Coauthor: Senator Stern) January 27, 2021 An act to amend Section 3212.11 of the **Labor Code**, relating to **workers' compensation**. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 334, as introduced, Mullin. **Workers' compensation**: skin cancer. Existing law establishes a **workers' compensation** ...

Summary: Current law establishes a workers' compensation system, administered by the Administrative Director of the Division of Workers' Compensation, to compensate an employee for injuries sustained in the course of employment. Current law provides, among other things, that skin cancer developing in active lifeguards, as defined, is presumed to arise out of and in the course of employment, unless the presumption is rebutted. This bill would expand the scope of those provisions to certain peace officers of the Department of Fish and Wildlife and the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Berman

AB 415

(Rivas, Robert D) Employment: workers' compensation.

Current Text: Amended: 2/12/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/3/2021

Last Amend: 2/12/2021

Status: 2/16/2021-Re-referred to Com. on INS.

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Synopsis: ...Member Robert Rivas February 03, 2021 An act to amend Section 245.5 of add Section 3212.18 to the **Labor Code**, relating to employment. **workers' compensation**. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 415, as amended, Robert Rivas. Paid sick days: family member: child. Employment: **workers' compensation** ...

Summary: Current law establishes a workers' compensation system, administered by the Administrative Director of the Division of Workers' Compensation, to compensate an employee for injuries sustained in the course of the employee's employment. This bill would define "injury," for certain employees of a city, county, city and county, district, or other municipal corporation or political subdivision regularly exposed to active fires or health hazards directly resulting from firefighting operations, to include cancer that develops or manifests during a period in which the individual demonstrates that they were exposed to a known carcinogen while in the employment of the city, county, city and county, district, or other municipal corporation or political subdivision. The bill would establish a presumption that the cancer in those cases arose out of, and in the course of, employment, unless the presumption is controverted by evidence that the primary site of the cancer has been established and that the carcinogen to which the person has demonstrated exposure is not reasonably linked to the disabling cancer.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Berman

AB 426

(Bauer-Kahan D) Toxic air contaminants.

Current Text: Amended: 3/17/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/4/2021

Last Amend: 3/17/2021

Status: 4/14/2021-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

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Synopsis: ...the Health and Safety Code, relating to stationary air pollution. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 426, as amended, Bauer-Kahan. **Toxic air contaminants**. Existing law authorizes local air pollution control districts and **air quality** management districts, in carrying out their responsibilities with respect ...

Summary: Current law authorizes local air pollution control districts and air quality management districts, in carrying out their responsibilities with respect to the attainment of state ambient air quality standards, to adopt and implement regulations that accomplish certain objectives. This bill would additionally authorize the districts to adopt and implement regulations to require data regarding air pollution within the district's jurisdiction from indirect and areawide sources of air pollution, including mobile sources drawn by those sources, to enable the calculation of health risks from toxic air contaminants. This bill would additionally authorize the districts to adopt and implement regulations to accomplish these objectives in carrying out their responsibilities with respect to the reduction of health risks from toxic air contaminants.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Canright

AB 480

(Carrillo D) Hazardous substances.

Current Text: Amended: 3/30/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/8/2021

Last Amend: 3/30/2021

Status: 4/7/2021-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 6. Noes 1.) (April 7). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...Assembly Member Carrillo February 08, 2021 An act to amend Section 25510 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to **hazardous substances**. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 480, as amended, Carrillo. **Hazardous substances**. (1) Existing law requires the Secretary for Environmental Protection to implement a unified **hazardous waste** and **hazardous materials** management ...

Summary: Current law requires a business that handles a hazardous material, or an employee, authorized representative, agent, or designee of that business, to, upon discovery, immediately report any release or threatened release of a hazardous material, or an actual release of a hazardous substance, as defined, to the UPA and the Office of Emergency Services, as provided. This bill would require that reporting of the release or threatened release to the UPA and the Office of Emergency Services, as provided. The bill would require a handler, employee, authorized representative, agent, or their designee to provide state, city, or county fire or public health or safety personnel and emergency response personnel with access to the handler's facility if there is a release or threatened release at the facility.

Position

Watch

Assigned

Rinck

AB 585

(Rivas, Luz D) Climate change: Extreme Heat and Community Resilience Program.

Current Text: Amended: 3/17/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/11/2021

Last Amend: 3/17/2021

Status: 4/14/2021-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to suspense file.

