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AGRICULTURE				
AB-52	Aguiar-Curry	Farmer equity: advisory committees	This bill authorizes the secretary of the California Department of Food and Agriculture to establish the Black, Indigenous, and People of Color Producer Advisory Committee and the Small-Scale Producer Advisory Committee for the purpose of advising the secretary and the department on the responsibilities of the secretary and the department under the Farmer Equity Act of 2017.	Chapter 495
AB-230	Ransom	Pest control: Pierce's disease	This bill (1) extends the Pierce's Disease Control Program within the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA), and the Pierce's Disease Management Account within the CDFA Fund indefinitely; (2) states the provisions of this bill will become inoperative on a specified date if the Secretary of CDFA finds that a favorable vote in a referendum has not been given for the continued implementation of the provisions regarding the Winegrape Pest and Disease Prevention Board; (3) changes the name of the Pierce's Disease and Glassy Winged Sharpshooter Board to the Winegrape Pest and Disease Prevention Board.	Chapter 498
AB-312	Alanis	Agricultural theft prevention: retention and sale of agricultural commodity: holding and deposit of proceeds	This bill requires an agricultural commissioner to hold the proceeds of the sale of an agricultural commodity that was seized from someone who was in unlawful possession of the commodity for at least three months before depositing the proceeds into the general fund of the county.	Chapter 262

AB-1551	Krell	California Rice Commission: purpose	This bill declares the California Rice Commission to be necessary for maintaining a sufficient footprint of annual rice acreage to support the wildlife habitat objectives of the state	Chapter 521
AB-1711	Connolly	Fairs: funding	This bill diverts certain unallocated and other specified moneys deposited into the Fair and Exposition Fund for fair projects involving public health, fire and life safety, and emergency services improvement projects at fairs, California Code of Regulations compliance projects, and maintenance projects at fairgrounds, as specified.	Chapter 270
AB-1731	Wilson	Office of Farm to Fork: Healthy Food for California Public Institutions Program	This bill requires the Office of Farm to Fork within the California Department of Food and Agriculture, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to establish the Healthy Food for California Public Institutions Program for the purpose of, among other initiatives, identifying vendors in California that have the capacity to provide healthy foods to California public institutions, as defined.	Chapter 718
AB-1848	Ransom	California Seed Law: annual registration fee: Seed Advisory Board	This bill clarifies the Seed Advisory Board's role, increases the annual registration for any person who sells seed in California from $40 to $100 and authorizes the Secretary, after consulting with the Seed Advisory Board, to annually increase the fee by up to $50, but not to exceed $300 total, for each fiscal year or portion of a fiscal year beginning July 1.	Chapter 203
AB-2086	Ellis, Jeff Gonzalez	Pest control licenses: personal information: confidentiality	This bill (1) prohibits certain personal information of individual applicants, licensees, and certificate holders collected for a pest control license that has been submitted to the Department of Pesticide Regulation; (2) provides the applicant or licensee's address of record may be disclosed unless the individual applicant or licensee designated it as personal information by the certificate holder; (3) allows the department to use an individual applicant or licensee's personal information for internal administrative uses.	Chapter 288
AB-2143	Irwin	Invasive species: noxious weeds: online marketplaces	This bill prohibits online marketplaces from facilitating the sale or shipment of noxious weeds to an address within the state.	Chapter 290

AB-2326	Committee on Agriculture	Noxious weed management: Broomrape Program: extension	This bill extends the operation of the Broomrape Program within the California Department of Food and Agriculture until July 1, 2030 and make specified changes to the Program.	Chapter 395
AB-2380	Papan	Pest control: registration fees	This bill (1) raises the maximum total registration fee for the registration of any person advertising, soliciting, or operating as a pest control business from $25 to $75 within its home county and $50 to register an additional county, as specified; (2) increases the registration fee for a pest control aircraft pilot and pest control adviser to register in their home county and in an additional county, as specified; (3) raises the maximum total registration fee amount for a Structural Pest Control Board registered company to register in its home county and in an additional county, as specified.	Chapter 397
AB-2588	Hadwick, Ransom	District agricultural associations: board of directors: vacancies	This bill (1) allows, if the Governor has not filled a vacancy on a Fair board within 90 days and the board of directors (BOD) has insufficient membership to establish a quorum, the BOD to temporarily appoint a director to fill the vacancy and to establish a quorum, as provided; (2) authorizes the Governor to appoint a different director to fill the vacancy for the unexpired term who would replace the temporary director on the board of directors, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would allow a District Agricultural Association (DAA) board of directors, in cases where the Governor has not filled a vacancy within 90 days and the DAA board has insufficient membership to establish a quorum, to temporarily appoint a director to fill the vacancy and to establish a quorum.* *I share the author's goal of ensuring a DAA has sufficient appointees to conduct business, which is why my office engages with local community groups and leaders to seek recommendations and recruit candidates to serve on these boards. This process includes a thorough vetting to ensure that appointees reflect the community and are the most qualified*	Vetoed

			to serve. This bill would create a temporary appointment process outside this standard vetting framework, raising accountability and oversight concerns as decisions are made regarding these state properties. I encourage the author and interested stakeholders to continue discussions with my office to continue to build this pool of potential appointees to be vetted through the appropriate process."	
AB-2685	Committee on Agriculture	Food and agriculture: omnibus bill	This bill (1) requires the secretary of the California Department of Food and Agriculture to make public the report on the marketing of processing strawberries on the Department's internet website, rather than file the report with the Legislature; (2) authorizes the California Walnut Commission to recommend to the secretary the adoption of walnut quality standards and product labeling requirements and allows the secretary, at the beginning of the marketing season next succeeding the date of adoption, to implement these quality standards and product labeling requirements recommended by the commission, in accordance with the California Marketing Act of 1937, unless otherwise provided; (3) authorizes the commission to engage in any activity related to walnuts that is authorized pursuant to the California Marketing Act of 1937 and requires the commission, if it engages in such an activity, to act in accordance with the procedures specified in that act, unless otherwise provided; (4) prohibits the commission from engaging in such an activity until the beginning of the marketing season next succeeding the date on which the commission publicly announces its intent to engage in the activity; (5) requires the commission to serve as the advisory body to the secretary on these matters.	Chapter 173
AB-2778	Committee on Agriculture	Food and agriculture	This bill (1) extends the licensing and inspection programs under the California Meat and Poultry Supplemental Inspection Act, including the annual licenses renewal fees for custom livestock slaughterhouses and meat processing establishments indefinitely; (2) expands the scope of the Nutrition Incentive Matching Grant Program, which is administered by the Office of Farm to Fork within the California Department of Food	Chapter 174

			and Agriculture; (3) extends the California Seed Law subvention program until July 1, 2032.	
AB-2779	Irwin	Food labeling: quality dates, safety dates, and sell-by dates	This bill (1) provides that a food item for human consumption does not include a dietary supplement, as defined; (2) includes an urgency statute for immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety within the meaning of Article IV of the California Constitution and shall go into immediate effect.	Chapter 311
SB-1223	Padilla	Fairs: contracting	This bill (1) prohibits a fair from issuing any invitation to bid or request for proposal, in connection with the awarding of a contract, for services to any person or entity, in a manner that limits the bidding directly or indirectly to any one bidder; (2) makes any contract awarded in violation of this prohibition void.	Chapter 1018

APPROPRIATIONS				
AB-2597	Wicks	Claims against the state: appropriation	This bill, an urgency measure, appropriates approximately $7.4 million from the General Fund to the Attorney General for the payment of eight specified claims, settlements, or judgments against the state. Any funds appropriated in excess of the amounts required for payment of the claims will revert to the General Fund.	Chapter 626

BANKING & FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS				
AB-801	Bonta	Nondiscrimination	This bill requires the Department of Financial Protection and Innovation to examine specified banks, credit unions, and residential mortgage lenders under the supervision of the department for compliance with any nondiscrimination law applicable to mortgage lending.	Chapter 871
AB-871	Stefani	Mandated reporters of suspected financial abuse of an elder or dependent adult	This bill (1) requires mandated reporters of suspected financial abuse of an elder or dependent adult to report suspected abuse to the Federal Bureau of Investigations; (2) requires financial institutions to train their employees who are mandated reporters on how to escalate concerns internally and how to make required reports.	Chapter 360
AB-1180	Valencia	Department of Financial Protection and Innovation: state payments	This bill authorizes the Department of Financial Protection and Innovation to adopt regulations to allow a payment required by the Digital Financial Assets Law to be made with a stablecoin, as specified.	Chapter 512
AB-1278	Harabedian	Mortgages: hazard insurance proceeds: interest	This bill specifies the allowable payment methods by which a financial institution can satisfy its obligation to pay interest on funds held in a loss draft account, as specified.	Chapter 877
AB-1842	Harabedian	California Mortgage Relief Act	This bill establishes a streamlined mortgage forbearance framework intended to help mortgage borrowers affected by a disaster.	Chapter 241
AB-1847	Harabedian	Mortgage forbearance: state of emergency: wildfire	This bill (1) extends the maximum period of forbearance required to be offered to mortgage borrowers affected by the 2025 Los Angeles wildfires from 12 months to 24 months; (2) requires a mortgage servicer to offer the borrower the option to defer repayment of forborne amounts to the end of loan term, unless prohibited by investor contract terms or servicing guidelines.	Chapter 242
AB-2028	Chen	Deferred deposit transactions: assessments	This bill requires the Department of Financial Protection and Innovation to include specified information in an invoice or assessment notice related to the annual pro rata assessment levied on licensees of the California Deferred Deposit Transaction Law.	Chapter 573

AB-2116	Schiavo	Commercial financing	This bill expands the scope of the California Financing Law to cover specified commercial financing transactions offered to small businesses and establishes requirements and prohibitions on commercial financing providers and brokers engaged in such transactions.	Chapter 823
AB-2425	Chen	Department of Financial Protection and Innovation: budget reports	This bill requires the Department of Financial Protection and Innovation to report annually to the Legislature information related to revenues and expenses associated with specified licensing and registration programs administered by the department.	Chapter 141
AB-2795	Committee on Banking and Finance	Financial regulation	This bill provides various technical and clarifying changes related to the Franchise Investment Law, notice requirements under licensing or registration laws administered by the Department of Financial Protection and Innovation, and instruments eligible for investment by the State Treasurer, among other technical and clarifying changes.	Chapter 410
SB-97	Grayson	Digital financial assets: stablecoins	This bill makes technical and clarifying changes to the Digital Financial Assets Law, which becomes operative on July 1, 2026.	Chapter 52
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BUSINESS, PROFESSIONS & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT				
AB-375	Nguyen	Medical Practice Act: health care providers: qualified autism service paraprofessionals	This bill adds qualified autism services paraprofessionals (QASPPs) to the definition of health care provider, requiring health insurers and health plans to cover behavioral health treatment provided by QASPPs via telehealth.	Chapter 501
AB-685	Solache	Small Business Development Technical Assistance	This bill (1) updates eligibility criteria for small business technical assistance centers to receive grants through the California Small Business Technical Assistance Program (TAP); (2) adds standards for TAP oversight.	Chapter 824
AB-867	Lee	Veterinary medicine: cat declawing	This bill prohibits a veterinarian from performing a declaw procedure, as defined, on any feline unless the declaw procedure is for a therapeutic purpose as specified.	Chapter 479
AB-876	Flora	Nurse anesthetists: scope of practice	This bill defines anesthesia services for purposes of clarifying the practice authority of a certified nurse anesthetist, under the nurse anesthetist practice act, as specified.	Chapter 169
AB-929	Connolly	Abandoned endowment care cemeteries: County of Marin	This bill permits the County of Marin to transfer the ownership of a single, designated, abandoned endowment care cemetery to either a nonprofit entity or another licensee of the Cemetery and Funeral Bureau (Bureau), as specified, and sunsets that authority on January 1, 2029.	Chapter 510
AB-1199	Patterson	Medical staff: health care provider credentialing	This bill authorizes hospitals to conduct medical staff reappointments and related competency reviews at least every three years rather than every two years.	Chapter 876

AB-1307	Ávila Farías	Licensed Dentists from Mexico Pilot Program	This bill revises and recasts the statutory framework for the Licensed Dentists from Mexico Pilot Program (Mexico Dentists Program) and updates various requirements of the existing pilot program relating to temporary state licensure of licensed dentists from Mexico who work for a federally qualified health facility that has at least one health professional shortage area or dental professional shortage area within its service area in California.	Chapter 363
AB-1349	Bryan	Consumer protection: ticket sellers	This bill (1) prohibits speculative ticket sales; (2) modernizes existing anti-bot provisions; and (3) imposes restrictions on deceptive websites and advertising practices.	Chapter 474
AB-1587	Ta	Prescription drug refills: prescriber notifications	This bill clarifies that a pharmacist who is dispensing an emergency refill of a medication to a patient is only required to inform the patient's prescriber if a prescriber is identified.	Chapter 69
AB-1598	Quirk-Silva	Behavioral sciences	This bill (1) removes the requirement for associates registered with the Board of Behavior Sciences (BBS or Board) to attempt the California Law and Ethics examination each year in order to renew their registration; (2) requires the California Law and Ethics examination to be passed no more than seven years prior to application for an initial license; (3) increases the amount of time supervised experience hours remain valid from six to seven years; (4) increases the maximum number of associate registration renewals from five to six years, allowing a total of seven years of registration before a new number is required; (5) allows associates with a subsequent registration number to request a one-time, two-year hardship extension to work in one private practice setting with their subsequent registration number; (6) clarifies when faith-based counseling is exempt from licensure, as specified; clarifies advertising and client disclosure requirements for associates, trainees and interns, as specified.	Chapter 528

AB-1637	Caloza	Physicians and surgeons: medical records	This bill specifies that a physician is responsible for their own patient notes and prohibits patient notes from being altered, modified, or edited by anyone other than the physician, unless they delegate authority to other specified healthcare personnel to make changes.	Chapter 536
AB-1703	Hart	Osteopathic physicians and surgeons: unauthorized practice: unauthorized use of titles	This bill (1) prohibits a person who is not licensed by the Osteopathic Medical Board of California from professionally using terms implying they are a licensed osteopathic physician and surgeon; (2) prohibits alternative or complementary care providers from providing osteopathic manipulative treatment without a license.	Chapter 543
AB-1707	Davies	Electricians: certification application, examination, and renewal	This bill transfers authority over the certification of electricians from the Division of Labor Standards Enforcement to the Contractors State License Board, contingent upon an appropriation by the Legislature beginning July 1, 2028, pursuant to certain timelines and procedures, as specified.	Chapter 544
AB-1733	Lee	License and registration renewal: continuing education	This bill allows veterinarians and registered veterinary technicians to include the hours of self-study, and up to a specified number of hours of pro bono spay or neuter services to be credited toward the required hours of continuing education.	Chapter 42
AB-1758	Nguyen	Sellers of travel	This bill increases the maximum annual amount each seller of travel is required to pay to fund the operations of the Travel Consumer Restitution Corporation (TCRC) from $35 to $60 and authorizes the TCRC to increase the maximum amount annually to accommodate for inflation.	Chapter 201
AB-1760	Arambula	Dentistry	This bill makes several substantive, technical amendments to the Dental Practice Act administered by the Dental Board of California.	Chapter 167

AB-1775	Ward	Veterans	This bill (1) requires licensing entities within the Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA) to expedite, and authorizes to assist with, initial licensure for an applicant who has served as an active-duty member of the U.S. Armed Forces and received a discharge solely as a result of federal action to restrict transgender participation in the military; implementation is delayed to June 1, 2027, for the Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology and Hearing Aid Dispensers Board; (2) requires DCA to annually report the number of applications received for expedited licenses resulting from this bill; (3) requires the Department of Veterans Affairs to revise its Military Discharge Upgrade Grant Program prioritization criteria, as specified, and establish a Veteran's Housing and Supportive Services Grant Program.	Chapter 467
AB-1793	Ward, Rogers	Cash payments: calculation	This bill (1) establishes the California Common Cents Act (Cents Act) to require merchants to round the portion of a transaction paid with legal tender to the nearest amount divisible by five cents after discounts, taxes, fees, and surcharges are calculated; (2) specifies how rounding applies to transactions involving both cash and noncash payment methods; (3) provides that rounding does not affect the amount processed through electronic payment systems,; (4) authorizes the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration to adopt implementing regulations; (5) provides a safe harbor from state and local liability for merchants complying with the Cents Act.	Chapter 896
AB-1794	Ransom	Pharmacy: enteral nutrition supplements or replacements	This bill authorizes a pharmacist, manufacturer, or wholesaler to participate in an arrangement or agreement to deliver enteral nutrition supplements, as defined, or replacements directly to a patient's residence pursuant to a valid order from a prescriber acting within their scope of practice without this being considered the unlicensed practice of pharmacy.	Chapter 546
AB-1933	Hoover	Land surveyors: records of survey	This bill (1) clarifies that a county surveyor who requires changes to a record of survey must return the record of survey with a written statement of necessary changes to the licensed land surveyor or	Chapter 277

			licensed civil engineer who submitted the record of survey; (2) authorizes county surveyors to verify that monuments are properly marked or tagged with the certificate number of the licensed land surveyor or licensed civil engineer setting it.	
AB-1965	Sharp-Collins	Cannabis: testing: quality assurance	This bill (1) authorizes the Department of Cannabis Control (DCC) to conduct performance testing of licensed cannabis testing laboratories; (2) requires cannabis retail licensees to provide the Certificate of Analysis (COA) upon request by a customer or the DCC; (3) permits and the DCC to conduct off-the-shelf laboratory testing of any cannabis product and makes other updates to oversight of cannabis testing laboratories, as specified.	Chapter 564
AB-1973	Aguiar-Curry, Wicks	Abortion: authorized procedures	This bill (1) updates the law governing abortion care provided by certified nurse-midwives (CNMs), nurse practitioners (NPs), and physician assistants (PAs) by replacing references to medication and first-trimester aspiration abortion with authority to perform an abortion consistent with the practitioner's education, training, and competency; (2) requires CNMs, NPs, and PAs to establish and maintain consultation, collaboration, referral, and transfer of care procedures in complex cases and cases with complications, conditions, or emergencies requiring care that is beyond the scope of the CNM, NP, and PA's education, training, and experience.	Chapter 487
AB-1999	Kalra	Veterinary medicine	This bill (1) revises requirements for purposes of establishing the Veterinary-Client Patient Relationship (VCPR); (2) establishes a retired license status and a retired volunteer license; (3) creates a designated shelter veterinary license; (4) revises and adds terminology related to telehealth services; (5) makes numerous other technical and conforming changes related to the veterinary practice act.	Chapter 205
AB-2010	Soria	Veterinary medicine: veterinary surgery premises: spay and neuter services	This bill clarifies that high-volume spay and neuter services are not required to be performed in a separate surgical room, as specified.	Chapter 284
AB-2025	Pellerin	Tenancy: digitally altered images: disclosure	This bill (1) requires a person who includes a digitally altered image to promote a real property rental to disclose that the image has been altered and provide a link, URL, or QR Code to a publicly accessible website to view the original image or to include the unaltered image if the image is posted to a website over which the person has control; (2) provides that a violation of the disclosure and posting requirements by a	Chapter 572

			licensee of the Department of Real Estate is a violation of the Real Estate Law.	
AB-2085	Alanis	Weighing and measuring devices: indications: display	This bill revises the current prohibition which precludes an individual from positioning a weighing device used in a retail sale so that its indications cannot be read by purchaser, to include a weighing and measuring device used for any commercial purpose to make the indications visible to both the customer and operator.	Chapter 33
AB-2166	Carrillo, Wicks	Multifamily housing development: offsite housing factories: backstop financing	This bill establishes the Multifamily Backstop Financing Program to support multifamily projects by providing state-backed credit backstops to enable surety companies to issue payment and performance bonds to offsite housing factories in the state. *Veto message: "This bill would establish the Multifamily Backstop Financing Program within the California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank to provide state-backed credit support for surety bonds issued to eligible offsite housing factories serving multifamily projects.* *I support innovative financing strategies that can lower housing construction costs, and I thank the author for advancing this important goal. However, this novel program is estimated to require hundreds of millions of dollars in initial capitalization, funding that was not included in the state budget. A proposal of this scale should instead be considered through the annual budget process, where its funding needs, risk protections, and administrative structure can be evaluated together.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that ore not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	Vetoed
AB-2249	Irwin	Cannabis: labels,	This bill, effective January 1, 2028, defines "attractive to children" under	Chapter 164

		packaging, and advertising	the Medicinal and Adult-Use Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act, requires the Department of Cannabis Control to develop compliance assessment resources for licensees to help determine whether packaging and labeling is attractive to children, as specified.	
AB-2250	Aguiar-Curry	Cannabis: cannabinoids	This bill makes various technical and conforming changes to various provisions of law which provide for the regulation and enforcement of products containing cannabinoids derived from industrial hemp.	Chapter 593
AB-2311	Schiavo	Health care districts: employment	This bill authorizes specified health care districts or nonprofit corporations with a health care district as sole corporate member to employ physicians and charge for professional services, with protections against interfering with physician judgment.	Chapter 299
AB-2402	Boerner	Health studio contracts: fee limits: multiservice health club studio	This bill authorizes a multiservice health club studio to charge more than $4,400 for health studio services. *Veto message: "This bill would define a multiservice health club studio as a studio offering three or more specified amenities, and would remove the $4,400 contract limit in statute.* *California has long regulated health studio service contracts to protect consumers from excessive fees and predatory sales practices, The statutory cap was adopted to limit consumer's exposure to substantial future payment obligations, and I do not believe it is in the best interest of Californians to remove this cap, which could price consumers out of these clubs altogether."*	Vetoed
AB-2477	Chen	Structural pest control	This bill allows an unlicensed individual, who meets specified criteria, and is employed by a registered company to apply pesticides outdoors under the supervision of a licensed operator or field representative for a period of 60 days if certain conditions are met including specified training beginning January 1, 2028.	Chapter 303
AB-2532	Irwin	Cannabis: labels, packaging, and advertising	This bill (1) requires edible cannabis products and cannabis beverages to include the toll-free telephone number for the national Poison Help line on labels and inserts; and (2) requires cannabis beverage products with multiple servings to contain specified information and markers related to the serving sizes, as specified.	Chapter 949