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Synopsis: ...strategy. As part of the update, existing law requires the agency to coordinate with other state agencies to identify a **lead** agency or group of agencies to **lead** adaptation efforts in each sector. Existing law requires state agencies to work to maximize specified objectives related to climate change ...

Summary: Would establish the Extreme Heat and Community Resilience Program and would require the Office of Planning and Research to administer the program. Under the program, the bill would require the Office of Planning and Research to coordinate the state's efforts to address extreme heat and to facilitate the implementation of local, regional, and state climate change planning into effective projects through the awarding of competitive grants to eligible entities for implementation of those projects. The bill would establish the Extreme Heat and Community Resilience Fund in the State Treasury and would require the office, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to expend moneys in the fund for the implementation of the program.

Position

Watch

Assigned

Rinck

AB 619

(Calderon D) Lung health.

Current Text: Amended: 4/14/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/12/2021

Last Amend: 4/14/2021

Status: 4/21/2021-Read second time. Ordered to Consent Calendar. Re-referred to Com. on APPR. pursuant to Joint Rule 10.5.

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Synopsis: ...media campaign, as specified. Existing law requires the department to submit to the State Air Resources Board recommendations for ambient **air quality** standards reflecting the relationship between the intensity and composition of air pollution and the health, illness, irritation to the sensesdevelop a plan, addressing specified issues, with recommendations and guidelines for counties to use in the case of a significant **air quality** event caused by wildfires or other sources. The bill would require the department to consult with specified stakeholders in ...

Summary: Would require the State Department of Public Health to conduct a Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) Provider Awareness Campaign to increase awareness of COPD, as specified, and to target the COPD Provider Awareness Campaign to, among others, primary care providers and family care providers. The bill would make related findings and declarations.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Graham

AB 643 (Ramos D) Apprenticeship programs: career fairs.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/12/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/12/2021

Status: 4/26/2021-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. with recommendation: To Consent Calendar. (Ayes 7. Noes 0.) (April 22). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...Bill No. 643 Introduced by Assembly Member Ramos February 12, 2021 An act to add Section 3074.2 to the **Labor Code**, relating to apprenticeship. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 643, as introduced, Ramos. Apprenticeship programs: career fairs. Existing law provides forof apprenticeship programs in various trades, to be approved by the Chief of the Division of Apprenticeship Standards within the **Department of Industrial Relations** in any trade in the state or in a city or trade area whenever the apprentice training ...

Summary: Current law provides for the establishment of apprenticeship programs in various trades, to be approved by the Chief of the Division of Apprenticeship Standards within the Department of Industrial Relations in any trade in the state or in a city or trade area whenever the apprentice training needs justify the establishment. This bill would require a school district or school to notify each apprenticeship program in the same county as the school district or school of a career or college fair it is planning to hold, as specified.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Hirsh

AB 652 (Friedman D) Product safety: juvenile products: chemicals: perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances.

Current Text: Amended: 3/29/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/12/2021

Last Amend: 3/29/2021

Status: 4/8/2021-Read second time. Ordered to third reading.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered	
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Synopsis: ...in this state any new, not previously owned, juvenile product, as defined, that contains intentionally added perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (**PFAS**) at a detectable level above an unspecified amount. (**PFAS**), as defined. The bill would establish requirements for manufacturers when replacing **PFAS** chemicals in juvenile products. Digest Key Vote: MAJORITY Appropriation: NO Fiscal Committee: NO Local Program: NO Bill Text The people ...

Summary: Would, on and after July 1, 2023, prohibit a person, including a manufacturer, from selling or distributing in commerce in this state any new, not previously owned, juvenile product, as defined, that contains intentionally added perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS), as defined. The bill would establish requirements for manufacturers when replacing PFAS chemicals in juvenile products.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Cohen

AB 693 (Chau D) Proposition 65: enforcement.

Current Text: Amended: 3/18/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/16/2021

Last Amend: 3/18/2021

Status: 4/21/2021-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

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Synopsis: ...relating to toxic substances. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 693, as amended, Chau. Proposition 65: enforcement. The (1) The Safe **Drinking Water** and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986, an initiative measure approved by the voters as Proposition 65 at the November 4knowingly discharging or releasing such a chemical into water, or into or onto land and passing into any source of **drinking water**, except as specified. The act imposes civil penalties upon persons who violate those prohibitions, and provides for the enforcement ...

Summary: If a notice made by a person bringing an action in the public interest alleges a violation of the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act's warning requirement, the act requires that the notice include a certificate of merit stating that the person executing the certificate has consulted with one or more persons with relevant and appropriate experience or expertise who has reviewed facts, studies, or other data regarding the exposure to the listed chemical that is the subject of the action, and that, based on that information, the person believes there is a reasonable and meritorious case for the private action. The act requires factual information sufficient to establish the basis of the

certificate of merit to be attached to the certificate of merit that is served on the Attorney General. This bill would require the same factual information sufficient to establish the basis of the certificate of merit to be attached to the certificate of merit that is served on each alleged violator.

Position
Watch
Assigned
Spielman

[AB 698](#) (Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials) Hazardous waste: small quantity generator.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/16/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/16/2021

Status: 4/26/2021-In Senate. Read first time. To Com. on RLS. for assignment.

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Synopsis: ...4, 25218.5, 25218.6, 25218.11, 25250.1, and 25366.5 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to **hazardous waste**. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 698, as introduced, Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials. **Hazardous waste:** small quantity generator. Under existing law, the Department of Toxic Substances Control generally regulates the management and handling of ...

Summary: Current law designates certain generators of hazardous waste in specified amounts as a "conditionally exempt small quantity generator," also known as "CESQG" for certain regulations. The term CESQG is defined with reference to a specified federal regulation that provides that a generator is a conditionally exempt small quantity generator in a calendar month if it generates no more than 100 kilograms of hazardous waste in that month and that specifies which hazardous wastes are included in, or excluded from, that calculation. That federal regulation also exempts specified amounts of acute hazardous wastes and residues from clean up of acute hazardous waste, as specified. Current law defines the term "storage facility" for purposes of the hazardous waste control laws as including an onsite facility where the hazardous waste is held for more than 90 days and excludes certain generators of less than 1,000 kilograms of hazardous waste in a calendar month from this definition of storage facility subject to specified conditions, including compliance with specified federal waste accumulation regulations. This bill would replace the terms "conditionally exempt small quantity generator" and CESQG with "very small quantity generator" and "VSQG" with reference to a different federal regulation that recasts those provisions regarding the amount of hazardous waste and which hazardous wastes are included in, or excluded from, that calculation.

Position
Watch
Assigned
Berman

[AB 701](#) (Gonzalez, Lorena D) Warehouse distribution centers.

Current Text: Amended: 4/12/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/16/2021

Last Amend: 4/12/2021

Status: 4/26/2021-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 5. Noes 2.) (April 22). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...to add Section 6726 to, and to add Part 8.6 (commencing with Section 2100) to Division 2 of, the **Labor Code**, relating to employment. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 701, as amended, Lorena Gonzalez. Warehouse distribution centers. (1) Existing law relatingmeet a quota that has not been disclosed or for failure to meet a quota that does not allow a **worker** to comply with **health** and safety laws. The bill would require that any action taken by an employee to comply ...

Summary: Current law relating to employment regulation and supervision imposes special provisions on certain occupations and industries. Current law charges the Labor Commissioner and the Division of Labor Standards Enforcement with the enforcement of labor laws. This bill, among other things, would require specified employers to provide to each employee, defined as a nonexempt employee who works at a warehouse distribution center, a written description of each quota to which the employee is subject, including the quantified number of tasks to be performed, or materials to be produced or handled, within the defined time period, and any potential adverse employment action that could result from failure to meet the quota.

Position
Watch
Assigned
Klinenberg

[AB 762](#) (Lee D) Hazardous emissions and substances: schoolsites: private and charter schools.

Current Text: Amended: 3/30/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/16/2021

Last Amend: 3/30/2021

Status: 4/7/2021-Coauthors revised. From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on ED. (Ayes 6.

Noes 0.) (April 7). Re-referred to Com. on ED.

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Synopsis: ...COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 762, as amended, Lee. Hazardous emissions and substances: schoolsites: private and charter schools. (1) The California **Environmental Quality Act** (CEQA) requires a **lead** agency to prepare, or cause to be prepared by contract, and certify the completion of, an ...