AB-2633	Gipson	Secondhand dealers	This bill (1) requires all entities doing business in the scope of a secondhand dealer to have a valid California secondhand dealer's license; (2) exempts from secondhand dealer requirements tangible personal property that has been acquired from a nonprofit organization or as a bulk purchase of donated items; (3) deletes the definition of significant class of stolen goods; (4) prohibits a local jurisdiction or any other state agency from issuing a license or permit to allow any entity to conduct business as a secondhand dealer without the entity having a state secondhand dealer license, among other changes.	Chapter 631
AB-2771	Berman	California Private Postsecondary Education Act of 2009	This bill (1) extends the operations of the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (BPPE or Bureau) and California Private Postsecondary Education Act of 2009 for four years until January 1, 2031;l (2) makes numerous technical changes, statutory improvements, and policy reforms in response to issues raised during the BPPE's sunset review oversight process.	Chapter 217
AB-2772	Berman	Interior designers	This bill (1) extends the sunset date of the California Council for Interior Design Certification (CCIDC or Council) to January 1, 2031' (2) makes statutory improvements and policy reforms in response to issues raised during the Council's sunset review oversight.	Chapter 638
AB-2773	Committee on Business and Professions	California Board of Occupational Therapy: licensing: fees	This bill (1) extends the sunset date of the California Board of Occupational Therapy (CBOT or Board) to January 1, 2031; (2) makes statutory improvements and policy reforms in response to issues raised during the Board's sunset review oversight.	Chapter 218
AB-2774	Berman	Physical Therapy Board of California	This bill (1) extends the sunset date of the Physical Therapy Board of California (PTBC or Board) to January 1, 2031; and (2) makes statutory improvements and policy reforms in response to issues raise during the board's sunset review.	Chapter 219

AB-2775	Berman	Chiropractic Act	This bill (1) extends the operations of the Board of Chiropractic Examiners (BCE) for four years until January 1, 2031; (2) makes additional technical changes, statutory improvements, and policy reforms in response to issues raised during the BCE's sunset review oversight process.	Chapter 220
ACR-129	Haney, Bryan	Lagos State, Nigeria: sister state relationship	This resolution establishes a formal sister state relationship between California and Lagos State, Nigeria, to promote collaboration across key strategic areas, as specified.	Resolution Chapter 94
ACR-164	Bains	Mexican Consulate: County of Kern	This resolution states California's commitment to strengthening its binational and cross-border relationship with Mexico through the Legislature's support to establish a Mexican Consulate in Kern County to provide immigrant communities with local, accessible services that would be provided by the Mexican Consulate.	Resolution Chapter 95
ACR-166	Ávila Farías	State of Zacatecas: sister-state relationship	This resolution expresses the intent of the Legislature to formalize a sister state relationship between the State of Zacatecas in Mexico and the State of California, recognizing the shared heritage, economic opportunities, and mutual commitment to prosperity, dignity, and understanding.	Resolution Chapter 96
ACR-210	Jackson	The Province of Gauteng in South Africa: sister state relationship	This resolution expresses the intent of the Legislature to formalize a sister state relationship between the Province of Gauteng in South Africa and the State of California, encouraging the strengthening of existing partnerships, and would call upon California's universities, research institutions, and public agencies to explore new memoranda of understanding with Gauteng-based counterparts in areas of mutual interest.	Resolution Chapter 149
SB-96	Umberg	Streaming services: commercial advertisements	This bill prohibits a music streaming service, podcast streaming service, or video streaming service that serves California consumers from transmitting the audio of commercial advertisements louder than the video content the advertisements accompany.	Chapter 735
SB-342	Umberg	Contractors: unlicensed work	This bill (1) permits a contractor to bring action against a party for compensation for work conducted while the contractor's license was not valid on contracts that are public works, commercial construction projects, institutional construction projects, construction of a common	Chapter 967

			interest developments, and construction of multifamily residential projects consisting of four or more units, as long as the license was valid at the time the contract was executed; and (2) restricts consumers from bringing action against an unlicensed contractor in these cases during portions of the project to only during periods when the contractor's license was not valid.	
SB-700	Grayson	Capital Programs and Climate Financing Authority Act: California Investment and Innovation Program	This bill authorizes a Small Business Assistance Fund established by the Capital Programs and Climate Financing Authority to fund a grant program for community development financial assistance to the California Investment and Innovation Program.	Chapter 651
SB-769	Caballero	The Golden State Infrastructure Corporation Act	This bill establishes the Golden State Infrastructure Corporation within the State Treasurer's Office as a not-for-profit corporation for the purpose of financing infrastructure projects. *VETO Message: "This bill would enact the Golden State Infrastructure Act, establishing the not-for-profit Golden State Infrastructure Corporation (GSIC) within the State Treasurer's Office to finance large-scale infrastructure projects. This bill establishes a continuously appropriated GSIC Fund and authorizes the GSIC to govern and finance qualifying projects through public-private partnerships.* *I appreciate the author's goal of leveraging public and private resources to finance large infrastructure projects. However, the creation of this new entity may require significant upfront seed funding from the General Fund in the hundreds of millions of dollars. Moreover, the GSIC would overlap with existing state authorities, such as the California*	Vetoed

			Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank (IBank), and it is unclear whether the GSIC would complement this work or confuse it. *This proposal is best evaluated through the annual budget process, when the state's potential financial obligation can be considered in the context of the state's other existing infrastructure financing tools and available resources. In partnership with the Legislature, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	
SB-849	Weber Pierson	Physicians and surgeons: sexual misconduct and offenses: reinstatement of surrendered certificate	This bill clarifies the conditions under which the surrender of a physician and surgeon's license in response to allegations of sexual abuse, misconduct, or specified relations with a patient or sexual exploitation results in the permanent loss of the license.	Chapter 654
SB-865	Ashby	California Music Festival Preservation Grant Program	This bill establishes the California Music Festival Preservation Grant Program to provide grants to eligible independent live music events promoters in order to support their continued ability to provide equitable access to the arts for all Californians.	Vetoed

			VETO Message: "This bill would establish a $20 million grant program, contingent upon a future appropriation, for eligible independent live music event promoters. *I support the author's goal of improving the viability of live music festivals. However, this measure would impose significant cost pressures on the General Fund and should be considered during the annual budget process.* *In partnership with the Legislature, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure"*	
SB-903	Padilla	Mental health professionals: artificial intelligence	This bill (1) prohibits individuals, corporations, or entities from using, advertising, or offering psychotherapy services, including through artificial intelligence (AI), unless conducted by a licensed health care professional, as defined; (2) authorizes licensed health care professionals to use AI for limited administrative or supplementary support, as indicated; and (3) provides state licensing boards and enforcement agencies the authority to pursue legal recourse for any violations. *VETO Message: "This bill would prohibit the use of companion chatbots in the provision of psychotherapy services and would create restrictions*	Vetoed

			on the use of artificial intelligence (AI) by licensed professionals who provide psychotherapy services. *I support the author's intent to establish guardrails for the use of AI in healthcare settings, and recently signed legislation to mitigate bias and ensure emerging technologies enhance, rather than undermine, the delivery of safe and effective care. When thoughtfully implemented, AI tools can give clinicians more time for meaningful interaction with patients, or provide capacity to see additional patients and increase access to care.* *Unfortunately, this bill is overly broad and would drastically limit a clinician's use of tools that benefit the delivery of care today, including by requiring routine screening determinations to receive direct approval.* *Additionally, this bill's broad definition of "psychotherapy services" is poorly crafted and would capture general-purpose AI systems not even structured or deployed to deliver that care.* *I encourage the author and stakeholders to revisit this issue next year to find a solution that ensures professional judgment is not replaced, while still allowing licensed professionals to use tools that enhance their delivery of quality care."*	
SB-969	Reyes	Weights and measures: electric vehicle fueling systems	This bill (1) exempts specified factory-tested and certified electric vehicle supply equipment (EVSE) from field testing and placement-in-service requirements and (2) establishes alternative inspection requirements for EVSE.	Chapter 346

SB-993	Ochoa Bogh	Board of Behavioral Sciences: licensees: notices	This bill revises licensure disclosure requirements for Board of Behavioral Sciences licensees or registrants, if certain requirements are met.	Chapter 668
SB-1148	Niello	Security guards: training	This bill authorizes applicants planning to become registered as a security guard, patrolperson, and proprietary private security officer with the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services to complete all 40 hours of required training before their registration is issued.	Chapter 1011
SB-1165	Caballero	Contractor licenses: outstanding liabilities assessed by the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration	This bill (1) authorizes the Registrar of the Contractors State License Board to refuse to issue, reinstate, reactivate, or renew a license or to suspend a license for the failure of a licensee to resolve all outstanding final liabilities that may be assessed by the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration (CDTFA); (2) authorizes CDTFA to disclose tax information to the Registrar to effectuate such actions.	Chapter 111
SB-1203	Smallwood-Cuevas	Security services	This bill, beginning January 1, 2029, (1) increases the hours of security officer skills training from 32 to 42 hours that must be completed within six months of registration by the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services (BSIS), which shall include eight hours dedicated to de-escalation training; (2) requires security guards to complete two hours of training on workers' rights, to be instructed by a labor organization, within 30 days from the date of registration; (3) requires BSIS to issue a certificate to a labor organization that meets specified requirements to provide workers' rights training; (4) authorizes BSIS to charge application, renewal, and reinstatement fees to labor organizations seeking approval to provide workers' rights training; (5) amends fines associated with employee recordkeeping and training; and (6) makes numerous changes to security officer training required by the security practice acts administered by BSIS.	Chapter 1016
SB-1263	McGuire	Contractors: debris removal	This bill (1) specifies that a contractor can engage in debris removal, including muck out and ash out after a disaster, provided they hold a	Chapter 688

			specified license and classification; (2) prohibits contractors from providing debris removal services after a disaster unless they have passed a Contractors State License Board Hazardous Substance Removal Certification examination and comply with Department of Industrial Relations' hazardous waste operations and emergency response requirements.	
SB-1271	Reyes	Midwifery: workforce data: availability to be a clinical preceptorship	This bill (1) requires the Medical Board of California (MBC), in complying with workforce data collection, to request licensed midwives (LMs) to provide MBC with information about the LM's ability to serve as a clinical preceptor; and (2) requires MBC to provide the information quarterly to the Department of Health Care Access and Information.	Chapter 492
SB-1302	Wahab	Nursing	This bill makes various changes to the regulation of registered nurses and advanced practice registered nurses recommended as part of the joint sunset review oversight of the Board of Registered Nursing.	Chapter 429
SB-1303	Wahab	Naturopathic Doctors Act	This bill (1) extends operations of the California Board of Naturopathic Medicine (CBNM or Board) to January 1, 2031; staggers board member terms; (2) permits the Board to accept voluntary cancelation of a naturopathic doctor's (ND) license; (3) authorizes CBNM to establish a fictitious name permit program; (4) expands accreditation options available to approved naturopathic medical education programs; (5) requires unlicensed naturopaths who use protected titles to disclose their unlicensed status to their clients; (6) authorizes the Board to cite and fine any person who practices or advertises to practice as an ND without a valid license; and (7) makes technical and clarifying changes to the Naturopathic Doctors Act.	Chapter 430
SB-1304	Wahab	Respiratory Care Practice Act	This bill is the sunset bill for the Respiratory Care Board (RCB or Board) which makes various changes to the regulation of licensed respiratory care practitioners (RCPs) by RCB stemming from the comprehensive sunset review oversight of the RCB.	Chapter 431

SB-1311	Wahab	Licensed professions	This urgency bill (1) makes various conforming changes to existing requirements for unlicensed dental assistants to complete an infection control course; and (2) makes technical changes to the Licensed Physicians from Mexico Program, board appointments under the Veterinary Medicine Practice Act, and contract requirements under the Private Investigator Act.	Chapter 232
SB-1312	Richardson	Cemeteries	This bill (1) establishes a process for an endowment care cemetery to be declared abandoned and have its title transferred to the county in which the cemetery is located; and (2) permits the county to transfer the care and maintenance of the cemetery to a California nonprofit public benefit corporation, as specified.	Chapter 696
SB-1363	Wahab	Barbering and cosmetology	This bill (1) makes technical changes, statutory improvements, and policy reforms to the Barbering and Cosmetology Act (Act) in response to issues raised during the Legislature's sunset review of the Board of Barbering and Cosmetology, including changes to the apprenticeship program, authority to issue establishment licenses to partnerships and limited liability companies; and (2) extends the Board's sunset date by four years to January 1, 2031.	Chapter 233
SB-1368	Wahab	Speech-language pathologists, audiologists, and hearing aid dispensers	This bill (1) extends the operations of the Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology and Hearing Aid Dispensers Board (Board) until January 1, 2031; and (2) makes various conforming changes to the regulation of licensed and registered professionals by the Board stemming from the joint sunset review oversight process for the Board.	Chapter 234
SB-1445	Committee on Business, Professions and Economic Development	Healing arts	This bill (1) makes numerous technical and clarifying statutory updates related to programs within the Department of Consumer Affairs; and (2) updates the information required from an individual who signs a fictitious business name statement, as specified.	Chapter 237

SJR-6	Cortese, Richardson, Stern	Federal funding for essential state infrastructure, technology, and economic development	This resolution urges President Donald J. Trump and Congress to protect and maintain the historic investments made possible by the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, the CHIPS and Science Act, and the Inflation Reduction Act of 2022.	Resolution Chapter 165
SJR-7	Cervantes	Tariffs	This resolution (1) urges President Donald J. Trump to rescind the increase in tariffs that he has imposed since taking office in January 2025 and refund the American people for the costs passed on to them by his tariffs; (2) urges the United States Congress to enact a joint resolution to rescind President Trump's tariffs oppose all future unilateral and arbitrary tariff increases imposed by President Trump.	Resolution Chapter 205

EDUCATION				
AB-302	Bauer-Kahan	Pupil and parental communication: extracurricular activities: addictive feeds	This bill, beginning with the 2027-28 school year, prohibits a local educational agency from (1) excluding a pupil from participating in any extracurricular activity, including sports and clubs, due to the pupil not having or using addictive feeds and (2) using addictive feeds as the only means of contacting pupils or pupils' parents or guardians.	Chapter 181
AB-395	Gabriel	Holidays	This bill (1) requires, beginning with the 2027-28 school year, K-12 schools, community college districts, the California State University, and requests the University of California, to make efforts to avoid scheduling specified events on a date for which the school, college, or university knows that members of the public would be unable to participate or be present due to the ritual observance of a religious, cultural, or ancestral holiday; (2) requires state agencies, and encourages the legislative bodies of local agencies, to make efforts to avoid conducting specified business on such dates.	Chapter 865
AB-664	Alvarez	Community colleges: baccalaureate degree program: Southwestern Community College District	This bill (1) authorizes the California Community Colleges (CCC) Chancellor to allow Southwestern Community College District to offer four workforce-aligned baccalaureate degree programs, outside of the existing CCC baccalaureate degree approval process; (2) requires an interim and final report from the Legislative Analyst's Office; and (3) sunsets the provisions of the bill on January 1, 2037. *VETO message: "This bill authorizes the California Community Colleges (CCC) Chancellor to allow the Southwestern Community College District to offer four workforce-aligned baccalaureate degree programs outside of the existing CCC baccalaureate degree approval process.*	Vetoed

			Recently, I signed AB 2694 and SB 960 to create a statewide framework for community college districts to establish baccalaureate programs where there is demonstrated workforce demand and lack of capacity in regional universities. *This bill contains a provision that states it will not go into effect, even with my signature, if AB 2694 and SB 960 become law. To avoid confusion, I am vetoing this bill, but I encourage Southwestern Community College District to continue to develop workforce-aligned baccalaureate-level programs needed in their region and utilize the new option afforded by the signing of AB 2694 and SB 960."*	
AB-917	Ávila Farías	County offices of education: school districts: average daily attendance of less than 250 pupils: permanent status	This bill changes when some certificated employees earn permanent status by eliminating distinctions based on a district's size and allowing service in any regional occupational center or program, not just those operated by a single school district, to count toward permanent status. *VETO message: "This bill requires certificated employees in school districts and county offices of education with less than 250 average daily attendance to be granted permanent status after two years of employment and reelection for a third year, consistent with employees in larger local educational agencies.* *The bill also allows service as an instructor in certain regional occupational centers or programs (ROC/P) to count toward permanent status in a school district and makes conforming changes to employment, dismissal, suspension, reassignment, and contract provisions.*	Vetoed

			This bill, while laudable in its intent, eliminates many of the flexibilities established for small school districts in light of the unique circumstances. I am concerned this could have the unintended consequence of undermining the educational entity's ability to best meet the needs of its students - especially since permanency is an issue that can be addressed through the collective bargaining process. Further, by limiting a ROC/P's ability to respond nimbly to changing regional workforce needs, this bill is inconsistent with my administration's focus on ensuring the state's education and workforce training programs are aligned with workforce demands."	
AB-1093	Solache	Public postsecondary education: academic exchange programs: plan	This bill requires, upon appropriation, the California State University, and requests the University of California, to adopt a plan to increase the number of students participating in exchange programs with Mexican public universities.	Chapter 361
AB-1159	Addis	Student personal information	This bill (1) establishes, commencing July 1, 2027, the Higher Education Student Information Protection Act governing the collection, use, disclosure, retention, and protection of postsecondary student data by educational technology operators; (2) modifies the K-12 Pupil Online Personal Information Protection Act and the Early Learning Personal Information Protection Act to regulate the use of pupil data in artificial intelligence systems, applies their respective provisions to entities acting on behalf of an operator, and makes other changes related to protecting pupil information; (3) creates a private right of action for specified violations of pupil and student privacy protection.	Chapter 182
AB-1235	Rogers	California State University: skilled and trained workforce requirement	This bill (1) requires contractors on California State University design-build projects to commit that they and their subcontractors will use a skilled and trained workforce for work in apprenticeable occupations in the building and construction trades; (2) includes exceptions for projects	Chapter 362

			covered by specified project labor agreements and for housing projects, including dormitories.	
AB-1346	DeMaio	Public postsecondary education: residency: dependents of members of the Armed Forces: reenrollments	This bill extends eligibility for retaining resident classification for purposes of paying tuition at a public higher education institution to a dependent of an Armed Forces member who is granted reenrollment by the university, even if the Armed Forces member has been transferred out of state on military orders or has retired from active duty.	Chapter 731
AB-1381	Muratsuchi	Education-related positions: previous employment disclosures: Commission on Teacher Credentialing: unprofessional conduct	This bill (1) strengthens requirements for school employers to review the prior employment history of applicants for certificated and noncertificated positions for complaints, investigations, or discipline involving egregious misconduct; (2) establishes potential credentialing consequences for certificated applicants and school administrators who fail to comply with these requirements.	Chapter 364
AB-1486	Soria	Climate resiliency: research farms: grant program	This bill requires the California Department of Education, in consultation with the California Department of Food and Agriculture, to establish a grant program to provide grants to public postsecondary educational institutions that are designated as Agricultural Experiment Stations or Agriculture Research Institutes by the University of California and the California State University to develop or expand research farms to improve climate resiliency.	Chapter 879
AB-1534	Irwin	Federal Workforce Pell Grant program: local workforce development boards:	This bill (1) establishes state consumer protection standards for public and private postsecondary institutions seeking to participate in the federal Workforce Pell Grant program for short-term workforce training programs; (2) modifies Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act requirements by requiring local workforce development boards to	Chapter 519

		participant training requirement	ensure that at least 50% of participants receive workforce training services beginning in 2028.	
AB-1547	Bains	University of California: branch campus of a school of medicine in the County of Kern: feasibility study	This bill, an urgency measure, requires the University of California (UC), by January 1, 2028, to complete a feasibility study for the establishment of a UC medical school branch campus in Kern County. *VETO message: "This bill, an urgency, measure requires the University of California (UC) to complete a feasibility study to establish a UC medical school branch campus in Kern County by January 1. 2028.* *I am unable to sign this bill because it requires significant General Fund resources that are not included in the 2026 Budget Act. Additionally, in 2024, I signed AB 2357 (Bains) Chapter 959, Statutes of 2024, which established the UC Kern County Medical Education Endowment Fund to Support the operating costs associated with establishing a UC Medical School in Kern County. That bill specified the endowment funds could be used to conduct a feasibility study.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	Vetoed
AB-1552	Jackson	Public postsecondary education: civic	This bill requires the California State University and the California Community Colleges, and requests the University of California, before	Chapter 522

		engagement: recommendations report	the 2028–29 academic year, to make recommendations to the Legislature on how to facilitate greater knowledge of American democracy and meaningful civic engagement opportunities for students, including necessary support from the Legislature to achieve such recommendations.	
AB-1555	Hadwick	Community colleges: exemption from nonresident tuition fee: College of the Siskiyous	This bill authorizes the College of the Siskiyous to (1) exempt all or some of its nonresident tuition fee for 200 students per academic year residing in specified counties in Oregon; (2) claim state apportionment funding for students qualifying for an exemption of nonresident tuition fees.	Chapter 523
AB-1569	Davies, Chen	Pupil safety: electric bicycle: safety and training program	This bill requires the California Department of Education, in consultation with the Department of the California Highway Patrol, to develop a standardized electric bicycle safety and training program for pupils in grades 7 to 12, inclusive.	Chapter 128
AB-1572	Alanis	California Interscholastic Federation: officials: registration, certification, and eligibility verification	This bill requires the California Interscholastic Federation (CIF) to require its officials to annually register through a platform selected by the CIF to verify the official's eligibility to officiate CIF contests, which will, until July 1, 2028, include a statewide and standardized background screening and, commencing July 1, 2028, will include a record of a valid Activity Supervisor Clearance Certificate issued by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.	Chapter 267
AB-1581	Ramos, Patel	Pupils: data reporting: American Indian and Alaska Native pupils	This bill requires the California Department of Education (CDE), beginning on July 1, 2028, to annually post statewide aggregate educational outcome data for the prior school year for American Indian or Alaska Native (AI/AN) pupils, as defined, on the CDE's website, including, but not limited to, the number of pupils, the academic achievement of pupils, and the rate of suspension, expulsion, and chronic absenteeism of pupils.	Chapter 881

AB-1586	Ramos	Opioid overdose reversal medication: school resource officers	This bill (1) requires school resource officers (SRO), commencing with the 2027–28 school year, and at least every two years thereafter, to complete opioid overdose recognition and response training that is approved by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training or the Board of State and Community Corrections; (2) clarifies existing authorizations and liability protections for SROs to administer emergency opioid antagonists to persons believed to be experiencing an opioid overdose; (3) requires SROs to annually report on opioid antagonist usage, as specified; (4) requires California Department of Public Health to submit a report to the Legislature on the SRO reported information.	Chapter 268
AB-1590	Ransom	California Career Technical Education Incentive Grant Program: revised allocation formula	This bill requires the California Department of Education, in consultation with the Executive Director of the State Board of Education, to revise the California Career Technical Education Incentive Grant allocation formula no later than the 2027-28 fiscal year to ensure that all funds appropriated for the program are fully allocated in the fiscal year in which the funds are appropriated, to the maximum extent practicable.	Chapter 527
AB-1626	Gabriel, Irwin, Pacheco	Interscholastic athletics: youth sports: coaches: behavioral and mental health training	This bill (1) establishes training content areas, related to behavioral and mental health challenges specific to pupil athletes, to be used for trainings for coaches of interscholastic athletic programs, non-interscholastic athletic programs, and youth sports organizations; (2) requires the California Department of Education, by September 1, 2027, to identify an existing training or develop a model youth athletics behavioral and mental health training, as specified, for coaches in youth sports organizations.	Chapter 884
AB-1636	Solache	Cerritos Community College District: data sharing	This bill requires the Cerritos Community College District (CCD), in consultation with the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office (CCCCO), by April 1, 2027, to develop a recommended prototype for Cerritos CCD to compile and transmit personally identifiable student information to the CCCCO for the limited and express purpose of	Chapter 367

			creating a student record for enrollment in credit coursework at the California Community Colleges.	
AB-1641	Jackson, Ramos	Postsecondary education: segments: tribal colleges and universities	This bill expands the statutory definition of public higher education to include tribal colleges and universities (TCUs) located in California and operated by an Indian tribal government, placing TCUs within the same statutory category as California Community Colleges, the California State University, and the University of California.	Chapter 452
AB-1653	Lackey	Pupil instruction: health framework: heat illness	This bill requires the Instructional Quality Commission (IQC), during its next revision of the Health Framework for California Public Schools (Health Framework), to consider including and recommending for adoption by the State Board of Education (SBE) specific content related to the prevention of, identification of, and response to signs and symptoms of heat illness.	Chapter 70
AB-1659	Ransom	Juvenile court school pupils: joint transition planning policy: courses of study	This bill requires, as joint transition planning policy, a school district or charter school in which the juvenile court school (JCS) pupil will be enrolling to assign a staff member of the school district or charter school to serve as the point person for transition liaison responsibilities.	Chapter 538
AB-1665	Pacheco, Gabriel, Irwin	School athletics: coaches: youth athletics behavioral and mental health training	This bill, commencing with the 2027-28 school year, requires: (1) a coach for an interscholastic athletic program at a high school that is a member of the California Interscholastic Federation to complete an initial training, and subsequent training every two years, on a coaching education and training program on mental health, as specified, and (2) that a local educational agency (LEA) ensure a coach of a non-interscholastic athletic program complete an initial training, and subsequent training every two years, covering sudden cardiac arrest and youth athletics behavioral and mental health, if the LEA chooses to offer a non-interscholastic athletic program.	Chapter 886
AB-1669	Pacheco	Student health: medical leaves of	This bill requires, commencing with the 2027-28 academic year, private and public postsecondary educational institutions to adopt a written	Chapter 370

		absence: mental health	policy allowing students to take a voluntary medical leave of absence for at least a period of up to one academic year and specifies criteria for inclusion in the adopted policy.	
AB-1713	Ransom	Public postsecondary education: students with disabilities: verification: academic accommodations	This bill (1) requires the California Community Colleges and the California State University, and requests the University of California, to accept a student's individualized education program (IEP), Individual Program Plan (IPP), or Section 504 plan as verification of disability for purposes of requesting academic accommodations; (2) prohibits public postsecondary institutions from requiring students to obtain new or additional diagnostic evaluations solely to verify a disability, while authorizing institutions to request supplemental information necessary to evaluate accommodation requests and determine appropriate reasonable accommodations; (3) clarifies that an IEP, IPP, or Section 504 plan serves only to verify the existence of a disability and does not require a public postsecondary institution to provide the accommodations, modifications, or services identified in those documents.	Chapter 891
AB-1721	Muratsuchi	Pupil safety: comprehensive school safety plans	This bill requires the Education Commissioner to, in consultation with the State Board of Education and specified stakeholders, review existing comprehensive school safety plans (CSSPs) and make recommendations on the development, approval, and statutorily required elements of the CSSP.	Chapter 373
AB-1728	Alanis	Community colleges: common course numbering system: career technical education public safety courses	This bill (1) requires the California Community Colleges, by December 31, 2027, and contingent upon the availability of funding, to develop and submit to the Legislature an implementation and funding plan to establish a common course numbering system for specified career technical education public safety courses; (2) requires a phased implementation for specified courses.	Chapter 200

AB-1763	Lee	Pupil attendance: excused absences: religious observance	This bill requires that a student be excused from school when the absence is for the observance of a holiday or ceremony of the pupil's religion by removing the existing requirement that the student's absence be requested in writing by a parent and approved by the principal.	Chapter 893
AB-1766	Krell	Health curriculum framework: human trafficking and online safety	This bill requires the Instructional Quality Commission, during its next revision of the Health Framework for California Public Schools, to consider including content related to human trafficking and online safety, as specified.	Chapter 894
AB-1769	Ramos	Student transfer: tribal colleges	This bill requires the California State University and California Community Colleges that offer a baccalaureate degree, and requests the University of California, to develop and implement transfer and articulation pathways for students attending California tribal colleges and universities.	Chapter 453
AB-1784	Pellerin	Postsecondary education: nondiscrimination: pregnancy or pregnancy-related issues	This bill, effective September 1, 2027, expands existing law by providing parity between undergraduate and graduate students experiencing pregnancy and pregnancy-related conditions by expanding academic protections related to leave of absence policies to undergraduate students and by requiring reasonable accommodations.	Chapter 895
AB-1792	Michelle Rodriguez	Pupil instruction: health framework: sexual health	This bill requires the Instructional Quality Commission, during its next revision of the Health Framework for California Public Schools, to consider including and recommending to the State Board of Education for adoption, specific content related to sexual health instruction to educate pupils about dating abuse and digital violence.	Chapter 273
AB-1809	Fong	Public contracts: school and	This bill (1) extends, until January 1, 2037, the authority for school districts and community college districts to use job order contracting (JOC) for public works projects; (2) modifies JOC requirements by	Chapter 548

		community college districts	eliminating certain project planning and cost-comparison requirements, prohibiting use of JOC when a district determines it would increase project costs without sufficient documented justification, clarifying contract duration limits, and making related conforming changes.	
AB-1829	Fong	Community colleges: CalWORKs Recipients Education Program: services	This bill (1) allows the California Community Colleges (CCCs) to use funds appropriated for the CalWORKs Recipients Education Program for direct aid designed to meet basic needs services and resources, as specified; (2) allows CCCs to waive the requirement for employers to contribute 25% of the wage for workstudy positions funded by the program if the number of on-campus and off-campus workstudy positions will not decrease.	Chapter 550
AB-1845	Krell	Student safety: human trafficking	This bill establishes specific policies and procedures that postsecondary educational institutions must adopt to address incidents of human trafficking on campus, including providing training for employees of postsecondary educational institutions about human trafficking prevention and ensuring that all incidents of human trafficking are recorded and reported to law enforcement.	Chapter 834
AB-1860	McKinnor	School facilities: design-build: alternative design-build: county superintendents of schools	This bill authorizes county superintendents of schools to use the same design-build and alternative design-build procurement methods currently available to school districts for eligible public works projects, including awarding contracts based on either lowest responsible bidder or best value.	Chapter 902
AB-1871	Fong	Pupil instruction: dual enrollment: College and Career Access Pathways partnerships	This bill changes the College and Career Access Pathways (CCAP) dual enrollment program by removing the requirement that participating students obtain a principal recommendation, requiring CCAP agreements to permit students to complete a single community college application for the duration of their participation, eliminating the existing limit of four college courses per term while retaining the 15-unit cap, and revising state reporting requirements to emphasize student outcomes.	Chapter 557
AB-1904	Gipson, Muratsuchi	Teachers: credentialed educator apprenticeship	This bill (1) establishes the Credentialed Educator Apprenticeships Act and creates a framework for the approval, oversight, and operation of credentialed educator apprenticeship programs in California; (2)	Chapter 906

		programs	requires the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) and the Division of Apprenticeship Standards (DAS) to jointly oversee educator apprenticeship programs; (3) authorizes the CTC to issue apprenticeship certificates or permits to participating educator candidates; (4) establishes minimum requirements for apprenticeship programs seeking state approval; (5) requires the CTC to provide guidance and support for the development and expansion of educator apprenticeships.	
AB-1920	Mark González, Ahrens	Community colleges: California College Promise: fee waiver eligibility	This bill prohibits a community college from deeming a student ineligible for a fee waiver under the California College Promise program if a student was awarded a certificate by a postsecondary educational institution as part of a course sequence leading to an associate degree.	Chapter 32
AB-1928	Fong	Sex equity: sexual harassment complaints	This bill requires the governing board of each postsecondary institution, as defined, as a condition to receive state financial assistance, to permit each complainant or respondent of a sexual harassment complaint to have a support person, in addition to an advisor, accompany the parties of a sexual harassment complaint during the grievance procedures and during any stage of the process, whether adjudicated through federal or state law.	Chapter 134
AB-1943	Gipson	Pupil safety: notifications: firearms	This bill recasts, updates, and expands existing annual notice requirements related to safe firearms storage by requiring the California Department of Education to develop and post model language for a Secure Firearm Storage Notification to be issued annually by local educational agencies to the parents and guardians of enrolled pupils.	Chapter 459
AB-1969	Bonta, Alvarez, Jackson	California Community Schools Partnership Program: Promise Neighborhoods	This bill (1) requires a local educational agency (LEA) that elects to retain up to 10% of California Community Schools Partnership Program (CCSPP) funds for its eligible schoolsites to use those funds in a way that is consistent with the Community School framework; (2) requires LEAs to, among other things, use those funds to serve as a network lead for multiple eligible schoolsites located in a Promise Neighborhood.	Chapter 911
AB-1985	Irwin, Pacheco	Student health: athletic coaches and trainers: mental health training	This bill requires, by July 1, 2028, and every two years thereafter, the campuses of the California State University (CSU), the California Community Colleges (CCCs), and each private postsecondary educational institution and independent institution of higher education that receives state financial assistance, and requests of the campuses of the University of California (UC), a coach of an athletic program—	Chapter 912

			including an assistant coach or trainer—to complete a training on student mental health, as specified, as a condition of the coach's employment or volunteer service.	
AB-2003	Berman	Pupil health: suicide prevention	This bill, an urgency measure, (1) recasts and revises existing requirements for the California Department of Education (CDE) to identify suicide prevention trainings to instead require the Behavioral Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission to develop evidence-based online training to train specified school staff, pupils, parents and guardians, and caregivers; (2) requires local educational agencies that elect to conduct suicide risk screenings to annually report specified information to the CDE.	Chapter 92
AB-2008	Patel	Local educational agencies: planning and reporting requirements: template: repealer	This bill requires a future bill that would require a local educational agency to complete: (1) a plan or report to include a provision in the bill that repeals the planning or reporting requirement four years after the bill becomes operative, or four years after the final due date of a plan or report, unless the person requesting the bill specifies otherwise, and (2) commencing January 1, 2028, a programmatic or expenditure report for specified competitive state grant programs to include a provision in the bill that requires the use of a specified standardized template, unless the person requesting the bill specifies otherwise.	Chapter 283
AB-2056	Alvarez	Teachers: exchange programs: local educational agencies	This bill revises and recasts the World Language Teacher Exchange and Recruitment Law of 1963 by expanding authorized teacher exchange and recruitment activities to include county offices of education and charter schools, expressly authorizing exchanges with Mexico and Spain, removing specified state-level administrative responsibilities, and authorizing designated visa sponsors to facilitate placements of teachers from other countries, including Mexico and Spain, in California schools for cultural exchange purposes.	Chapter 122
AB-2067	Patel	School facilities: leasing real property	This bill (1) extends, by five years, the existing authorization for school districts to use the lease-leaseback project delivery method through a competitive best value solicitation process for school construction projects; (2) extends the operative date of these provisions from July 1, 2027, to July 1, 2032.	Chapter 286
AB-2071	Hoover	Pupil instruction: digital wellness	This bill requires the California Department of Education to develop a plan to expand digital wellness instruction in California public schools.	Chapter 186
AB-2107	Pellerin	Expanded Learning Opportunities	This bill requires school districts and charter schools participating in the Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELOP) that have an	Chapter 578

		Program: offering access: unduplicated pupils	unduplicated pupil percentage of 55% or higher to prioritize offering access to unduplicated pupils in ELOP programs, which may include, but is not limited to, specialized outreach to the parents and guardians of unduplicated pupils and providing assistance with enrollment of unduplicated pupils.	
AB-2121	Berman	Community colleges: current expense of education: exclusions	This bill authorizes a community college district (CCD) to exclude, as part of its current expense of education, any local unrestricted expenditures from a CCD's unrestricted general fund maintaining student support functions previously funded through federal discretionary grants that were terminated due to federal action on or after September 10, 2025, for a period of five fiscal years following the 2025-26 fiscal year or until federal funding is fully restored.	Chapter 580
AB-2148	Muratsuchi	Elementary and secondary education: public school employees: contractors: natural persons	This bill clarifies that, for purposes of the Education Code, public school employees and contractors performing services in public schools must be natural persons, thereby affirming that interactions between students and school personnel are to be conducted by human beings rather than artificial intelligence systems.	Chapter 48
AB-2178	Quirk-Silva, Pacheco	Community colleges: county probation departments: instructional service agreements	This bill permits a county probation department and a community college district (CCD) outside of the home CCD to enter into an instructional services agreement if the home CCD has declined a request from the county probation department, or has failed to take action within 60 calendar days of a request by the county probation department.	Chapter 586
AB-2203	Tangipa	Public postsecondary education: priority registration: veterans and dependents of veterans: federal GI Bill	This bill requires, commencing with the 2028-29 academic year, each campus of the California State University and California Community Colleges, and requests each campus of the University of California that administers a priority enrollment system, to grant priority to recipients of federal GI Bill benefits and recipients of the specified state fee waiver for military-connected students.	Chapter 730
AB-2206	Fong	Teacher credentialing: community college baccalaureate degrees	This bill (1) prohibits California Community Colleges (CCCs) from serving as teacher preparation institutions for purposes of recommending candidates for teaching credentials; (2) clarifies how baccalaureate degrees earned through CCC baccalaureate degree programs satisfy credentialing requirements.	Chapter 387
AB-2212	Bauer-Kahan	Postsecondary education: sexual	This bill (1) expands the definition of sexual harassment by adding that it includes technology-facilitated sexual harassment, stalking, and	Chapter 388

		harassment, harassment, intimidation, and bullying policies: student training	sextortion; (2) expands the definition of sexual exploitation by adding that it includes the creation, generation, or distribution of digitized sexually explicit materials without the written consent of the depicted individual or individuals of each such act.	
AB-2225	Patel, Garcia, Muratsuchi, Ransom	Education governance: Education Commissioner: reporting	This bill requires the Education Commissioner to submit a report, on or before October 1, 2028, to the Governor and appropriate policy and fiscal committees of the Legislature, that includes, among other things, information on the state's progress toward implementing the Commissioner's recommendations on phase two of education governance consolidation and streamlining, and recommendations for additional steps to consolidate and reduce fragmentation.	Chapter 293
AB-2241	Boerner	School facilities: inclusive school playgrounds	This bill requires the California Department of Education to curate and maintain an online resource demonstrating best practices for inclusive school playground design and authorizes related outreach, education, and recommendations to encourage inclusive playground features.	Chapter 295
AB-2242 Approps vote duplicate	Davies	Pupil safety: sextortion informational poster	This bill (1) requires local educational agencies (LEAs) serving students in grades 7 to 12 to display an informational poster on sextortion in at least one of women's restroom, men's restroom, and all-gender restroom at each of its schoolsites; (2) requires the California Department of Education to develop and post on its website a model poster template for LEA use.	Chapter 592
AB-2248	Hoover	Pupil services: educational counseling: California College Guidance Initiative.	This bill expands existing annual notice requirements to additionally require a local educational agency to issue a notice to the parents or guardians of specified pupils that includes the benefits of the California College Guidance Initiative and encouragement to create parent accounts.	Chapter 296
AB-2251	Celeste Rodriguez	Student financial aid: Cal Grant Program: cost of attendance	This bill adds a new condition for Cal Grant institutional eligibility by requiring qualifying postsecondary institutions, by the 2027-28 academic year, to develop and implement a cost of attendance (COA) policy and adjustment process that estimates and adjusts COA information consistent with federal standards.	Chapter 928
AB-2301	Soria	Community colleges: Baccalaureate Degree in Nursing Pilot Program	This bill requires the California Community College Chancellor's Office to establish a Community College Baccalaureate Degree in Nursing Pilot Program that would authorize 10 community college districts to offer a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree.	Vetoed