Summary: CEQA prohibits an environmental impact report or negative declaration from being approved for any project involving the purchase of a schoolsite or the construction of a new elementary or secondary school by a school district unless specified conditions are met, relating to, among other things, whether the property is located on a current or former hazardous waste disposal site or solid waste disposal site, a hazardous substance release site, or a site that contains a pipeline that carries specified substances, and the property's proximity to facilities that might reasonably be anticipated to emit hazardous emissions or handle hazardous or extremely hazardous substances or waste, as provided. This bill would prohibit an environmental impact report or negative declaration from being approved for a project involving the purchase of a schoolsite or the construction of a new elementary or secondary school by a charter school, unless those specified conditions are met.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Spielman

AB 783

(Gray D) Surface mines: safety regulation.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/16/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/16/2021

Status: 4/26/2021-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 7. Noes 0.) (April 22). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...Member Gray February 16, 2021 An act to amend Section 7953 of, and to add Section 7964.6 to, the **Labor Code**, relating to **occupational safety**. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 783, as introduced, Gray. Surface mines: safety regulation. Existing law, enforced by the **Division** ...

Summary: Current law, enforced by the Division of Occupational Safety and Health, defines and regulates mines and tunnels and distinguishes between above ground, or surface mines, and underground mines. Current law requires that sufficient manpower be maintained to provide for 4 annual inspections of underground mines, one inspection of surface mines or quarries annually, and 6 inspections of tunnels under construction annually. This bill would authorize a surface mine that has been accepted into, and is currently in compliance with, the Voluntary Protection Program of the Division of Occupational Safety and Health to be excepted from the annual inspection requirement described above.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Spielman

AB 838

(Friedman D) State Housing Law: enforcement response to complaints.

Current Text: Amended: 4/5/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/17/2021

Last Amend: 4/5/2021

Status: 4/19/2021-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 6. Noes 2.) (April 15). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...or premises on which a building is located to be in violation of the State Housing Law if it contains **lead** hazards, as specified, that are likely to endanger the health of the public or the occupants. This bill would, beginning July 1, 2021, 2022, require a city or county that receives a complaint of a substandard building or a **lead** hazard violation, as described above, from a tenant, resident, or occupant, or an agent of a tenant, resident, or occupantspecified, to inspect the building, portion of the building intended for human occupancy, or premises of the building, document the **lead** hazard violations that would be discovered based upon a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the property and identify ...

Summary: Would, beginning July 1, 2022, require a city or county that receives a complaint of a substandard building or a lead hazard violation, as specified, from a tenant, resident, or occupant, or an agent of a tenant, resident, or occupant, except as specified, to inspect the building, portion of the building intended for human occupancy, or premises of the building, document the lead hazard violations that would be discovered based upon a reasonably competent and diligent visual inspection of the property and identify any building, portion of a building intended for human occupancy, or premises on which such a building is located that is determined to be substandard, as applicable. The bill would require the city or county, as applicable, to advise the owner or operator of each violation and of each action that is required to be taken to remedy the violation and to schedule a reinspection

to verify correction of the violations.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Spielman

[AB 893](#) (Davies R) Emergency regulations: Division of Occupational Safety and Health: State Department of Public Health.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/17/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/17/2021

Status: 2/25/2021- Referred to Com. on A. & A.R.

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Synopsis: ...and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 893, as introduced, Davies. Emergency regulations: **Division of Occupational Safety and Health: State Department of Public Health**. Existing law establishes the **Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board** within the ...

Summary: Would require the Division of Occupational Safety and Health or the State Department of Public Health, within 14 calendar days of the release of a federal recommendation that conflicts with an emergency regulation related to COVID-19 issued by the division or the department, to review the conflicting emergency regulation and make a determination to either amend the regulation or submit a report to the Legislature on the decision not to amend the regulation, as specified. The bill would require the division or department, before determining whether to amend the emergency regulation, to provide public notice and an opportunity for public comment. The bill would repeal these provisions 90 days after the termination of the state of emergency related to the COVID-19 pandemic declared by the Governor.

Position
Support

Assigned
Davis,

[AB 1005](#) (Muratsuchi D) Scientific Review Panel on Toxic Air Contaminants.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/18/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/18/2021

Status: 2/19/2021-From printer. May be heard in committee March 21.

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Synopsis: ...Assembly Member Muratsuchi February 18, 2021 An act to amend Section 39670 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to **air quality**. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 1005, as introduced, Muratsuchi. Scientific Review Panel on **Toxic Air Contaminants**. Existing law creates and establishes a 9-member Scientific Review Panel on **Toxic Air Contaminants** to advise the ...