			VETO message: "This bill requires the California Community College (CCC) Chancellor's Office to establish a Community College Baccalaureate Degree in Nursing Pilot Program that would authorize 10 community college districts to offer a Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree. *This year, I proudly signed SB 960 and AB 2694 to create a statewide framework for community college districts to establish baccalaureate programs already offered by other public higher education institutions. This framework is inclusive of all academic programs, so long as specified criteria are met – such as a demonstrated workforce demand and lack of capacity in regional universities. Given this progress, it is neither necessary nor appropriate to authorize an additional pilot or create an exception to the framework, as this bill proposes. California's public higher education segments should instead focus on implementing this newly created comprehensive system.* *Additionally, the 2024 Budget Agreement included $60 million per year, from 2025-26 to 2028-29, for the Rebuilding Nursing Infrastructure Grant Program, which community colleges can use to expand BSN partnerships with the University of California, California State University, and independent nonprofit higher education institutions. These partnerships have proven successful in increasing BSN degree recipients and access for community college students. All segments of higher education should continue collaborating to build these programs."*	
AB-2316	Hoover	School facilities: Charter School Facilities Program: undue financial burden	This bill (1) authorizes the State Allocation Board, for Charter School Facilities Program (CSFP) filing rounds opened on or after January 1, 2028, to reduce a charter school's required local share under the CSFP when the California School Finance Authority determines the obligation would impose an undue financial burden, and to correspondingly increase the state grant amount; (2) requires the adoption of regulations establishing criteria for making that determination.	Chapter 597
AB-2324	Jeff Gonzalez	Vocational education: youth caregivers	This bill (1) requires the California Department of Education (CDE), during the next revision of the California Career Technical Education	Chapter 95

			Model Curriculum Standards, to consider adding content related to youth caregivers within the Personal Care and Services career pathway; (2) requires CDE, by July 1, 2028, to develop implementation guidance for the pathway, including guidance related to caregiving skills, work-based learning opportunities, and the potential use of work experience education credit for youth who provide care to family members in the home.	
AB-2332	Mark González, Quirk-Silva, Solache	Dual language immersion: Dual Language Immersion Coordinator	This bill requires the California Department of Education, upon appropriation and by July 1, 2027, to designate a Dual Language Immersion Coordinator for the purposes of providing coordination between local educational agencies to share resources and knowledge on dual language immersion programs.	Chapter 598
AB-2374	Fong	Postsecondary education: Designation of California Asian American- and Native Hawaiian Pacific Islander-Serving Institutions	This bill establishes criteria and procedures for postsecondary educational institutions in California to receive a designation as a California Asian American- and Native Hawaiian Pacific Islander-Serving Institution and recognize institutions that excel at providing academic resources to Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander students.	Chapter 760
AB-2392	Fong	Public postsecondary education: generative artificial intelligence systems: procurement standards: training	This bill requires the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office and the California State University, and requests of the University of California, to: (1) convene a joint working group to develop standards for responsible GenAI training and procurement, as specified; (2) provide the specified training to students, faculty, or staff, as applicable.	Chapter 855
AB-2422	Caloza	Student financial aid: delayed financial aid awards: extensions	This bill requires the California State University, each community college district, private postsecondary educational institutions, and independent institutions of higher education receiving financial assistance, and requests the University of California, commencing with the 2027-28 academic year, to extend enrollment and fee deadlines and refrain from imposing punitive actions for a student whose financial award is delayed due to factors outside the student's control.	Chapter 605
AB-2436	Fong	Public postsecondary education: tuition and fees: Team USA student athletes	This bill extends indefinitely the current exemption allowing Team USA student athletes training in California in an elite level program approved by the United States Olympic and Paralympic Committee to receive resident classification for tuition and fee purposes, by removing the	Chapter 353

			existing July 1, 2032, sunset provision.	
AB-2440	Muratsuchi	Arts and Music in Schools—Funding Guarantee and Accountability Act: allowable uses: pooled funding: certifications	This bill makes various changes to the Arts and Music in Schools Funding Guarantee and Accountability Act (Proposition 28) by authorizing local educational agencies to pool allocated funds across schoolsites, establishing a statutory methodology for demonstrating compliance with the supplement-not-supplant requirement, expanding reporting, certification, and transparency requirements, and revising the definition of arts education programs and allowable expenditures.	Chapter 606
AB-2455	Haney, Fong, Lee	Bruce Lee Day	This bill (1) designates May 17 of each year as a day having special significance called Bruce Lee Day, and this bill encourages all public schools and educational institutions on Bruce Lee Day to conduct exercises remembering the life of Bruce Lee, recognizing his accomplishments, and familiarizing pupils with the contributions he made to the state; (2) requires the Governor to annually proclaim May 17 as Bruce Lee Day.	Chapter 49
AB-2460	Celeste Rodriguez	Pupil health: mental health: model referral protocols	This bill (1) requires the California Department of Education, on or before July 1, 2027, to review, and as necessary, update existing model referral protocols for addressing pupil behavioral health concerns to ensure that it includes guidance on providing equity-centered mental health supports in case of a local emergency related to immigration enforcement activities or deportations of pupils or their family members; (2) requires a local educational agency, on or before July 1, 2028, to review, and as necessary, update its governing board or body's adopted policy on referral protocols for addressing behavioral health concerns to ensure that it includes specified guidance.	Chapter 301
AB-2466	Fong	Strong Workforce Program: work-based learning opportunities: regional consortia	This bill (1) expands the authorized uses of Strong Workforce Program (SWP) funds apportioned directly to regional consortia by allowing those funds to be used to provide direct support to students, employers, or both, for paid work-based learning opportunities intended to increase employability and employment; (2) extends by one year the deadline for the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office to revise policies, regulations, and guidance related to paid work-based learning opportunities under the SWP.	Chapter 402
AB-2467	Committee on Education	Elementary and secondary education: omnibus	This bill, an urgency measure, a K-12 omnibus bill, makes numerous non-controversial revisions to a number of provisions related to education throughout statute.	Chapter 608
AB-2468	Patel	School accountability:	This bill establishes the Supporting Inclusive Practices Project in	Chapter 609

		pupils with disabilities: inclusion	statute, assigns responsibility for universal supports to the California Collaborative for Educational Excellence (CCEE) and targeted supports to the California Department of Education, and redirects $30 million appropriated for the project to CCEE for allocation to the El Dorado County Office of Education.	
AB-2490	Valencia	Teacher credentialing: emergency career substitute teaching permit: alternative qualifications	This bill (1) expands eligibility for the Emergency Career Substitute Teaching Permit by establishing an alternative pathway based on training, professional development, and mentoring rather than prior substitute teaching experience; (2) authorizes permit holders who qualify through that pathway to serve up to 70 cumulative days in a single classroom assignment, including special education classrooms.	Chapter 614
AB-2496	Solache	Local educational agencies: reports: school accountability report card: California School Dashboard: local control accountability plan: local control funding formula budget overview	This bill requires the California Department of Education to provide a report to the Superintendent of Public Instruction, the Governor, and the Legislature that identifies duplication between the data contained in the school accountability report card and other publicly available data sources.	Chapter 615
AB-2503	Wallis	California Interscholastic Federation: pupil health: heat illness: guidelines	This bill requires, by July 1, 2027, and annually thereafter, the California Interscholastic Federation to review and update, as necessary, the guidelines, procedures, and safety standards for the prevention and management of exertional heat illness, with special consideration for regions of the state with higher average temperatures.	Chapter 172
AB-2504	Bauer-Kahan	Community colleges: artificial intelligence: pilot program	This bill, upon appropriation by the Legislature, requires the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office to establish the Future of Creative Industries Pilot Program with the goal of supporting workers in the state's creative and entertainment industries who have been or are at risk of being displaced by generative artificial intelligence by providing structured reskilling and upskilling opportunities through the California Community Colleges system.	Chapter 305
AB-2523	Fong	Public postsecondary education: governing bodies: biography and contact	This bill requires the California State University and the California Community Colleges, and requests the University of California, to post on their respective systemwide governing boards' internet websites specified biographical and contact information for each board member	Chapter 617

		information	and encourages each member to consider public input when voting on a matter that comes before the board.	
AB-2524	Gipson	Pupils: work permits: issuance	This bill (1) authorizes county probation departments and county child welfare agencies to issue work permits to certain youth under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court; (2) establishes requirements governing the issuance, recognition, notification, and revocation of those work permits and authorizes educational rights holders and attorneys representing eligible youth to request work permits on behalf of those youth.	Chapter 948
AB-2526	Muratsuchi	Special education local plan areas: apportionments: alternate assessments	This bill expands eligibility for the state's low-incidence disability special education funding program, contingent upon an additional appropriation, allowing funding to be generated not only by pupils with statutorily defined low-incidence disabilities (hearing impairments, vision impairments, and severe orthopedic impairments) but also by pupils who are eligible to take California's alternate assessments due to significant cognitive disabilities. *VETO message: "This bill expands eligibility for the state's low-incidence disability special education funding program by adding pupils who take California's alternate assessments as determined by their Individualized Educational Plan (IEP) team.* *In this year's state budget, together with the Legislature, we made historic investments in special education, increasing funding by 43% - a $2.4 billion ongoing increase overall - and including a $40 million increase in low-incidence disabilities funding. I am incredibly proud of this work, and appreciate the author's intent to further support our students with extensive support needs.*	Vetoed

			Unfortunately, this bill takes the wrong approach by expanding eligibility based on a determination by an IEP team - an imprecise measure of the cost and intensity of a student's education needs. This could create inappropriate fiscal incentives and have the unintended consequence of diluting funding for currently eligible students. *Further efforts to address the cost of serving students with extensive support needs must build on the investments made in the state budget, preserve dedicated support for students with low-incidence disabilities, and use a funding mechanism more directly aligned with demonstrated service needs and costs."*	
AB-2551	Elhawary	Equity in Higher Education Act: time, place, and manner policies: student code of conduct violations: open forum	This bill requires the California State University, and requests of the University of California, to: (1) hold an open forum on a selected campus, by December 31, 2027, to elicit student feedback regarding content-neutral time, place, and manner restrictions, and (2) submit information on student code of conduct violations that occurred during, or as a result of, a protest on campus and a description of the discipline imposed on the student as a result of the specified student code of conduct violation. *VETO message: "This bill requires the California State University (CSU), and requests the University of California (UC), to hold an open forum on a selected campus by December 31, 2027, to elicit student feedback regarding content-neutral time, place, and manner policies. It further requires that the institutions submit information on student code of conduct violations that occurred during, or as a result of, a protest on campus and a description of the discipline imposed on the student as a result of the specified student code of conduct violation.*	Vetoed

			Both the CSU and the UC governing bodies have regularly scheduled meetings where the campus community can address their respective boards in a public forum. The CSU and UC also have established communication channels between their respective student associations and administrations at both the system and campus levels. Given the numerous ways that the campus community can already provide perspective to policy leaders, it is unnecessary to require an additional forum outside of these established processes."	
AB-2555	Patel	English learners: reclassification	This bill makes changes to the system of reclassifying English learners as English proficient including; (1) establishing a standardized statewide reclassification process based on demonstrated English language proficiency; (2) limiting the reclassification criteria to the assessment of English language development (ELD); (3) permitting some English learners with disabilities to be reclassified using alternate means; (4) shifting from a manual to automatic reclassification process; (5) strengthening parent engagement; (6) requiring the State Board of Education (SBE) to identify an appropriate instrument for monitoring reclassified English learners; (7) requiring the California Department of Education (CDE) to post data on reclassification rates, reframing English learner reclassification as a milestone on the path to biliteracy; (8) requiring an evaluation of these changes to English learner reclassification.	Chapter 619
AB-2580	Muratsuchi, Hadwick	Teacher credentialing: programs of professional preparation: California State University and community college partnerships	This bill requires the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges (CCC) and the Chancellor of the California State University (CSU) to jointly develop, by July 1, 2027, a plan to expand teacher preparation partnerships between CCC districts and CSU campuses, with a particular focus on increasing access to teacher preparation programs in rural communities and creating concurrent enrollment opportunities for community college students pursuing teaching credentials.	Chapter 624

AB-2652	Sharp-Collins	Teacher credentialing: world languages: subject matter examinations: language proficiency assessments	This bill (1) expands pathways for candidates seeking a teaching credential in World Languages or a bilingual authorization to demonstrate language proficiency in languages for which the Commission on Teacher Credentialing does not administer a subject matter examination; (2) authorizes candidates to satisfy applicable language examination requirements through successful completion of a comparable postsecondary language proficiency assessment.	Chapter 77
AB-2660	Alvarez	Public postsecondary education: intersegmental partnerships: STEM education	This bill establishes the Cal-Bridge Program and ENLACE Program as intersegmental science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) pathway initiatives to increase the number and diversity of students pursuing STEM Doctor of Philosophy (PhDs) and entering California's STEM workforce.	Chapter 633
AB-2694	Alvarez, Pacheco	Public postsecondary education: community colleges: statewide baccalaureate degree program	This bill, contingent upon the enactment of SB 960 (Cabaldon, 2026), revises the requirements governing applications for California Community College baccalaureate degree programs and establishes separate processes for resolving objections filed by the California State University and retains the existing written agreement process for objections filed by the University of California and expands annual reporting requirements, as specified.	Chapter 308
AB-2726	Fong	School facilities: disposal of surplus technology property	This bill authorizes school districts, county offices of education, and community college districts to establish streamlined processes for disposing of surplus technology property, including through online auctions, trade-in or buyback programs, negotiated sales, and donations, while requiring governing boards to adopt policies addressing competition, data security, and environmentally responsible disposal practices.	Chapter 51
AB-2766	Ahrens	Public postsecondary education: student	This bill (1) requires, instead of requests, housing priority at a California Community College (CCC) be granted to foster and homeless youth, (2) requires a CCC, California State University, and request the University	Chapter 216

		housing: foster youth and homeless youth	of California to waive or defer housing costs for foster and homeless youth until they have received their financial aid disbursement; (3) further expands priority registration for enrollment to foster youth to include those enrolled in the NextUp program at a CCC.	
AB-2768	Ahrens	Student financial aid: waiver or deferment of fees and costs: foster youth	This bill, commencing with the 2027-2028 academic year, requires California State University, each community college district, and private and independent institutions of higher education that receive state financial assistance and requests University of California to waive unpaid portion of enrollment fees or other costs, or defer fees or costs until the student has received an initial disbursement of their financial aid award for current or former foster youth upon initial enrollment.	Chapter 637
AB-2794	Committee on Higher Education	Postsecondary education: nonresident tuition: exemption: federal GI Bill	This bill (1) adds the Montgomery GI Bill Selected Reserve program to the list of federal education benefits that qualifies for exemption from paying nonresident tuition; (2) specifies that this program and other federal programs as specified, as they read on January 5, 2026, are also authorized for this exemption. This is the annual higher education omnibus bill.	Chapter 144
ACA-7	Jackson	Government preferences	This Constitutional Amendment, if approved by voters, would amend the California Constitution to replace “public education” with “public higher education admissions and enrollment” in subdivision (a) Section 31, of Article I, which prohibits discrimination and preferential treatment on the basis of race, sex, color, ethnicity, or national origin. The measure requires that it appear on the statewide general election ballot on November 7, 2028.	Resolution Chapter 223
SB-308	Seyarto	Community colleges: audits: reports	This bill streamlines the annual reporting requirement for the California Community Colleges Chancellor’s Office (CCCCO) regarding the number and nature of audit fundings, districts that failed to file their audits, and actions taken by the CCCCO to reach compliance, and combines this report with required reporting regarding corrective action taken against a fiscally instable community college district.	Chapter 644

SB-549	Allen	Heritage schools: enrollment and notice	This bill (1) authorizes heritage schools to serve children who are enrolled in transitional kindergarten, effectively serving children who are at least 4 years old, instead of children who are at least 4 years and 9 months of age; and (2) requires heritage schools to provide notice to a child's parent or guardian stating that the California Department of Education has no regulatory authority over heritage schools and does not monitor heritage school operations or instruction.	Chapter 970
SB-608	Menjivar	Sexual health	This bill (1) prohibits a local educational agency (LEA) from prohibiting a school-based health center that serves its schools from making internal and external condoms available and easily accessible to students in grades 7 to 12, inclusive; (2) requires LEAs to allow condoms to be made available during specified educational or public health programs; (3) authorizes the California Department of Education (CDE) to monitor compliance with the California Healthy Youth Act (CHYA) as part of its annual compliance monitoring process; and (4) prohibits retail establishments from refusing to provide nonprescription contraception to a person solely on the basis of age. *VETO Message: "This bill requires school-based health centers to make condoms available and easily accessible to students in grades 7 to 12 and requires local educational agencies to allow condoms to be available during specified educational or public health programs. It also prohibits retail establishments from refusing to provide nonprescription contraception to a person solely on the basis of age.* *The implementation decisions required by this legislation are best made locally, in consultation with educators, health professionals, students, parents, families, and based on the needs and circumstances of each community."*	Vetoed

SB-632	Arreguín	Community colleges: California College Promise	This bill reduces the minimum unit requirement for a California community college (CCC) student to qualify for a California College Promise fee waiver from 12 units, or a full-time courseload, to 9 units. This bill also requires a CCC, as a condition of receiving program funds, to provide written notification to a student, upon issuing an initial fee waiver, on (1) the period of eligibility for a California College Promise fee waiver is limited to two academic years, (2) a description of the units a student needs per semester or academic year to complete an associate degree or certificate within two academic years, and (3) information on how to access other financial aid opportunities available to a student who has exceeded their two years of eligibility for a fee waiver. *VETO Message: "This bill expands eligibility to qualify for a California College Promise fee waiver by reducing the minimum unit requirement from 12 to 9 units.* *While expanding eligibility for this program is a laudable goal, this bill would create significant cost pressure, into the tens of millions of dollars annually, and was not included in the 2026 Budget Act.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	Vetoed

SB-685	Cortese	Special education: nonpublic schools and agencies	This bill (1) revises requirements governing nonpublic schools (NPSs) and nonpublic agencies (NPAs) by permitting qualified sectarian entities to be certified as NPSs and NPAs, while requiring publicly funded educational services provided to pupils placed by local educational agencies to remain secular and nondiscriminatory; and (2) makes broader changes to NPS and NPA oversight related to curriculum, behavioral interventions, criminal background checks, educator credentialing, incident reporting, and waivers	Chapter 975
SB-845	Pérez	Pupil instruction: career technical education, career education, work-based learning, work experience education, and apprenticeships	This bill makes various changes to the state's framework for career technical education (CTE), work-based learning, and youth apprenticeships, including: (1) establishing definitions and common requirements for work-based learning activities; (2) expanding the authority of local educational agencies and state special schools to offer work-based learning through work experience education (WEE), CTE, early college credit, and other existing programs; (3) allowing pupils beginning in grade 10 to receive credit for WEE; (4) clarifying workers' compensation, liability, and student protections for work-based learning activities; and (5) establishing requirements for school-based youth apprenticeship programs registered with the Division of Apprenticeship Standards.	Chapter 653
SB-892	Grove	Public postsecondary education: priority registration: members and former members of the Armed Forces of the United States and State Guard	This bill, commencing July 1, 2027, removes limitations on the duration and timing for which the California State University and community college districts are required, and the University of California is requested to grant priority registration for enrollment to a student who is a current and former member of the United States Armed Forces.	Chapter 146
SB-928	Cervantes	California State University: faculty employees	This bill requires that the instructor of record for a California State University (CSU) course be a person who is qualified to serve as a	Chapter 149

			faculty employee and explicitly requires that a CSU faculty employee be a person.	
SB-945	Weber Pierson	School curriculum: physical education framework: cardiopulmonary resuscitation: automated external defibrillators	This bill requires the Instructional Quality Commission to consider including content on the importance of compression-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation and automated external defibrillators, as specified, during the next regularly scheduled revision of the Physical Education Curriculum Framework.	Chapter 992
SB-959	Grayson	Average daily attendance: emergencies: major safety hazard	This bill, an urgency measure, authorizes a local fire agency to determine the imminence of a major safety hazard for purposes of holding a local educational agency's average daily attendance harmless for state funding purposes.	Chapter 773
SB-960	Cabaldon	Public postsecondary education: community colleges: statewide baccalaureate degree program	This bill, beginning January 1, 2028, (1) restructures the approval framework for California Community College baccalaureate degree programs. Limits the prohibition on duplication of California State University (CSU) programs to CSU campuses whose local service area includes or overlaps with the community college district's (CCD) territory, and creates an exception permitting duplication where the CSU campus program has had a transfer acceptance rate of less than 75% for three consecutive years; (2) retains the statewide prohibition on duplication of University of California programs; (3) establishes a five-tier eligibility framework that caps the number of baccalaureate degree programs a CCD may offer based on the district's award and transfer rate; (4) creates a role for the Secretary of Labor and Workforce Development in determining unmet workforce need and in resolving CSU objections; and (5) contains contingent enactment and double-jointing provisions tying the bill's operation to AB 2694 (Alvarez, 2026).	Chapter 320

SB-965	Blakespear	Public libraries: library cards	This bill, beginning January 1, 2028, (1) prohibits a public library from requiring that a parent or guardian be present for the issuance of a public library card to a California resident who is 16 or 17 years old and (2) permits a public library to require a parent's or guardian's consent or signature for the issuance of a library card to a California resident who is 16 or 17 years of age unless the minor is emancipated.	Chapter 737
SB-968	Becker	Community colleges: San Mateo County Community College District	This bill removes a sunset date of July 1, 2028, for statute that authorizes the governing board of the San Mateo County Community College District (SMCCCD) to adopt a policy to use local unrestricted general funds to provide fee waivers and other assistance to help cover the total cost of attendance for students residing within the boundary of SMCCCD.	Chapter 34
SB-998	Gonzalez, Fong, Ramos, Ward, Weber Pierson	Educational equity: discrimination prevention coordinators	This bill (1) establishes roles and responsibilities for the Religious Discrimination Prevention Coordinator, the Race and Ethnicity Discrimination Prevention Coordinator, the Gender Discrimination Prevention Coordinator, and the LGBTQ+ Discrimination Prevention Coordinator under the Office of Civil Rights (OCR); additionally (2) requires the OCR to employ a Disability Discrimination Prevention Coordinator to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate; (3) requires the OCR to employ a Deputy Coordinator on Anti-Black Racism, Anti-Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander (Anti-AANHPI) Discrimination, Anti-Latino Discrimination, and Anti-Native American Discrimination, respectively; and (4) requires each deputy coordinator to report directly to the Race and Ethnicity Discrimination Prevention Coordinator.	Chapter 670
SB-1017	Reyes	Pupils: foster youth: access to pupil records	This bill expands the existing list of individuals to whom a school district, if requested, must provide student record access to include a pupil aged 14 or older who is a foster youth, as specified.	Chapter 998

SB-1048	Becker	State Seal of Climate Literacy	This bill (1) establishes the voluntary State Seal of Climate Literacy (SSCL), allowing local educational agencies to create pathways towards climate literacy disciplines and reward students who have demonstrated mastery; (2) requires the Education Commissioner and State Board of Education to develop and adopt criteria for awarding the SSCL based on student coursework and experiential learning projects.	Chapter 819
SB-1058	McNerney	School districts: contracting: purchases for child nutrition programs	This bill makes clarifying changes to align statute—specifically relating to procurement bid solicitations and awards for school districts operating approved federal child nutrition programs—with federal procurement standards, which include removing a reference to price being the primary consideration for procurement bid solicitations and awards as well as correcting references to the Code of Federal Regulations.	Chapter 87
SB-1067	Weber Pierson	Pupil instruction: math assessments	This bill (1) requires the State Board of Education (SBE) to approve criteria for diagnostic assessments, considering specified factors, by July 31, 2027; (2) requires the California Department of Education (CDE) to post on its website an approved list of assessments that meet the SBE-developed criteria, from which local educational agencies (LEAs) must then select, by January 31, 2028; (3) requires LEAs to adopt one or more diagnostic assessments from the CDE published list by June 30, 2028; and (4) requires LEAs to annually assess, beginning in the 2028-29 school year, the mathematical knowledge and learning needs of kindergarten, 1st, and 2nd grade students using a diagnostic assessment.	Chapter 674
SB-1082	Niello	Pupil attendance: interdistrict transfers: agreements: policies.	This bill (1) requires a school district of proposed enrollment to begin review of an interdistrict transfer request upon receipt, if a parent or guardian of a student submits an interdistrict transfer request concurrently to a school district of proposed enrollment and a school district of residence; and (2) requires that either school district determines that a request for an interdistrict transfer is incomplete, the	Chapter 675

			school district shall notify the parent within 30 days of receipt of the application and identify missing information or documentation to process the request.	
SB-1083	Pérez	Noncertificated public school employees: private school employees: egregious misconduct: statewide data system: Commission on Teacher Credentialing: adverse actions: contracts and background checks for educational services	This bill (1) makes various changes to state law governing the investigation, reporting, and disclosure of egregious misconduct by noncertificated public school and private school employees; (2) revises the statewide data system and related responsibilities of the Commission on Teacher Credentialing, local educational agencies, and private schools; (3) expands background check and misconduct-screening requirements for contractors providing services to pupils; and (4) makes related changes to mandated reporter training requirements for private schools.	Chapter 676
SB-1107	Stern	School facilities: design-build: shade structures	This bill (1) authorizes school districts to bundle multiple comparable shade structure projects at different sites into a single design-build solicitation, subject to specified requirements, and (2) expands an existing exemption from accessible path-of-travel requirements under the California Building Standards Code for certain freestanding shade structures to also apply to shade structures that are integrated into playground equipment.	Chapter 1010
SB-1128	Stern	Pupils: technology-based materials: school-issued electronic devices	This bill (1) prohibits local educational agencies from requiring a pupil in kindergarten to take home a school issued electronic device; (2) requires the California Department of Education to curate and maintain on its website resources and guidance for the age-appropriate use of school-issued electronic devices in schools.	Chapter 191

SB-1133	Strickland	Pupil instruction: preventative health instruction	This bill requires the Instructional Quality Commission to consider including information on evidence-based preventative health instruction, as specified, at the next regularly scheduled revision of the Health Education Framework.	Chapter 120
SB-1140	Ashby	Pupil safety: limiting school access to unauthorized individuals	This bill requires the governing board or body of a local educational agency to ensure that the contract or contracts for any construction project taking place during school hours include security provisions that limit access to the construction site and keep unauthorized individuals off school property.	Chapter 421
SB-1154	Reyes	Public contracts: best value procurement: community college districts	This bill (1) authorizes community college districts to use the best value procurement method for public works projects over $1 million until December 31, 2030; (2) establishes related procedural requirements; and (3) requires participating districts to submit a report to the Legislature by January 1, 2030.	Chapter 323
SB-1188	Archuleta	Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps: establishment and eligibility	This bill (1) updates California's Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC) law by requiring a local educational agency (LEA) that offers a JROTC program to allow participation by eligible homeschooled pupils who reside within the LEA's attendance area; (2) directs the California Department of Education to post information on existing JROTC programs and related eligibility requirements online and provide annual implementation guidance.	Chapter 154
SB-1255	Reyes	Postsecondary education: Designation of California Hispanic-Serving Institutions	This bill establishes, upon appropriation, criteria and procedures for postsecondary educational institutions in California to receive a designation as a California Hispanic-Serving Institution for the purposes of recognizing institutions that excel at providing academic resources to Latino students.	Chapter 1023
SB-1328	Cervantes	Public postsecondary education: Equity in	This bill requires the California State University Trustees and each governing board of a community college district, and requests of the	Chapter 472

		Higher Education Act: campus contact	University of California Regents, to designate an employee as a point of contact for the needs of lesbian, gay, bisexual, asexual, pansexual, transgender, gender-nonconforming, intersex, and two-spirit faculty, staff, and students at a branch campus, satellite location, or site other than the main campus.	
SB-1347	Niello	Pupil health: emergency stock albuterol inhalers	This bill extends the authorization for school districts, county offices of education (COEs), and charter schools to provide and administer emergency stock albuterol inhalers, to apply to childcare programs operated by or under contract with a local educational agency (LEA), as specified, as well as their trained employees. This bill also authorizes pharmacies to furnish albuterol inhalers to an LEA, as specified.	Chapter 703
SB-1381	Cervantes	State special schools: information	This bill requires local educational agencies to provide parents and guardians of specified students with disabilities with information about state special schools, including the California Schools for the Deaf and the California School for the Blind, through annual parent notifications and during the individualized education program process.	Chapter 706
SB-1412	Rubio	Parental communication: teacher meetings	This bill provides that a parent, guardian, or educational rights holder of a student has the right to communicate with their child's teacher by telephone or a school-approved web conferencing platform, if a parent, guardian, or educational rights holder is unable to attend an individual meeting in person with a teacher about their child.	Chapter 736
SB-1443	Committee on Education	Elementary and secondary education: omnibus	This bill, the annual K-12 omnibus bill, makes numerous technical, clarifying, conforming, and other non-controversial revisions to a number of provisions related to education throughout statute.	Chapter 328

ELECTIONS & CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS				
AB-775	Fong	Behested payments: reporting	This bill requires officials to report behested payments on a quarterly basis directly to the Fair Political Practices Commission using its online system or to a local filing officer, under specified circumstances.	Chapter 870
AB-1116	Berman	Elections: voter registration	This bill requires by January 1, 2029, the Secretary of State (SOS) to develop a method to collect an electronic image of a signature from someone who does not have a California driver's license or a California identification card and is registering to vote electronically using the statewide voter registration system on the SOS' website. *VETO message: "This bill requires the Secretary of State to develop a method to allow voting-eligible individuals who do not have a California's driver's license or California identification card to register to vote electronically by January 1, 2029.* *While I support the author's goal of removing unnecessary barriers for eligible voters to register to vote, this bill would result in one-time and ongoing costs in the millions of dollars not included in the 2026 Budget Act.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant*	Vetoed

			fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."	
AB-1130	Berman, Blanca Rubio	Political Reform Act of 1974: campaign disclosures	This bill imposes administrative, civil, and criminal penalties for failure to include disclosure disclaimers when a campaign committee pays a person to post political content online in support of or opposition to candidates and measures.	Chapter 335
AB-1539	Addis	Presidential elections: qualifications for office	This bill requires, before the California Secretary of State (SOS) may place candidates for President and Vice President on the general election ballot, a representative of each political party to certify, under penalty of perjury, that the party's nominees for those offices are qualified under Amendment XXII to the U.S. Constitution.	Chapter 880
AB-1562	Jackson	Elections: precinct board members	This bill permits, until January 1, 2033, a county to adopt a system in which individuals are randomly selected to serve as poll workers. *VETO message: ""This bill authorizes a county to adopt a system to randomly select individuals to serve as precinct board members. This bill also establishes standards and guidelines for a county election official to follow in developing and implementing this system.* *I thank the author for his commitment to increasing civic engagement and participation in our democratic processes. If a county were to choose to implement a system consistent with this bill, it would require a tremendous amount of staff and financial resources. Given the unprecedented attacks on our election systems, I am concerned that while well-intentioned, this bill could inadvertently redirect resources away from local election officials administering free and fair elections."*	Vetoed

AB-1610	Ransom	Elections: notice	This bill creates uniform procedures for updating a voter's registration record when the voter changes their mailing address but not their residence address.	Chapter 532
AB-1664	Jackson, Berman	Elections: law enforcement investigations of election records or voting technology	This bill requires a local agency, political subdivision, or elections official to provide notice to the Secretary of State and the Attorney General immediately, but no later than one calendar day, after becoming aware of any warrant, subpoena, or active law enforcement investigation pertaining to the search, seizure, or retention of any election records or certified voting technology.	Chapter 336
AB-1736	Pellerin	Political Reform Act of 1974: lobbyist employers: fictitious appearances	This bill prohibits a lobbyist employer from creating a fictitious appearance of public favor or disfavor for a legislative or administrative action.	Chapter 71
AB-1789	Boerner	Political Reform Act of 1974: candidate trainings	This bill requires candidates and campaign treasurers beginning in 2029 to take a training course on the requirements of the Political Reform Act provided by the Fair Political Practices Commission.	Chapter 477
AB-1853	Pellerin, Berman	Voter information guide: candidate statements	This bill limits what a candidate can include in their statement in the voter information guide.	Chapter 554
AB-1919	Pellerin, Addis	Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District: transactions and use tax: qualified voter initiative	This bill permits the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District (SC Metro) to impose special taxes by an initiative.	Chapter 107
AB-1923	Soria	Local ballot measures: County of Fresno	This bill directs the board of supervisors to place an initiative on the November 3, 2026 general election ballot in Fresno County to extend for 30 years, and adopt a new spending plan for, the local transportation sales tax.	Chapter 108
AB-2153	Berman	Voter registration: residency	This bill repeals an obsolete provision of law related to residency confirmation of registered voters.	Chapter 112

		confirmation		
AB-2255	Pellerin	Political Reform Act of 1974: candidate controlled committees: campaign statements	This bill requires a candidate-controlled campaign committee to report additional information, if the candidate is not on the ballot at the next election or up for re-election and the committee makes expenditures to a single person of $20,000 or more.	Chapter 594
AB-2281	Berman	Office of Elections Cybersecurity	This bill requires the Secretary of State to assess whether additional state resources are needed to replace election cybersecurity resources previously provided by the federal government and permits the Office of Elections Cybersecurity to consult with academic researchers to develop best practices for protecting against threats to election cybersecurity.	Chapter 337
AB-2413	Ransom	Large-format public advertisements: public expense	This bill prohibits "large-format public advertisements" from being published or displayed at public expense. *VETO message: "The Political Reform Act (PRA) has specific rules about sending mass mailings that feature public officials at public expense, which may otherwise be construed as promotional political advertising instead of informational communications. This bill creates a similar new prohibition that prohibits a large-format public advertisement from being published or displayed if the ad features an elected official affiliated with the agency that prepared the ad and the costs of distribution or design of the ad were paid for with public funds.* *The author cites two main examples that warrant the need for this bill: (a) a billboard campaign paid for by the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District, which included large photos of locally elected board members and (b) physical and digital billboards along freeways and thoroughfares around Sacramento that include a photograph of Sacramento County Sheriff Jim Cooper.* *The Senate amendments provide that an elected official who is involved in the preparation of an ad that violates this bill is jointly and severally liable for the violation with the agency that prepared the ad. If the agency published or displayed an ad that violates this bill without the involvement of any elected official, the agency would be liable for that*	Chapter 940

			violation. This bill, as amended in the Senate, is consistent with prior Assembly actions. *California voters passed an initiative, Proposition 9, in 1974 that created the Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) and codified significant restrictions and prohibitions on candidates, officeholders and lobbyists. That initiative is commonly known as the PRA. Amendments to the PRA that are not submitted to the voters, such as those contained in this bill, must further the purposes of the initiative and require a two-thirds vote of both houses of the Legislature."*	
AB-2421	Valencia	Political Reform Act of 1974: committee termination	This bill terminates a campaign committee when the committee has a cash balance of $3,000 or less and has not filed a campaign report for at least the preceding 12 months.	Chapter 75
AB-2484	Alvarez	San Diego Metropolitan Transit System: transactions and use tax: voter initiatives	This bill permits the San Diego Metropolitan Transit System to adopt a retail transaction and use tax ordinance by an initiative.	Chapter 613
AB-2573	Sharp-Collins	Voter registration information: confidentiality	This bill modifies the program that makes confidential an elected official's or a candidate's voter registration record.	Chapter 622
AB-2592	Pacheco, Addis	Lobbyist ethics	This bill transfers from the Legislature to the Fair Political Practices Commission the duty to provide statutorily required training to lobbyists and prohibits a person from serving as a lobbyist for 12 years after a conviction for a crime of public corruption.	Chapter 479
AB-2604	Berman	Elections: ballot curing	This bill requires the Secretary of State to implement and make available to county election officials a system that allows voters to access electronic signature curing.	Chapter 628

AB-2655	Valencia	Campaign funds: security expenses: security personnel	This bill requires when campaign funds are used to pay for security personnel those personnel must be licensed by the State of California's Bureau of Security and Investigative Services.	Chapter 78
AB-2691	Addis	Elections: elective office: felony conviction	This bill prohibits a person convicted of felony human trafficking or sexual assault that requires the person to register as a tier three sex offender from running for or being elected to state or local office in California.	Chapter 480
AB-2785	Committee on Elections	Elections: redistricting information	This bill (1) requires the Legislature or an appropriate designee of the Legislature, in conjunction with the Secretary of State, to establish a secure electronic process for county election officials to submit required data and information for redistricting; (2) clarifies what data and information needs to be submitted.	Chapter 642
AB-2786	Committee on Elections	Elections	This bill expands the coordination between a lead county and other counties for the deadlines for specified ballot measure materials and makes technical changes.	Chapter 143
AJR-29	Berman	Voting by mail	This joint resolution states the Legislature's opposition to presidential Executive Order #14399 (EO) relating to vote by mail (VBM) voting and calls on the U.S. Congress to protect the constitutional authority of states to administer their own elections.	Resolution Chapter 195
SB-73	Cervantes, Umberg	Elections	This bill (1) restricts law enforcement agencies and officers from engaging in specified conduct related to elections; (2) clarifies that a person who is observing the processing of vote by mail ballots is prohibited from challenging whether signatures compare.	Chapter 10
SB-259	Wahab	Elections: vote by mail ballots	This bill (1) makes it a felony for a person with authority to direct a person subject to their supervision or authority to interfere with the delivery or return of a vote by mail (VBM) ballot; (2) makes it a	Chapter 331

			misdemeanor for a person who has charge of a VBM ballot to interfere with its delivery to a voter.	
SB-401	Hurtado	Political Reform Act of 1974: filing deadlines: emergency situations	This bill allows the Fair Political Practices Commission to extend any filing deadline under the Political Reform Act for an individual who lives in an area impacted by an emergency situation that is likely to affect the individual's ability to timely file.	Chapter 968
SB-715	Allen	Elections	This bill (1) provides more time to challenge a candidate's ballot designation by making numerous changes to the calendar deadlines that precede an election; (2) requires candidates to certify under penalty of perjury to the truth and accuracy of their ballot designations.	Chapter 978
SB-830	Arreguín, Wiener	Public Transit Revenue Measure District: revenue measure: election procedures	This bill (1) prescribes the measure designation and ballot position for a Public Transit Revenue Measure District tax measure on the November 2026 general election ballot; (2) provides a process for selecting the supporting and opposing arguments that appear in county voter guides.	Chapter 101
SB-884	Umberg, Cervantes	Elections in 2026 through 2029	This bill extends the time vote by mail drop off locations are open and modifies the type and range of prohibited activities near a polling location for elections held or proclaimed in 2026, 2027, 2028, and 2029.	Chapter 340
SB-900	McNerney	Political Reform Act of 1974: top contributors: disclosures	This bill changes the disclosures required in campaign advertisements to make them shorter and take up less space, including for those on billboards.	Chapter 659