Summary: Current law creates and establishes a 9-member Scientific Review Panel on Toxic Air Contaminants to advise the State Air Resources Board and the Department of Pesticide Regulation in their evaluation of the health effects toxicity of toxic air contaminants and pesticides and prescribes the manner in which the members shall be appointed. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Murcell

[AB 1042](#) (Jones-Sawyer D) Skilled nursing facilities: unpaid penalties: related parties.

Current Text: Amended: 3/25/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/18/2021

Last Amend: 3/25/2021

Status: 4/14/2021-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 12. Noes 2.) (April 13). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...Introduced by Assembly Member Jones-Sawyer (Coauthor: Senator Stern) February 18, 2021 An act to amend Section 6314 of the **Labor Code**, relating to **occupational safety and health**. Sections 1324.22, 1325.5, and 1437.5 of, and to add Section 1424.3 to, the ...

Summary: Would expressly authorize the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development, if a licensee provider fails to pay specified penalties in full when all appeals have been exhausted and the State Department of Public Health's position has been upheld, to give written notice to the licensee provider and related parties in which the licensee provider has an ownership or control interest of 5% or more that the department may take appropriate legal action to recover the unpaid penalty amount from the licensee provider's financial interest in the related party. This bill also would require the department to give written notice to related parties when a citation has been issued against a facility licensee, and to advise the related parties of the potential action if the violation is not remedied and

penalties are assessed.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Murcell

AB 1105 (Rodriguez D) Hospital workers: COVID-19 testing.

Current Text: Amended: 4/12/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/18/2021

Last Amend: 4/12/2021

Status: 4/26/2021-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 5. Noes 1.) (April 22). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...Rodriguez February 18, 2021 An act to amend Section 6403.3 of, and to add Section 6403.4 to, the Labor Code, relating to workplace safety. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 1105, as amended, Rodriguez. Hospital workers: COVID-19 testing. Existing law sets forth safety ...

Summary: Current law sets forth safety and health requirements for employers and employees. Current law requires a public or private employer of workers in a general acute care hospital, as defined, to supply personal protective equipment, as defined, to employees who provide direct patient care or who provide services that directly support patient care. Current law provides that, except where another penalty is specifically provided, every employer and every officer, management official, or supervisor having direction, management, control, or custody of any employment, place of employment, or of any other employee, who repeatedly violates any standard, order, or special order, or any provision of specified employment safety laws so that such repeated violation creates a real and apparent hazard to employees is guilty of a misdemeanor. This bill would require the employer to supply personal protective equipment to an employee, regardless of whether or not the employee has received a vaccination for COVID-19. This bill would also require a public or private employer of workers in a general acute care hospital to develop and implement a program to offer weekly COVID-19 screening testing for health care personnel, as defined.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Graham

AB 1106 (Cervantes D) Employment Training Panel: pilot program: employment training needs.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/18/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/18/2021

Status: 4/27/2021-VOTE: Do pass as amended and be re-referred to the Committee on [Appropriations] (PASS)

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Synopsis: ...Training Panel, the California Community Colleges, and California's local workforce development boards. Recovering from the economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic is placing increased pressure to upskill unemployed and incumbent workers. A more robust regional education and training system is better ...

Summary: Current law establishes the California Community Colleges Economic and Workforce Development Program with the purpose of, among other things, using labor market information to advise the chancellor's office and regional community college bodies on the workforce needs of the state's competitive and emerging industry sectors, and collaborating and coordinating investment with other state, regional, or local agencies involved in education and workforce training in California. This bill, upon appropriation by the Legislature, would require the Employment Training Panel to establish a pilot program to serve the employment training needs of small businesses. The bill would require the program to leverage the capacity of the existing statewide network of community college contract education centers operating with multiple employer contracts. The bill would require the Employment Training Panel to develop the pilot project to achieve specified purposes, including strengthening the linkages between higher education institutions and employers.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Hirsh

AB 1129 (Frazier D) Home Inspectors License Law.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/18/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/18/2021

Status: 3/4/2021-Referred to Com. on B. & P.

Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Desk	Policy	Fiscal	Floor	Conf. Conc.	Enrolled	Vetoed	Chaptered
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Synopsis: ...7199.8 to, and to add Chapter 9.3 (commencing with Section 7193) to Division 3 of, the Business and Professions Code, relating to home inspectors. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 1129, as introduced, Frazier. Home Inspectors License Law. Existing lawhome inspector who is not

licensed as a general contractor, structural pest control operator, or architect, or registered as a professional engineer to conduct a home inspection with the degree of care that a reasonably prudent home inspector would exercise. Under existing ...

Summary: Would establish the Bureau of Home Inspectors in the Department of Consumer Affairs. The bill would also establish the position of Chief of the bureau and would require the chief to administer the licensing program for home inspectors, as provided. The bill would delete the provisions concerning a home inspector's duty of care and unlawful business practices. The bill would authorize the chief to investigate the actions of any applicant for a home inspector license or a home inspector within the state and to administer specified disciplinary actions if the applicant or licensee commits an act or omission constituting cause for disciplinary action, including a willful departure in any material respect, except as provided, from accepted standards of practice and codes of ethics.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Berman

AB 1175 (Aguiar-Curry D) Division of Occupational Safety and Health: inspections and investigations: advance notice.

Current Text: Amended: 3/11/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/18/2021

Last Amend: 3/11/2021

Status: 3/15/2021-Re-referred to Com. on L. & E.

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Synopsis: ...Bill No. 1175 Introduced by Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry February 18, 2021 An act to amend Section 1171 of the Labor Code, relating to employment. An act to amend Section 6321 of the Labor Code, relating to occupational safety. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 1175, as amended, Aguiar-Curry. Employees: regulation and supervision. Division ...

Summary: The Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), except as provided, prohibits a person or employer from being given advance warning of an inspection or investigation by any authorized representative of the division. OSHA authorizes the Chief of the Division of Occupational Safety and Health or an authorized representative to permit advance notice of an inspection or investigation as prescribed by the Director of Industrial Relations. OSHA prohibits the authorization of advance notice when the investigation or inspection is to be made as a result of an employee complaint, unless there is imminent danger to the health or safety of an employee or employees. OSHA makes it a crime, punishable as prescribed, for any person to give unauthorized advance notice of any inspection to be conducted. This bill would revise those advance warning provisions to prohibit any representative of the division from giving advance notice of an inspection or investigation to an employer or other person unless authorized under OSHA.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Murcell

AB 1200 (Ting D) Plant-based food packaging: cookware: hazardous chemicals.

Current Text: Amended: 3/29/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/18/2021

Last Amend: 3/29/2021

Status: 4/26/2021-In Senate. Read first time. To Com. on RLS. for assignment.

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Synopsis: ...Safety Code, relating to product safety. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST AB 1200, as amended, Ting. Plant-based food packaging: cookware: hazardous chemicals. Existing law prohibits the manufacture, sale, or distribution in commerce of any toy or child care article, as defined, thatcommerce of any cosmetic product that contains any of several specified intentionally added ingredients, such as perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS), except under specified circumstances. This bill would prohibit, beginning January 1, 2022, 2023, any person from distributing, selling, or offering ...

Summary: Would prohibit, beginning January 1, 2023, any person from distributing, selling, or offering for sale in the state any food packaging that contains intentionally added perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances or PFAS, as defined. The bill would require a manufacturer to use the least toxic alternative when replacing PFAS chemicals. The bill would define "food packaging," in part, to mean a nondurable package, packaging component, or food service ware that is comprised, in substantial part, of paper, paperboard, or other materials originally derived from plant fibers.

Position
Watch

Assigned
Cohen

AB 1240 (Ting D) Indoor air pollution.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/19/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/19/2021

Status: 3/4/2021-Referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

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Synopsis: ...by January 1, 2004. This bill would require the state board to provide to the Legislature the report relating to indoor air quality by January 1, 2024. The bill would repeal these provisions on January 1, 2028. Digest Key Vote: MAJORITY Appropriation: NO ...

Summary: Current law requires the State Air Resources Board, in consultation with other state agencies and interested members of the public, to provide a report to the Legislature on issues relating to indoor air pollution by January 1, 2004. This bill would require the state board to provide to the Legislature the report relating to indoor air quality by January 1, 2024. The bill would repeal these provisions on January 1, 2028.

Position

Watch

Assigned

Rinck

[SB 42](#)

(Wieckowski D) Department of Toxic Substances Control: Board of Environmental Safety.