SB-1164	Cervantes	Elections	This bill revises and expands the California Voting Rights Act of 2001 (CVRA) with a state voting rights act that seeks to protect voters from voter suppression and vote dilution.	Chapter 338
SB-1175	Rubio	Lobbyist registration and termination	This bill requires a lobbyist to file an amended lobbyist certification or a notice of lobbying termination directly with the Secretary of State, rather than with the lobbying firm or the lobbyist employer.	Chapter 682
SB-1360	Cervantes	Elections: translation of election materials	This bill increases language access services and the types of translated election-related materials for voters.	Chapter 339
SB-1369	Reyes	Recall petitions	This bill (1) requires a person who is being paid to gather signatures to qualify an initiative, referendum, or recall for the ballot to disclose orally to potential signers that they are being paid; (2) sets, for the recall of a superior court judge, the time period for getting the required number signatures on a recall petition at 120 days in jurisdictions with 50,000 or more registered voters.	Chapter 1029
SB-1389	Dahle	The Political Reform Act of 1974: late filing of reports	This bill extends the period of time for which the filer of a statement of economic interest may be fined for a late filing waived.	Chapter 159
SB-1414	Reyes	County of San Bernardino Citizens Redistricting Commission	This bill establishes the Citizens Redistricting Commission in the County of San Bernardino and tasks it with adjusting the supervisorial district boundaries following each federal decennial census.	Chapter 1037
SB-1418	Cervantes	Preservation of election materials	This bill (1) makes it a crime to take specified election materials or voting technology from the custody of election officials; (2) expands the types of materials required for preservation if an election contest or criminal proceeding is ongoing.	Chapter 341

SB-1420	Richardson	Vote by mail ballots and early voting	This bill (1) requires the Secretary of State to promulgate regulations establishing uniform procedures for election officials that allow a voter to vote their vote by mail (VBM) ballot at a polling location without the VBM ballot's identification envelope; and (2) requires information to be included in the state voter information guide about early in-person voting opportunities.	Chapter 342
SB-1429	Committee on Elections and Constitutional Amendments	Elections	This omnibus bill makes various changes to the Elections Code.	Chapter 114
SB-1430	Committee on Elections and Constitutional Amendments	Elections	This bill (1) conforms the Education Code and the Elections Code to provide the same 125-day deadline to adopt a resolution specifying the date and the purpose of an election; and (2) requires the resolution to be delivered to the county superintendent of schools and the officer conducting the election.	Chapter 115
SB-1431	Committee on Elections and Constitutional Amendments	Elections	This bill (1) deletes obsolete requirements for a military and overseas voter to apply for a vote by mail ballot; and (2) makes changes to the process a candidate follows in submitting nomination signatures.	Chapter 161
SB-1432	Committee on Elections and Constitutional Amendments	Political Reform Act of 1974	This bill (1) authorizes the Fair Political Practices Commission to have greater flexibility in classifying nonclerical positions; (2) expands the state offices for which a candidate must file their statement of intention online or electronically with the Secretary of State to include judicial offices; and (3) increases the minimum text size of a required statement to 10-point Roman boldface type.	Chapter 235
SJR-18	McNerney	Campaign finance reform	This joint resolution (1) memorializes the California Legislature's strong disagreement with the majority opinion of the United States Supreme Court in Citizens United v. Federal Election Commission; and (2)	Resolution Chapter 207

			encourages states to limit the powers of corporations to contribute to political campaigns.	

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT				
AB-1749	Dixon	Interfering with wildfire suppression and emergency responses with drone	This bill makes it unlawful to operate or use an unmanned aerial vehicle, remote piloted aircraft, or drone to knowingly or recklessly interfere with wildfire suppression efforts or incidents involving a temporary flight restriction issued by the Federal Aviation Administration and authorizes related civil enforcement action, as specified.	Chapter 762
AB-1832	Ransom	2-1-1 information and referral response system	This bill creates the 211 Fund in the State Treasury for the 211 system and related purposes, subject to appropriation by the Legislature, and directs the California Office of Emergency Services to allocate the funds as specified. *VETO message: "This bill, would upon appropriation, create the 211 Fund in the State Treasury for the 211 system and require the California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) to allocate funds to the California 211 Providers Network.* *I appreciate the author's goal to create a funding mechanism for 211 providers across the state; however, this bill would result in millions of dollars in ongoing costs for Cal OES to implement, as well as tens of millions of dollars of ongoing cost pressures to the state budget.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressure and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant*	Vetoed

			fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."	
AB-1836	Gabriel, Ward	California State Nonprofit Security Grant Program	This bill expands the pool of nonprofit organizations eligible to apply for grants from the California State Nonprofit Security Grant Program to include events hosted by nonprofit organizations and makes security for onsite or offsite events hosted by nonprofit organizations an approved use of the funds.	Chapter 441
AB-1934	Bennett	State Fire Marshal: home hardening certification program implementation plan	This bill directs the Wildfire Mitigation Advisory Committee within the Office of the State Fire Marshal to develop an implementation plan for a home hardening certification program by January 1, 2028.	Chapter 763
AB-1964	Bennett	State Fire Marshal: home hardening	This bill directs the Office of the State Fire Marshal to develop, by January 1, 2028, home hardening standards to identify whether a home is sufficiently hardened against fire risks, as specified, and compile a report, by January 1, 2030, that estimates the number of homes in specified fire hazard severity zones that meet these home hardening standards or require additional home hardening.	Chapter 765
AB-2341	Fong	Local government: emergency response services: use of languages other than English	This bill revises existing requirements for a local agency that provides emergency response services to translate information related to an emergency into non-English languages, as specified.	Chapter 170
AB-2411	McKinnor	California Olympic and Paralympic Public Safety Command: agreements with state and local agencies	This bill (1) requires the California Office of Emergency Services, to negotiate and enter into specified agreements related to the use of temporary deployment of in-state and out-of-state law enforcement personnel for the 2028 Olympic and Paralympic Games (2028 Games); (2) directs the Commission on Peace Officers Standards and Training to establish a streamlined training program for the use of out-of-state law enforcement personnel to assist local law enforcement agencies with operations during the 2028 Games, as specified.	Chapter 352
AB-2471	Committee on Emergency Management	Alfred E. Alquist Seismic Safety Commission	This bill modifies the membership and coordination authority of the Alfred E. Alquist Seismic Safety Commission.	Chapter 212

AB-2475	Committee on Emergency Management	Standardized emergency management system	This bill specifies reporting requirements that the California Office of Emergency Services and local agencies must complete following a declared emergency.	Chapter 610
AB-2543	Ransom	Emergency preparedness: fuel and transportation resources: assessment	This bill directs the California Office of Emergency Services to consult with the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission and the Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety to submit an assessment to the Legislature, by July 1, 2028, that evaluates the impact of emergencies on fuel and transportation access, identifies critical resources, and recommends state actions to ensure public safety and evacuation capabilities, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would require the Office of Emergency Services (OES), in consultation with the California Energy Commission and the Office of Energy Infrastructure Safety, to produce, by July 1, 2028, a statewide assessment evaluating how emergency events affect Californians' access to fuel and transportation resources, identifying essential resources across emergency types, and recommending actions the state should take to ensure fuel and transportation availability during disasters.* *I appreciate the author's intent to strengthen California's emergency preparedness and ensure continuity of critical mobility resources during emergencies. Maintaining access to fuel and transportation is essential to public health, safety, evacuation readiness, moving goods, and operation of critical infrastructure.* *However, a study of this scale would require substantial new staffing and technical expertise and far longer timelines than those set in the bill, and would divert the OES from core public safety missions by*	Vetoed

			assigning work more appropriately led by agencies with energy systems expertise such as the California Energy Commission. *My administration remains committed to ensuring that Californians have access to essential transportation and fuel resources during emergencies. We will continue pursuing approaches that strengthen resilience through existing statewide systems and partnerships."*	
AJR-27	Harabedian, Irwin	Federal disaster aid: 2025 Los Angeles fires	This resolution urges the President of the United States to immediately submit a supplemental disaster declaration to Congress to unlock supplemental funding for the 2025 Los Angeles firestorm recovery and calls on Congress to approve supplemental aid to support the County of Los Angeles.	Resolution Chapter 158
SB-804	Archuleta	Hydrogen Pipeline Safety Act	This bill establishes the Hydrogen Pipeline Safety Act to govern the regulation of pipelines that transport hydrogen, to be administered by the State Fire Marshal, as specified.	Chapter 981
SB-828	Cabaldon	Fireworks licenses and permits: disqualifying conditions: local jurisdictions	This bill increases oversight of fireworks licensees by the Office of the State Fire Marshal and local government jurisdictions.	Chapter 652
SB-1153	Caballero	Disaster preparedness: urban retail water suppliers and public water systems: wildfire	This bill (1) requires, beginning January 1, 2028, applicable urban retail water suppliers serving areas in a high or very high fire hazard severity zone to include wildfire-specific response procedures in their disaster preparedness plans, including any applicable federal plan; and (2) clarifies the liability limitations of public water systems when responding to wildfires, as specified.	Chapter 776

SB-1299	Arreguín	State Fire Marshal Fire Sprinkler Fitter Certification Act	This bill establishes certification and training requirements under the Office of the State Fire Marshal for individuals to perform work on fire suppression systems, as specified.	Chapter 692

ENERGY, UTILITIES & COMMUNICATION				
AB-34	Patterson	California Renewables Portfolio Standard Program: local publicly owned electric utilities: large hydroelectric generation	This bill clarifies eligibility related to future compliance periods of the Renewables Portfolio Standard (RPS) for local publicly owned electric utilities who have existing procurement of large hydroelectric energy resources, specifically extends beyond 2030 the ability to reduce their RPS compliance requirements up to the retail sales unserved by large hydroelectric energy resources.	Chapter 67
AB-353	Boerner	Public Utilities Commission: Inspector General	This bill requires the Governor to appoint an Inspector General, subject to Senate confirmation, to serve a six-year term, to be responsible for the oversight of the internal audit unit at the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) focused on improving accountability and transparency of executive and state management of the agency. *VETO message: "The bill would require the Governor to appoint an Inspector General of the Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to serve a six-year term and transfer the existing internal auditing functions to the new Inspector General.* *I understand the author's ambition to bring more oversight to the decisions made at, and programs administered by, the CPUC. However, this bill contains several flaws. Most significantly, it would compromise the Public Advocates Office's (Office) role as a robust advocate before the CPUC. By granting existing agency staff access to internal deliberations, work products, and litigation strategies, this measure would undermine the independence of the Office. Further, a reorganization of the CPUC at the scale envisioned by this bill would have significant fixed and operational costs in the tens of millions of dollars that are not included in this year's budget.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working*	Vetoed

			families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."	
AB-1301	Petrie-Norris	Electricity	This bill makes various changes to code regarding the California Public Utilities Commission and the California Energy Commission (CEC), including, but not limited to, (1) extending the sunset of the Energy Conservation Assistance Act from 2028 to 2038; (2) removing existing law that specifies that the CEC's Public Advisor must be an attorney; (3) exempting electrical cooperatives from provisions of the Public Utilities Act effective after January 1, 2027, unless statute expressly applies those provisions to electrical cooperatives.	Chapter 878
AB-1577	Bauer-Kahan	Data centers: reporting	This bill (1) requires the owner of a data center to submit specified information regarding the data center's energy consumption and operations to the California Energy Commission (CEC) and the local agencies permitting the construction of the data center; (2) sets limitations on the ability of the CEC and local agencies to disclose information submitted by data centers; (3) requires the CEC report on load impacts of data centers in the Integrated Energy Policy Report.	Chapter 434
AB-1715	Schiavo	Public utilities: reporting	This bill (1) requires quarterly reporting by electrical and natural gas corporations regarding federal funding received from federal or other funds; (2) requires the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to ensure any savings are delivered to customers; (3) requires the CPUC to impose penalties on electrical and natural gas corporations for failing to comply with the required reporting; (4) requires the CPUC to annually report to the Legislature information reported by electrical and gas corporations pursuant to the quarterly reports.	Chapter 372
AB-1761	Rogers	Electricity: calculation methodology:	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to ensure that all data serving as a basis for any decision or ruling issued	Vetoed

		nonbypassable charges: data disclosure	by the CPUC for the determination of a calculation methodology for any nonbypassable charge imposed on customers of a load-serving entity (LSE) for costs associated with contracts for generation resources or electrical corporation-owned generation is made available to LSEs, member association, and ratepayer advocates on behalf of customers. *VETO message: "This bill would require the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to disclose any data, including market-sensitive data, to load-serving entities and advocacy organizations concurrent with any proposal or analysis related to the Power Charge Indifference Account.* *I am concerned that this legislation will result in improper dissemination of market-sensitive information and benefit a limited subset of market participants.* *Fortunately, there are already processes in place at the CPUC to make applicable data available to the public and market participants using existing approved confidentiality procedures to review and evaluate the accuracy of all costs associated with contracts, utility-owned generation, and all other resources or value included in charges derived from these costs. The CPUC has worked with load serving entities to develop a process to access the requested information with proper guardrails to ensure confidentiality."*	
AB-1813	Ward	Electricity: customer renewable energy subscription program	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission to adopt or modify a customer renewable energy subscription program (commonly referred to as community solar program) with specified requirements by which a program participant is credited for electricity generated from a renewable generation facility and limits the program to seven years or four gigawatts, whichever comes first. *VETO message: "This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to adopt or modify a customer renewable energy subscription program under which a program participant is credited for*	Vetoed

			electricity generated from a renewable generation facility – such as an array of solar panels. *California leads the nation in the deployment of new electricity resources, largely due to the proliferation of solar energy up and down the state. This year, we hit a new milestone – for the first time, Californians used more solar than natural gas during the first half of 2026. The state also has more distributed, small-scale solar capacity than any state in the nation, and has dedicated over $1 billion in subsidies towards community and low-income renewable energy programs.* *While I appreciate the author's goal of making solar even more accessible at a community level, this bill is structurally flawed. It would effectively require an administratively set price for the generation of power that exceeds the value that generation provides to the grid. This would result in significant upward pressure on consumer energy bills – the independent Public Advocates Office estimates the bill could cost ratepayers an additional $1.5 billion annually – without delivering reliable, high-performance capacity to the grid at the times we need it.* *Fundamentally, this bill would shift costs and work counter to the state's energy affordability and reliability goals."*	
AB-2065	Petrie-Norris	Rates: prohibited cost recovery	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission to assess specified penalties on electrical corporations, gas corporations, water corporations or sewer system corporations if they record costs in financial accounts that are prohibited from being recovered from ratepayers or the cost is already authorized for recovery through another ratemaking mechanism.	Chapter 919
AB-2111	Papan	Electricity: transmission planning and transmission facilities	This bill requires various actions to better incorporate uncertainty and risk in resource portfolio planning to inform transmission planning. This bill requires the California Energy Commission (CEC) and the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC), in coordination with the California Independent System Operator (CAISO), on or before January 1, 2028, to incorporate specified requirements into an update to the	Chapter 382

			Memorandum of Understanding regarding transmission and resource planning adopted by the CEC, CPUC, and CAISO from December 23, 2022, and any related workplan.	
AB-2124	Pacheco, Bauer-Kahan	Electricity and natural gas: legislation imposing mandated programs and requirements: third-party review	This bill requires the California Council on Science and Technology (CCST), upon appropriation, to establish a program to analyze, at the request of the Legislature, legislation that would establish a mandated program or requirement or otherwise affect electrical or natural gas ratepayers. *VETO message: "This bill would require the CCST to create a program to review pending legislation upon request by legislators for impacts related to electricity or natural gas ratepayers.* *The Legislature already employs professional staff to analyze pending legislation, and their work should include the potential impacts on ratepayers. Additionally, the Legislature has access to the resources and analysis of the Legislative Analyst's Office, which could also achieve the goals of this bill. Lastly, the resources required to implement this bill were not considered in the context of this year's budget agreement.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	Vetoed
AB-2163	Jeff Gonzalez	Energy: Strategic Clean Energy and Critical Mineral Development Zones	This bill (1) establishes a framework at the California Energy Commission (CEC) for designating Strategic Clean Energy and Critical Mineral Development Zones at the county-level; (2) requires various state agencies and the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development to consider these zones when administering programs related to critical mineral supply chains, clean energy, manufacturing, and workforce and economic development.	Chapter 583

AB-2175	Garcia	Renewable electrical generation facilities: multiple meters: aggregation: logistics businesses and manufacturing businesses	This bill explicitly states logistics and manufacturing businesses are eligible customer-generators for the Net Billing Tariff-Aggregation program, should the California Public Utilities Commission determine to extend the program.	Chapter 94
AB-2266	Schultz	Electricity: load-serving entities	This bill (1) requires the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC), on or before January 1, 2030, to consider a process to consolidate specified energy procurement plans submitted by load serving entities to the CPUC; (2) requires the CPUC, when feasible, to consolidate specified compliance reporting requirements.	Chapter 389
AB-2313	Berman	Gas corporations: gas distribution service line replacements: alternatives	This bill establishes the Home Energy Choice Act, which requires the California Public Utilities Commission to solicit proposals for, and require each gas corporation to offer, a Gas Distribution Service Line Replacement Alternatives Program, on or before January 1, 2028, to provide certain residential gas customers served by a gas distribution service line that will be replaced with a monetary incentive to deploy gas distribution service line replacement alternatives and cease gas service to avoid the gas distribution service line replacement.	Chapter 934
AB-2369	Rogers	Electricity: energy storage: energy-only resources	This bill requires specified actions to increase the opportunities for the deployment of energy-only resources, including requiring California's energy agencies provide transmission-focused information to the California Independent System Operator to identify cost-effective opportunities to increase the reliability contribution or mitigate congestion of planned or existing energy-only resources through transmission capacity expansions. *VETO message: "This bill makes energy-only resources eligible to satisfy long-term planning and procurement requirements under the Integrated Resource Plan and would designate energy-only resources as long-lead-time resources for purposes of the California Independent System Operator's (CAISO) interconnection process.* *Increasing the role of "energy-only" resources in state procurement and transmission planning is an important goal, and I appreciate the*	Vetoed

			author's work on this issue. However, this bill is premature. The CAISO is currently studying the potential of energy-only resources as part of the 2026–2027 Transmission Planning Process, with results expected in November 2026. These results will inform the California Public Utilities Commission's development of the new Reliable and Clean Power Procurement Program, which seeks to align requirements of long-term procurement planning, resource adequacy, and other processes. This bill would predetermine the treatment of these energy-only resources before that essential work is complete."	
AB-2383	Zbur	Electricity: data centers	This bill (1) requires the California Public Utilities Commission to establish electrical corporation tariffs by January 1, 2028, for transmission and distribution and generation services for certain data centers; (2) specifies requirements these tariffs must meet, including, but not limited to, establishing requirements for data centers to pay for certain utility costs resulting from their interconnection in a manner that prevents an electrical corporation from assessing these costs on other ratepayers; (3) requires Community Choice Aggregators to adopt generation tariffs for data centers that provide protections similar to those required in this bill for electrical corporation tariffs.	Chapter 435
AB-2458	Bennett	Energy: appliance standards and cost-effective measures	This bill extends the California Energy Commission's water and energy appliance efficiency standards to appliances that are sold, rented, imported, distributed, or leased, or offered for sale, rental, importation, distribution, or lease.	Chapter 171
AB-2463	Petrie-Norris	Public Utilities Commission: rates: cost of capital proceeding: authorized return on equity	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC), in any proceeding in which the CPUC considers and determines an authorized return on equity (ROE) for an electrical corporation or gas corporation, to be known as the cost of capital proceeding, that results in a decision issued on or after December 31, 2030, to include its own assessment of the proposals submitted by the parties and specified information, including the financial model the CPUC relied upon in determining the authorized ROE.	Chapter 943
AB-2476	Ellis	Electricity: integrated resource plans: Department of Water Resources: procurement	This bill eliminates the requirement that a pumped storage hydroelectric facility be directly appropriated funding by the state before January 1, 2023, in order for the Department of Water Resources to procure resources from the facility as part of the central procurement function.	Chapter 302
AB-2493	Petrie-Norris	Electrical	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission to require	Chapter 944