Current Text: Introduced: 12/7/2020 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 12/7/2020

Status: 4/27/2021-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR with recommendation: To consent calendar. (Ayes 7. Noes 0.) (April 26). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

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Synopsis: ...1 (commencing with Section 25125) to Chapter 6.5 of Division 20 of, the Health and Safety Code, relating to hazardous waste. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST SB 42, as introduced, Wieckowski. Department of Toxic Substances Control: Board of Environmental Safety. Existing law provides that the Department of Toxic Substances Control regulates the handling and management of hazardous substances, materials, and waste. Existing law requires the department to, among other things, issue hazardous waste facilities permits to facilities ...

Summary: Would establish the Board of Environmental Safety in the Department of Toxic Substances Control. The bill would prescribe the membership of the board and would require the board to conduct no fewer than 6 public meetings per year. The bill would impose duties on the board, which would include, among others, hearing and deciding appeals of hazardous waste facility permit decisions; proposing statutory changes for hazardous waste management in the state; developing a multiyear schedule for long-term goals for specified department activities; and annually preparing and transmitting to the Secretary for Environmental Protection a review of the department's performance. The bill would establish an office of the ombudsperson in the board to receive complaints and suggestions from the public, to evaluate complaints, to report findings and make recommendations to the Director of Toxic Substances Control and the board, and to render assistance to the public.

Position

Watch

Assigned

Berman

[SB 207](#)

(Dahle R) Photovoltaic Recycling Advisory Group.

Current Text: Amended: 3/17/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/11/2021

Last Amend: 3/17/2021

Status: 4/5/2021-April 5 hearing: Placed on APPR suspense file.

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Synopsis: ...30 of the Public Resources Code, relating to solid waste. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST SB 207, as amended, Dahle. Photovoltaic Recycling Advisory Group. The California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989, administered by the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, generally regulates the disposal, management, and recycling of solid waste. The hazardous waste control laws, among other things, vest the Department of Toxic Substances Control with the ...

Summary: Would require the Secretary for Environmental Protection to, on or before April 1, 2022, convene the Photovoltaic Recycling Advisory Group, consisting of specified members, to review and advise the Legislature on policies pertaining to the recovery and recycling of photovoltaic panels and their components. The bill would require the advisory group to consult with relevant entities in order to develop and, on or before April 1, 2025, submit to the Legislature policy recommendations aimed at ensuring that, to the extent possible, 100% of photovoltaic panels in the state are reused or recycled at end of life in a safe and cost-effective manner.

Position

Watch

Assigned

Murcell

[SB 230](#)

(Portantino D) State Water Resources Control Board: Constituents of Emerging Concern Program.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/19/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 1/19/2021

Status: 3/22/2021-March 22 set for first hearing canceled at the request of author.

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Synopsis: ...with Section 116416) to Chapter 4 of Part 12 of Division 104 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to **drinking water**. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST SB 230, as introduced, Portantino. State Water Resources Control Board: Constituents of Emerging Concern Program. Existing law, the California Safe **Drinking Water** Act, requires the State Water Resources Control Board to administer provisions relating to the regulation of **drinking water** to ...

Summary: Would require the State Water Resources Control Board to establish, maintain, and direct an ongoing, dedicated program called the Constituents of Emerging Concern Program to assess the state of information and recommend areas for further study on, among other things, the occurrence of constituents of emerging concern (CEC) in drinking water sources and treated drinking water. The bill would require the state board to convene, by an unspecified date, the Science Advisory Panel to review and provide recommendations to the state board on CEC for further action, among other duties. The bill would require the state board to provide an annual report to the Legislature on the ongoing work conducted by the panel.

Position

Watch

Assigned

Canright

SB 321

(Durazo D) Employment safety standards: household domestic services.

Current Text: Amended: 4/15/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/5/2021

Last Amend: 4/15/2021

Status: 4/21/2021-Set for hearing May 3.

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Synopsis: ...February 05, 2021 An act to amend Sections 6303 and 6314 of, and to add Section 6305.1 to, the **Labor Code**, relating to employment. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST SB 321, as amended, Durazo. Employment safety standards: household domestic services. Existing law, the California **Occupational Safety and Health** Act of 1973, requires employers to comply with certain standards ensuring healthy and safe working conditions, as ...