		corporations: interconnection: Public Utilities Commission: transmission development monitor	specific actions to help accelerate interconnection of generating resources to electrical transmission facilities.	
AB-2505	Carrillo	Electrical corporations: hydrogen refueling stations	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission to establish a limited-time tariff that authorizes an electrical corporation to make distribution investments necessary to install a separate electric meter at a hydrogen refueling station serving heavy-duty vehicles.	Chapter 946
AB-2518	Sharp-Collins	San Diego Gas and Electric Company: energization pilot program	This bill establishes a five-year pilot program regarding timelines to energize specified customers within the San Diego Gas & Electric service territory.	Chapter 616
AB-2589	Irwin	Public utilities: rates: changes to federal law	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission to evaluate the full effect on public utilities' tax liabilities of the changes to corporate tax federal law and explicitly includes those changes as enacted by the One Big Beautiful Bill Act, federal House Resolution 1 (Public Law 119-21).	Chapter 625
AB-2618	Connolly	Public Utilities Commission: commissioners: employment	This bill prohibits a California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) commissioner from obtaining employment by an entity regulated by the CPUC for two years after the end of the commissioner's term of office.	Chapter 630
AB-2647	Calderon	Energy: nuclear powerplants: assessment	This bill requires the California Energy Commission, on or before July 1, 2028, to prepare a comprehensive assessment of the potential role for advanced nuclear technologies in supporting critical infrastructure in California, and of the potential for new, in-state nuclear powerplants to cost-effectively meet the expressed policy of 100% zero-carbon and renewable energy resources by 2045.	Chapter 830
AB-2700	Patterson	Public Utilities Commission:	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission, on or before January 1, 2028, to generate a report assessing the verified restitution	Chapter 959

		electrical corporations: wildfire victim restitution shortfalls: report: restitution mechanisms	shortfalls for victims of wildfires caused by electrical corporations occurring before July 12, 2019, and to recommend restitution mechanisms for electrical corporations to address restitution shortfalls, as provided.	
AB-2790	Committee on Communications and Conveyance	California Teleconnect Fund Administrative Committee Fund program	This bill expands the scope of educational facilities eligible for discounted internet services through the California Teleconnect Fund to include school districts, community college districts, county offices of education serving preschools, transitional kindergarten, public library systems, and noninstructional facilities operated or contracted by qualifying schools and libraries, including data centers and administrative offices for eligible educational and library facilities.	Chapter 643
SB-327	McNerney, Wahab	Public utilities: review of accounts: electrical and gas corporations: rates: political influence activities	This bill (1) explicitly prohibits certain political influence activities and expenses by electrical or gas corporations, those related to opposing efforts to municipalize energy utility service, from being recorded in certain accounts and having the costs recovered from ratepayers; (2) states the Public Advocates Office has the same authority as the California Public Utilities Commission to discover information and review the accounts of public utilities.	Chapter 645
SB-667	Archuleta	Railroads: safety: report	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission to evaluate a list of hazardous railroad sites by July 1, 2029, and determine whether changes to railroad operations, conditions and safety data warrant modifications to the list.	Chapter 316
SB-742	Pérez	Electricity: electrical infrastructure: permanently abandoned transmission facilities:	This bill requires (1) specified actions of the California Public Utilities Commission to address safety, including wildfire risks, of electrical corporation's abandoned transmission facilities, transmission facilities that are permanently out-of-service; (2) requires wildfire mitigation of abandoned transmission facilities as part of an electrical corporation's	Chapter 769

		emergency response: liaisons	wildfire mitigation plan; and (3) requires coordination by electric utilities with local emergency operations centers.	
SB-868	Wiener	Electricity: portable solar generation devices	This bill (1) exempts, until January 1, 2030, portable solar devices, as defined, from requirements in state law and electric utility rules regarding connecting to the electrical distribution system, known as interconnection; (2) prohibits, beginning January 1, 2030, the sale of devices that do not meet the safety and certification requirements of this bill.	Chapter 985
SB-886	Padilla, McNerney	California Technology Innovation and Ratepayer Protection Act	This bill (1) requires the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to adopt new tariffs and update existing electric rules to ensure that utility costs for serving data centers are not shifted to other ratepayers; (2) requires the CPUC to adopt a transmission interconnection tariff for data centers seeking retail electric service at the transmission level and specifies requirements this tariff must include; (3) authorizes tariffed data centers to participate in a demand response program established for data centers by the CPUC; (4) specifies that this demand response program shall not result in any net costs to non-tariffed electric customers.	Chapter 438
SB-905	Becker	Electricity	This bill proposes several policies with the intent to address electricity utility bill affordability, including requiring an evaluation of alternative financing for electrical corporation infrastructure projects and requiring the California Public Utilities Commission to determine whether to assign a reduced return on equity applicable to specified categories of capital costs.	Chapter 986
SB-913	Becker	Resource adequacy: aggregated distributed energy resources	This bill proposes policy changes to authorize and expand the use of aggregated distributed energy resources to satisfy resource adequacy requirements.	Chapter 987

SB-925	McNerney	Fusion energy: State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission: strategic plan: certification and environmental review	This bill requires a strategic plan by December 31, 2029 for the development of nuclear fusion facilities and expands the types of facilities eligible to be certified as environmental leadership development projects by the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission (California Energy Commission (CEC)) to include a discretionary project for the manufacture, production, or assembly of specialized products, components, or systems that are integral to fusion energy.	Chapter 831
SB-952	Laird	State Water Project: renewable energy resources and zero-carbon resources	This bill authorizes the State Water Project, beginning on January 1, 2036, to apply excess procurement of eligible renewable energy resources and zero-carbon resources in one year to any subsequent year's obligation to serve 100% of its load with renewable and zero-carbon energy resources.	Chapter 175
SB-1098	Pérez	Public Utilities Commission: memorandum and balancing accounts	This bill requires specified actions by the California Public Utilities Commission to reduce electrical and gas corporations' use of memorandum and balancing accounts, mechanisms to recover costs that are outside the primary budgets of the utility's general rate case.	Chapter 1008
SB-1158	Stern	Energy: reliability planning assessment	This bill requires specified information to be included in a required quarterly energy reliability report.	Chapter 1012
SB-1168	McNerney	Data centers: rate structures	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission to assess opportunities for rate structures to address specified rate impacts associated with data centers.	Chapter 440
SB-1191	Ochoa Bogh	Communications: universal service programs	This bill extends the operation of the California High-Cost Funds (CHCF-A and CHCF-B) from January 1, 2028, to January 1, 2033.	Chapter 683

SB-1196	McNerney, Wahab	Small energization projects: electrical service connections	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission, by September 30, 2027, to establish timelines for electrical corporations to respond to, and process requests to, energize small energization projects (including certain accessory dwelling units).	Chapter 684
SB-1337	Richardson	State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission: air districts and local governments: transportation fuels refining facilities: memoranda of understanding	This bill requires the California Energy Commission (CEC), on or before January 31, 2029, to seek to enter into a memoranda of understanding with relevant air districts and local governments with transportation fuels refining facilities within their jurisdictions, as identified by the CEC, to enable the further coordination that is needed to support management of the transportation fuels sector.	Chapter 700
SB-1350	McNerney	Energy: renewable electrical generation facilities: definition	This bill specifies that turbines using hydrogen can be considered a renewable electrical generation facility for the purpose of the Renewables Portfolio Standard if the turbine facility meets specified criteria.	Chapter 35
SB-1359	Stern	Natural Gas Ratepayer Protection Act	This bill (1) requires the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to consider a framework for the depreciation of gas distribution infrastructure that reflects reasonably foreseeable changes in gas demand; and (2) requires the CPUC to provide specified annual reporting regarding expenditures associated with gas distribution infrastructure projects.	Chapter 1026
SB-1417	Pérez	Mutual water companies: assessments and water charges: notice	This bill includes various provisions to provide greater transparency and public notice requirements regarding proposed water charge increases by mutual water companies.	Chapter 1038

ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY				
AB-28	Schiavo	Solid waste landfills: subsurface temperatures	This bill (1) establishes a protocol for the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) to require a corrective action plan in the event of a subsurface elevated temperature event at a landfill; (2) authorizes the Secretary of the California Environmental Protection Agency to establish a multiagency coordination group (MCG) to investigate and provide recommendations for addressing a landfill's subsurface elevated temperature event; (3) specifies that CalRecycle may impose a penalty of up to $100,000 per day to landfill operators that do not follow the requirements of the corrective action plan or recommendations of the MCG, among other provisions.	Chapter 356
AB-40	Bonta	California Environmental Quality Act: environmental impact reports: coal handling, storage, and export	This bill requires that new projects for the handling, storage, or export of more than five million tons per year of coal be reviewed in an environmental impact report (EIR) under the California Environmental Quality Act and that certain conditions, including changing the type of coal or increasing the quantity of coal handled, stored, or exported, triggers a subsequent EIR, among other provisions.	Chapter 864
AB-643	Wilson	Climate change: short-lived climate pollutants: organic waste reduction	This bill allows a local jurisdiction to count organic material used as a beneficial agricultural amendment for up to 10% of its recovered organic waste procurement target if the material meets specified conditions.	Chapter 358
AB-762	Irwin	Disposable, battery-embedded vapor inhalation device: prohibition and penalties	This bill prohibits the manufacture, import, sale, distribution, or offering for sale disposable, battery-embedded vapor inhalation devices containing a tobacco product.	Chapter 717

AB-864	Ward	Hazardous waste: solar photovoltaic modules	This bill requires the Department of Toxic Substances Control to hold a working group to solicit feedback on the applicability of the federal transfer based exclusion from regular hazardous waste regulation for solar panels, and to subsequently consider the feedback and potentially author regulations to adopt the transfer-based exclusion and apply it to end-of-life photovoltaic modules.	Chapter 872
AB-904	Aguiar-Curry	Carpet recycling	This bill makes numerous substantive changes to the carpet extended producer responsibility program, including (1) adding reporting requirements to grants allocated to apprenticeship programs; (2) requiring $2 million be allocated to apprenticeship programs; (3) requiring that the carpet assessment be external.	Chapter 508
AB-1153	Bonta	Illegal disposal site abatement	This bill authorizes the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) to, upon appropriation, fund the disposal of abandoned recreational vehicles, and the development of enforcement strategies, including development of local enforcement teams and illegal dumping enforcement officers.	Chapter 194
AB-1440	Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials	Pesticide testing	This bill extends the sunset, from January 1, 2027, to January 1, 2030, on the data reporting and medical supervisor registration requirements of the agricultural pesticide worker protection program known as the California Medical Supervision Program.	Chapter 196
AB-1600	Arambula	Disadvantaged communities: farmworker communities	This bill requires California Environmental Protection Agency to make findings on barriers to investment opportunities in farmworker communities and to consider identifying these communities as disadvantaged pursuant to those findings.	Chapter 529
AB-1603	Schultz	Perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS):	This bill requires the Department of Pesticide Regulation to indicate if a pesticide contains per- or polyfluoroalkyl substances pesticide	Chapter 531

		Department of Pesticide Regulation	ingredients in the pesticide use reporting database and submit a list of those pesticides to the County Agricultural Commissioners.	
AB-1604	Stefani	Product safety: proofs of purchase: intentionally added bisphenols	This bill prohibits the provision or manufacture of a paper proof of purchase (receipt) containing intentionally added bisphenol A (BPA), on or after January 1, 2028, or containing any intentionally added bisphenol, on or after January 1, 2029.	Chapter 882
AB-1617	Alanis	Household hazardous waste: reporting	This bill requires a public agency, responsible for household hazardous waste management, to submit the Form 303 Household Hazardous Waste Collection Report (Form 303) to specified local and state agencies on or before October 1 of each year with reporting information for the prior calendar year.	Chapter 199
AB-1642	Harabedian	Wildfires: contamination standards	This bill requires the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) and the California Air Resources Board to develop regulations and guidance for testing, remediation, and restoration of wildfire smoke contamination, as specified, and DTSC to develop advisory guidance for schools to support local educational agencies after a wildfire.	Chapter 239
AB-1732	Alvarez, Wicks	California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: affordable housing projects: public university or public college housing projects	This bill adds public university and college housing projects (for students, faculty, and staff) to an existing California Environmental Quality Act exemption for affordable housing projects and extends the exemption's sunset from 2033 to 2037.	Chapter 792
AB-1901	Berman	Children’s diapers: intentionally added ingredients: disclosure	This bill (1) requires, by January 1, 2028, manufacturers of children's diapers to list on their web page all intentionally added ingredients in children’s diapers; (2) requires, by July 1, 2029, packages of children’s diapers to include a list of all intentionally added ingredients in the diapers.	Chapter 719

AB-2059	Wilson	California Environmental Quality Act: transportation impacts: vehicle miles traveled: mitigation	This bill specifies that for purposes of the California Environmental Quality Act, a transportation project is presumed to have a less than significant transportation impacts as determined by the Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) metric if the project meets certain criteria: this provision will sunset once the California Department of Transportation publishes guidance on VMT mitigation for transportation projects meeting that same criteria.	Chapter 576
AB-2152	Mark González, Wicks	California Environmental Quality Act: essential local fire station projects: infrastructure project streamlining	This bill establishes expedited administrative and judicial review procedures under the California Environmental Quality Act for "essential local fire station projects," requiring the courts to resolve lawsuits within 270 days, to the extent feasible.	Chapter 767
AB-2231	Ahrens	California Environmental Quality Act: hospital projects	This bill establishes expedited administrative and judicial review procedures under the California Environmental Quality Act for an "environmental leadership hospital campus project" in the city of Santa Clara, requiring the courts to resolve lawsuits within 270 days, to the extent feasible.	Chapter 926
AB-2234	Papan	California Environmental Quality Act: geothermal exploratory projects	This bill modifies the definition of “geothermal exploratory project” to include equipment and activities necessary to establish interconnectivity between wells and reservoir and to specify the features the one-half mile distance between a geothermal exploratory project well and a geothermal development well is measured from.	Chapter 927
AB-2253	Boerner	Solid waste: products: recycled content claims	This bill requires voluntary recycled content claims on labels does not exceed the amount of third-party certified recycled content introduced into the manufacturer’s or supplier’s overall supply stream for the material used in that product line, and specifies that only certain chains of custody models can be used to make recycled content claims. *VETO message: “This bill would require certain recycled-content documentation obligations to apply to all products making recycled-content claims, beginning in 2030.* *I share the author's goal of ensuring that environmental marketing claims are accurate and that consumers can trust the products they buy. However, I am concerned that expanding these documentation*	Vetoed

			requirements will unduly burden manufacturers and suppliers already facing economic headwinds caused by federal tariff and trade policy actions. Adding new, complex compliance requirements at this time risks compounding these pressures, with little benefit to consumers."	
AB-2349	Solache	State Air Resources Board: regional air quality incident response program	This bill requires the California Air Resources Board to expand its incident air monitoring program to provide support for a regional network of air quality incident response centers operated by local air districts in order to facilitate emergency air monitoring response at the local and regional level. *VETO message: "This bill would require (ARB) to expand its incident air monitoring program.* *While I share the author's goal of expanding emergency air monitoring, the proposed program requires significant resources not included in this year's budget.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	Vetoed
AB-2481	Soria	Beverage containers: recycling: glass: quality incentive payments	This bill allows Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to use any money left in the quality incentive payments on an annual basis to in-state manufacturers of glass products other than beverage containers.	Chapter 403
AB-2559	Ward	Solid waste: construction debris: diversion: deposits	This bill requires local governments to reimburse persons' or entities' construction demolition deposits up to three years after the final inspection of the project has been completed.	Chapter 97
AB-2635	Celeste Rodriguez	Air pollution: small off-road engines:	This bill (1) requires large and medium air districts, as defined, to offer commercial vouchers for zero-emission small off-road equipment	Vetoed

		voucher programs: local regulation	(SORE), as specified; (2) prohibits air districts from collecting or disclosing specified information from applicants; (3) limits penalties for violations of local ordinances, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill requires local air districts to implement a commercial voucher program to support the transition to zero-emission small off-road equipment.* *Small off-road engines are a significant source of harmful air pollution, particularly in communities already burdened by poor air quality. While I share the author's goal of helping marginalized communities transition to zero-emission equipment, this bill duplicates existing state and local air district programs. Under my administration, in partnership with the Legislature, we provided $30 million to incentivize the purchase of nearly 30,000 pieces of zero-emission landscape equipment. Additionally, zero-emission landscape equipment is now widely available from many manufacturers, which will further increase market competition."*	
AB-2667	Hadwick, Wicks	Vape products: household hazardous waste: advertising	This bill (1) requires the Department of Toxic Substances Control to evaluate opportunities for the safe management of confiscated vape pens at a school; (2) authorizes the management of confiscated vapes from schools; (3) prohibits anyone from selling, marketing, advertising, or distributing a vape product if the vape product appeals to minors, as specified.	Chapter 722
AB-2674	Schiavo	State Air Resources Board: internet website: methane emissions data	This bill requires the California Air Resources Board to post on its internet website temperature and monitoring data received by the state board regarding methane emissions from landfills.	Chapter 406

AB-2776	Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials	Hazardous materials	This bill (1) makes various technical changes to the unified hazardous waste and hazardous materials management regulatory programs that are overseen by the Certified Unified Program Agencies; and (2) adds reporting authorizations for the Board of Environmental Safety.	Chapter 408
AB-2777	Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials	State Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund program: loans: outdoor eating areas: water reuse	This bill (1) authorizes the State Water Resources Control Board to assess a fee instead of interest for financial assistance services when administering loans under the Clean Water State Revolving Fund; and (2) makes a technical change to recently enacted legislation dealing with recycled water.	Chapter 639
SB-58	Padilla	Air quality: standard: hydrogen sulfide	This bill requires the California Air Resources Board (CARB) to develop a response framework to address hydrogen sulfide gas, as described, and the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) to update and develop health-based levels for hydrogen sulfide, if necessary.	Chapter 411
SB-299	Cabaldon	California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: day care center: zoning	This bill establishes a California Environmental Quality Act exemption for day care centers located in residential areas, while excluding projects located within 3,200 feet of a facility that actively extracts or refines oil or natural gas and projects located on natural and protected lands, as defined.	Chapter 413
SB-344	Weber Pierson	California Environmental Quality Act: City of San Diego: mixed-use development project	This bill declares the City of San Diego's Midway Rising Specific Plan Subsequent Environmental Impact Report, which is pending certification by the City, fully complies with the California Environmental Quality Act.	Chapter 786
SB-501	Allen	Responsible Battery Recycling Act of	This bill expands the Responsible Battery Recycling Act of 2022 to include medium format batteries.	Chapter 414