Summary: Current law defines "employment," for purposes of the California Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1973, to include the carrying on of any trade, enterprise, project, industry, business, occupation, or work, including all excavation, demolition, and construction work, or any process or operation in any way related thereto, in which any person is engaged or permitted to work for hire, except household domestic service. This bill would delete the above-described exception for household domestic service, thereby making it subject to the act. The bill would provide, however, that "employment" does not include household domestic service that is publicly funded, as specified, unless it is subject to certain regulatory provisions, nor would "employment" include family daycare homes, as specified. The bill would make coverage for household domestic service operative on January 1, 2023, as specified.

Position

Watch

Assigned

Murcell

SB 410

(Leyva D) Occupational safety and health: regulations.

Current Text: Amended: 3/3/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/12/2021

Last Amend: 3/3/2021

Status: 4/21/2021-Set for hearing May 3.

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Synopsis: ...SESSION Senate Bill No. 410 Introduced by Senator Leyva February 12, 2021 An act to amend Section 53 of the **Labor Code**, relating to employment. An act to amend Section 142.4 of the **Labor Code**, relating to **occupational safety and health**. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST SB 410, as amended, Leyva. **Department of Industrial Relations** ...

Summary: Current law generally requires the adoption, amendment, or repeal of standards and orders by the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board to comply with the rulemaking provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act (APA), but exempts from provisions of the APA relating to public participation and review of proposed regulations a standard or amendment to any standard adopted by the standards board that is substantially the same as a federal standard, including existing APA requirements, for a proposed nonmajor regulation, to prepare a prescribed economic impact assessment and, for a proposed major regulation, to prepare a standardized regulatory impact analysis in a manner prescribed by the Department of Finance. This bill would exempt any occupational

safety and health standard and order from the standardized regulatory impact analysis requirement.

Position
Support

Assigned
Murcell

[SB 526](#) (Min D) Community water systems: lead user service lines.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/17/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Introduced: 2/17/2021

Status: 4/7/2021-April 12 hearing postponed by committee.

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Synopsis: ...the Health and Safety Code, relating to water. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST SB 526, as introduced, Min. Community water systems: lead user service lines. Existing law requires, by July 1, 2018, a community water system to compile an inventory of known lead user service lines in use in its distribution system and identify areas that may have lead user service lines in use in its distribution system. Existing law requires, by July 1, 2020, a community water system ...

Summary: Current law requires, by July 1, 2020, a community water system with known lead user service lines in use in its distribution system to provide a timeline for replacement of those lines to the State Water Resources Control Board. Current law requires the state board to review and approve an established timeline, and requires, if the state board fails to act within 30 days of the submission of the timeline, the timeline to be deemed approved. Current law authorizes the state board to enforce these requirements, as specified, and a violation is considered a violation of the California Safe Drinking Water Act, subjecting the violator to specified civil and criminal penalties. This bill would, until January 1, 2025, require a community water system to remove or replace the full lead user service line, if the community water system disturbs, removes, or replaces a portion thereof. The bill would apply the above-described enforcement provisions to a violation of the requirements of the bill, thereby creating a state-mandated local program by expanding the scope of crimes under the California Safe Drinking Water Act.

Position
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Assigned
Spielman

[SB 606](#) (Gonzalez D) Workplace safety: violations of statutes: enterprise-wide violations: employer retaliation.

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Synopsis: ...6428, 6429, 6430, and 6602 of, and to add Sections 6317.8, 6317.9, and 6409.7 to to, the Labor Code, relating to occupational safety. LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST SB 606, as amended, Gonzalez. Workplace safety: violations of statutes: enterprise-wide violations: employer retaliation ...

Summary: Current law requires the Division of Occupational Safety and Health to issue a citation for a violation of provisions relating to the spraying of asbestos, or any standard, rule, order, or regulation established pursuant to specified provisions of the California Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1973 if, upon inspection or investigation, the division believes that an employer has committed a violation. Existing law imposes penalties of certain maximum amounts depending on whether the violation is serious, uncorrected, or willful or repeated. Current law authorizes the division to seek an injunction restraining certain uses or operations of employment that constitute a serious menace to the lives or safety of persons, as specified. This bill, instead, would require the division to issue a citation for a violation of provisions relating to the spraying of asbestos, certain employment safety related provisions of the Labor Code, or any standard, rule, order or regulation established pursuant to specified provisions of the California Safety and Health Act of 1973 or other safety related provisions of the Labor Code if, upon inspection or investigation, or upon evidence or documents obtained by the division in lieu of or in addition to an on-site inspection, the division believes that an employer has committed a violation.

Position
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Murcell

Total Measures: 41

Total Tracking Forms: 41