		2022: covered batteries		
SB-615	Allen	Vehicle traction batteries	This bill requires, by July 1, 2028, a battery supplier to include on a new vehicle traction battery sold in the state a permanent label containing specified information.	Chapter 351
SB-633	Blakespear	Plastic beverage containers: recycling	This bill requires a beverage manufacturer to include, as part of their annual reporting to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery for the Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act, to report the amount in pounds of imported postconsumer recycled content plastic used by the manufacturer for plastic beverage containers for sale in the state in the previous calendar year, along with a third party certification and an increase in the fine for failing to comply with existing postconsumer recycled content requirements.	Chapter 315
SB-675	Padilla	Imperial County Air Pollution Control District: members and duties	This bill (1) restructures the governing board of the Imperial County Air Pollution Control District from the five-member county board of supervisors to an 11-member board consisting of one county, five city, and four public members, effective July 1, 2027; and (2) imposes several new reporting and planning duties on the district *VETO Message: "This bill would restructure the governing board of the Imperial County Air Pollution Control District (APCD) and impose new reporting and planning duties.* *The Imperial County APCD plays a critical role in improving air quality and protecting public health in a county disproportionately impacted by severe air quality challenges. While increasing representation and*	Vetoed

			transparency on governing boards is important work, change of this magnitude requires sufficient support and resources. *I am concerned that this bill would impose significant new financial obligations on the County, its cities, and ultimately its residents, without identifying a funding source to meet them."*	
SB-795	Archuleta	Air pollution: gasoline vapor control systems: ethanol blends	This bill (1) makes changes to gasoline dispensing equipments certification process to dispense gasoline with up to 15% ethanol, as well as other technical and conforming changes; (2) requires the State Fire Marshal to adopt emergency regulations to allow its sale.	Chapter 345
SB-811	Caballero	Hazardous materials: metal shredding facilities	This bill (1) requires the owner or operator of a metal shredding facility to obtain a permit from the Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC); (2) prohibits a metal shredding facility from operating in the state without a permit; (3) includes within the permit: requirements for managing various wastes within and leaving the facility, measures to prevent fires, and measures to reduce impacts to communities near the facility; (4) provides that local and state regulators retain enforcement authority with respect to metal shredding facilities, as that authority exists under current law.	Chapter 982
SB-872	McNerney	Delta Levees and Canal Subsidence Fund	This bill establishes the Delta Levees and Canal Subsidence Fund in the State Treasury to provide funding for capital projects to restore the design capacity of the State Water Project and improve existing levees in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. *VETO Message: "This bill establishes the Delta Levees and Canal Subsidence Fund (Fund) to support multi-benefit levee projects and capital improvements to water conveyance systems impacted by subsidence in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, and requires the*	Vetoed

			Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Conservancy (Conservancy) to establish an advisory committee to make recommendations for projects to be supported by the Fund. *In this year's budget, in partnership with the Legislature, we allocated $68 million to mitigate subsidence on the state's aqueducts and canals, $75 million for projects that repair levees and improve flood protection and climate resiliency in the Delta, $20.2 million to the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Conservancy to reduce the risks of climate change impacts on communities, fish and wildlife, and natural resources, and $7.9 million to pay for mitigation costs associated with the Delta levee projects.* *This bill would establish parameters for spending revenue from a Fund that did not receive resources in this year's budget. While well-intentioned, this bill is unnecessary."*	
SB-883	Umberg	Hazardous materials: reactive chemicals: methyl methacrylate: facilities	This bill prohibits a city or county from approving a building permit for a reactive chemical storage facility, as specified, unless the facility meets specified conditions and deems methyl methacrylate to be a regulated substance under the California Accidental Release and Prevention Program.	Chapter 658
SB-887	Padilla	California Environmental Quality Act: environmental leadership development projects: data centers:	This bill (1) provides that the California Environmental Quality Act applies to data center projects, as defined; (2) adds data center projects meeting specified conditions and geothermal projects, to existing judicial streamlining provisions for Environmental Leadership Development Projects.	Chapter 439

		geothermal powerplant projects		
SB-954	Blakespear	California Environmental Quality Act: advanced manufacturing facilities: exemption	This bill (1) excludes 'habitat for protected species' from a number of California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) exemptions introduced in SB 131 (Chapter 24, Statutes of 2025), and (2) adds further eligibility criteria to the CEQA exemption for 'advanced manufacturing,' including that the exemption be restricted to final tier manufacturing as defined. *VETO Message: "This bill would revise several California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) exemptions enacted last year, including repealing the exemption for advanced manufacturing facilities. The bill replaces it with a substantially narrower exemption limited to final-tier manufacturing facilities that meet numerous new siting, emissions, building, operational, technological, and procedural requirements.* *Just last year, we enacted the most significant reforms of California housing and environmental review law in decades a long-overdue overhaul to get California building again. While I appreciate the author's stated intent to ensure these reforms do not result in unintended adverse impacts on the environment, this bill does not merely clarify or refine the existing exemption. It repeals the CEQA exemption for advanced manufacturing facilities. Further, the bill's numerous new siting, operational, and emissions requirements would make the narrower exemption impractical for many of the projects it was intended to support.* *Protecting communities and strengthening California's advanced manufacturing economy are not mutually exclusive goals. The exemption was designed to advance both and should be given a*	Vetoed

			meaningful opportunity to work. If implementation reveals problems, they should be addressed through targeted, evidence-based changes, not by preemptively rolling back our progress."	
SB-955	Blakespear	Beverage containers: supermarkets: reverse vending machines	This bill (1) precludes a reverse vending machine from serving a convenience zone; and (2) redefines "supermarket" to grocery stores with more than $6 million of gross annual sales regardless of the presence of a bakery or deli.	Chapter 319
SB-958	Weber Pierson	California Environmental Quality Act: environmental impacts: building height	This bill, for purposes of the California Environmental Quality Act, provides that building height is not a significant impact on the environment for specified non-industrial infill projects.	Chapter 788
SB-1008	Ochoa Bogh	California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: railroad grade crossing closure	This bill re-establishes a California Environmental Quality Act exemption for the Public Utilities Commission's closure of a railroad crossing.	Chapter 151
SB-1064	Dahle	Heavy-Duty Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program: testing	This bill (2) limits the frequency of Clean Truck Check testing for all non-gasoline heavy-duty on-road motor vehicles that are considered low use, as defined; and (2) requires the California Air Resources Board to adopt rules and regulations implementing the change. *VETO Message: "This bill would reduce required testing under the California Air Resources Board's (CARB) Clean Truck Check program from semiannual to annual for certain heavy-duty vehicles.*	Vetoed

			I appreciate the author's intent to ease compliance costs for low-mileage fleets. However, Clean Truck Check is a critical measure for reducing vehicle emissions. Reduced testing would allow malfunctioning emissions systems to go undetected for extended periods, worsening air quality and undermining health protections for communities along freight corridors. *Due to illegal actions by the federal government, California faces a 165-ton-per-day NOx deficit. Weakening the Clean Truck Check risks the state's ability to meet federal attainment obligations and jeopardizes access to tens of billions of dollars in federal transportation funding.* *Clean Truck Check already offers flexible, low-burden compliance pathways - including mobile testing, self-credentialing, and telematics-based automated reporting - that address the concerns this bill seeks to confront without compromising Californians' ability to breathe cleaner air."*	
SB-1069	Grayson	Motor vehicle pollution control devices: aftermarket parts: approval process	This bill creates a process for the California Air Resources Board (CARB) to grant conditional approval for a manufacturer to sell an add-on or modified part for on-road vehicles or engines before CARB grants them an executive order to sell the part.	Chapter 244
SB-1087	Cabaldon	Transportation planning: sustainable communities strategies: transportation funding programs	This bill (1) changes existing Regional Transportation Plan/Sustainable Communities Strategy guidelines and requirements including processes for setting greenhouse gas emissions (GHG) reduction targets, timelines, and evaluation of GHG reduction strategy; (2) extends GHG reduction targets to 2045; and (3) makes changes to certain	Chapter 1005

			transportation funding programs to support implementation of the strategies.	
SB-1125	Menjivar	Water Rate Assistance Program	This bill (1) establishes a statewide water rate assistance program for low-income residential ratepayers; and (2) requires the State Water Resources Control Board to implement and administer the Program upon appropriation by the Legislature. *VETO Message: "This bill establishes the Water Rate Assistance Program, administered by the State Water Resources Control Board (Water Board), and creates the Water Rate Assistance Fund to provide direct water bill assistance to low-income residential ratepayers.* *Ensuring access to safe and affordable drinking water in California has been a top priority of my Administration over the last eight years. We have made tremendous progress in bringing clean, affordable drinking water to California's most disadvantaged communities – over one million people who lacked this most basic need now have it thanks to this work. That said, much more work remains, and I deeply appreciate the intent behind this proposal. But by creating a permanent program without identifying a sustainable, ongoing funding source, this bill – as well as AB 2739 – misses the mark. I encourage the Legislature to revisit this issue next year as part of the annual budget process, in order to balance the funding needed to support a proposal of this nature with other fiscal considerations."*	Vetoed

SB-1180	Allen	Plastic Pollution Prevention and Packaging Producer Responsibility Act: California Plastic Pollution Mitigation Fund	This bill (1) establishes new spending requirements and guidelines for the California Plastic Pollution Mitigation Fund; (2) expands the list of entities that are eligible for those funds. *VETO Message: "This bill would specify the criteria for programs, projects, and initiatives to be funded by the California Plastic Pollution Mitigation Fund (Fund) established under the Plastic Pollution Prevention and Packaging Producer Responsibility Act (Act), clarify entities eligible for funding, and impose certain requirements on agencies administering the Fund.* *I commend the author's commitment to the creation of a circular economy and his desire to ensure that the Fund's resources reach the communities most burdened by plastic pollution.* *However, my administration is working through the complex, foundational work of implementing the Act, including its core producer responsibility requirements and ensuring compliance clarity for the regulated community.* *Much of the work to ensure the funding reaches the most appropriate entities is already underway, and this bill risks complicating implementation of both the Act and the Fund."*	Vetoed
SB-1213	Reyes	Zero- and near-zero-emission medium- and heavy-duty	This bill makes the inclusion of any medium- and heavy-duty vehicle in specified incentive programs that the California Air Resources Board and the California Energy Commission administer conditioned on the	Chapter 349

		vehicles: incentives: transparency	original equipment manufacturer complying with certain transparency requirements around vehicle pricing.	
SB-1341	Cabaldon	Beverage containers: wine and distilled spirits: processing fees	This bill establishes a processing fee of no more than 12 cents per bag-in-box container until January 1, 2031.	Chapter 701
SB-1375	Cortese	California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: urban intermodal rail station project	This bill exempts from the California Environmental Quality Act a public urban, intermodal rail station project within a long-urbanized area within the statewide passenger rail network, at which high-capacity light, commuter, and intercity rail services converge that meets specified conditions.	Chapter 1030
SCR-180	Valladares	Hydrogen: decarbonization tool	This resolution (1) recognizes hydrogen as a key decarbonization tool, support carbon-intensity based frameworks; (2) encourages state agencies to prioritize hydrogen deployment; (3) urges coordination to ensure hydrogen projects advance specified outcomes.	Resolution Chapter 220
SJR-5	Becker	Enteric methane reduction solutions: cattle industries	This resolution states California’s commitment to advancing innovative solutions that reduce enteric methane emission while preserving the economic sustainability of California’s cattle industries, among other things.	Resolution Chapter 101
SJR-13	Padilla	Transboundary flow pollution: United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement	This resolution urges the United States to secure specified commitments regarding transboundary pollution at the 2026 United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement joint review.	Resolution Chapter 144

GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION				
AB-744	Michelle Rodriguez	Alcoholic beverage control: tied-house restrictions: exceptions: off-sale retail services	This bill expands a current exception in law to instead limit the current exception to beer and brands of distilled spirits or wine in containers not exceeding 500 milliliters of volume, as specified. Under current law, licensees are authorized to perform certain services for off-sale licensees, including rotating and rearranging brands of distilled spirits and wine in single-serve containers owned or sold by the licensee. For these purposes, current law defines "single-serve containers" to mean containers of distilled spirits and wine that have a standard fill of a maximum of 355 milliliters, or approximately 12 fluid ounces.	Chapter 265
AB-880	Bennett	State government grants and contracts: payment of claims and grantees' indirect costs	This bill (1) revises the California Prompt Payment Act by requiring state agencies to reimburse a nonprofit grantee's indirect costs at specified rates and removes the $500,000 cap that previously exempted certain Medi-Cal-related payments from penalty provisions; (2) narrows the circumstances under which the state can dispute an invoice; (3) expands the definition of "grant" to include agreements with nonprofit organizations, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would make various changes to the California Prompt Payment Act, including requiring state agencies to reimburse a nonprofit grantee's indirect costs, eliminating the cap on grants or contracts eligible for penalty payments, and narrowing the circumstances under which the state can dispute an invoice.* *While I appreciate the vital role our nonprofit partners play in supporting our communities, I have vetoed nearly identical legislation in the past, concerned that the policy would allocate a significant amount of grant funding toward indirect costs, rather than project implementation and outcomes for California. These concerns remain, as this bill would create significant cost pressure on the state in order to balance services for Californians.*	Vetoed

			In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."	
AB-1039	Hart	State-funded assistance grants and contracts: advance payments	This bill (1) requires, rather than authorizes, an administering state agency to advance a payment to a recipient entity, as defined, in accordance with specified requirements for all grants and contracts entered into after January 1, 2026; (2) requires the solicitation for the grant or contract to state the percentage of funds that may be distributed as an advance payment, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would require state agencies to provide advance payments for certain grants and contracts awarded to eligible or contracts eligible nonprofit organizations and federally recognized tribes, and establish a statewide framework to administer and reconcile those payments.* *While I appreciate the author's goal of reducing the financial barriers for nonprofits and tribes, imposing a new statewide requirement would severely limit the state's oversight and protection of public funds. I signed AB 590 in 2023 and AB 3017 in 2024, which provided agencies with authority to process advance payments for these entities. It is important to ensure agencies maintain discretion to evaluate the financial and programmatic risks of each request for advance payments. I encourage the author and stakeholders to continue engaging with administering agencies to help ensure they are utilizing the existing authorization to the fullest extent possible when appropriate."*	Vetoed

AB-1389	Blanca Rubio	Tribal gaming: compact ratification	This bill ratifies the second amendment to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact between the State of California and the Yurok Tribe of the Yurok Reservation, California, executed on December 18, 2025.	Chapter 9
AB-1526	Committee on Governmental Organization	Horse racing: audits of the horsemen's organizations: license fee deposits: minisatellite wagering facilities	This bill makes various technical and non-substantive changes to provisions of the Horse Racing Law including, among other things: (1) eliminating the 90-day time limit on conducting specified audits and authorizes the California Horse Racing Board to permit exceptions to the requirement; (2) eliminates an existing statutory requirement that each application for a license to conduct a horse race meeting by a private racing association to include a $10,000 deposit, as specified.	Chapter 197
AB-1579	Valencia	Tribal gaming: compact ratification	This bill ratifies the second amendment to the Tribal-State Compact between the State of California and Yuhaaviatam of San Manuel Nation, executed on June 23, 2026.	Chapter 166
AB-1807	Gabriel, Carrillo	Immigration enforcement: use of state-owned property	This bill (1) prohibits the use of state-owned property for immigration enforcement; (2) requires the Department of General Services and state agencies to identify and post signage on properties with prior or anticipated enforcement use; (3) requires state agencies to establish policies to ensure the formal documentation of any attempted or actual immigration enforcement activities on state-owned property.	Chapter 744
AB-1841	Ramos	State holidays: Native American Day	This bill, upon appropriation by the Legislature, (1) entitles state employees to a holiday on the fourth Friday in September, known as "Native American Day," in lieu of a personal holiday, as specified; (2) authorizes any state bargaining unit to negotiate for a paid holiday on Native American Day, as specified.	Chapter 447
AB-1982	Lowenthal	On-sale general public premises: drink lids and drug testing devices	This bill repeals the January 1, 2027, sunset date on the requirement for Type 48 licensees (Bar, Night club) to provide or sell to their customers a drink lid or drug testing device and post specified notices about the availability of drink lids and drug testing devices.	Chapter 377
AB-1991	Aguiar-Curry	Alcoholic beverages: market research	This bill authorizes, until January 1, 2032, specified alcohol licensees to furnish tastes of alcoholic beverages as part of a bona fide market	Chapter 282

		study: taste testing	research study undertaken by or for the licensee for the sole purpose of measuring consumer perceptions with respect to the sensory characteristics of the alcoholic beverages, as specified.	
AB-2006	Michelle Rodriguez	State government: office buildings: daycare centers	This bill (1) authorizes the state to prioritize space in newly constructed, acquired, or renovated state-owned office buildings for licensed childcare providers to operate daycare centers, as specified; (2) authorizes the Director of the Department of General Services to establish lease terms and set rental rates, including reduced rent; (3) prioritizes enrollment of children for state employees who work in the building, followed by nearby community members.	Chapter 569
AB-2017	Haney	State holidays: Eid	This bill adds Eid al-Fitr and Eid al-Adha to the list of state holidays, as specified.	Chapter 571
AB-2156	Rivas, Limón	Holidays: Farmworkers Day	This bill designates March 31 as Farmworkers Day and requires the Governor to annually proclaim March 31 as Farmworkers Day.	Chapter 7
AB-2173	Wallis	Tribal gaming: compact ratification	This bill ratifies the first amendment to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact between the State of California and the Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians, executed on July 13, 2026.	Chapter 211
AB-2187	Ramos	Public contracts: contracts for services	This bill exempts federally recognized California Native American tribes from certain requirements governing public contracts for goods and services, as specified.	Chapter 455
AB-2272	Caloza	State contracting: subcontractors: prompt payment	This bill (1) authorizes a subcontractor or supplier performing work under a state contract to request payment status information from the awarding state agency regarding invoices submitted by the prime contractor; (2) requires a prime contractor to provide confirmation to the awarding agency, upon the agency's request, regarding payments made to subcontractors, as specified.	Chapter 139
AB-2294	Ta	State holidays: Sylvia Mendez Day	This bill designates April 14 as Sylvia Mendez Day, as specified.	Chapter 596
AB-2375	Blanca Rubio	Alcoholic beverage control	This bill (1) revises and recasts provisions in the Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) Act that currently require electronic fund transfers for retailer to wholesaler alcohol payments; (2) changes the requirement from delivery to sale, defines "initiate" and "equitable manner," and expands processor options, as specified; (3) revises the definition of "beer" for purposes of the ABC Act to provide that beer may be produced using other grains.	Chapter 396

AB-2507	Nguyen, Soria	Office of Tribal Affairs	This bill (1) restructures the office of the Governor's Tribal Advisor to instead become the Office of Tribal Affairs (OTA); (2) requires the OTA, among other things, to facilitate direct engagement between state agencies and tribal governments, among other responsibilities.	Chapter 449
AB-2539	Ramos	Tribal-state gaming: compact ratification	This bill ratifies the Tribal-State Gaming Compact between the State of California and the Yurok Tribe of the Yurok Reservation, California, executed on August 4, 2026.	Chapter 213
AB-2663	Rogers	Alcoholic beverages: retail on-sale license: off-sale privileges	This bill extends, until December 31, 2029, existing law that authorizes the holder of an on-sale license for a bona fide public eating place to sell alcoholic beverages for off-sale consumption under certain conditions.	Chapter 829
AB-2731	Addis	Alcoholic beverage control: neighborhood-restricted on-sale general licenses	This bill authorizes the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to issue no more than five new original neighborhood-restricted special on-sale general licenses per year to bona fide public eating places located in specified Unites States Census Bureau census tracts in the County of Santa Cruz, until a total of 12 new licenses have been issued, as specified.	Chapter 215
AB-2751	Alvarez	Alcoholic beverages: imports: personal or household use: reasonable amounts	This bill revises the amount of alcohol an individual may bring into California for personal or household use; establishes a uniform limit of six liters (eight standard bottles) of alcohol per 31-days for individuals crossing the U.S.-Mexico border into California on foot or via personal vehicle.	Chapter 635
AB-2793	Committee on Governmental Organization	California Gambling Control Commission	This bill modifies the requirement that one member of the California Gambling Control Commission (Commission) be an attorney and a member of the State Bar of California with regulatory law experience, to instead require that one member of the Commission be a member of the State Bar of California with regulatory or gaming law experience.	Chapter 409

SB-542	Limón	Tribal gaming: compact ratification	This bill ratifies the second amendment to the Tribal-State Gaming Compact between the State of California and the Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians, executed on August 4, 2026.	Chapter 224
SB-917	Laird	Alcoholic beverages: certified farmers' market sales permit	This bill (1) makes various changes to provisions in the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act that currently authorizes a licensed winegrower to conduct limited instructional tastings at a certified farmers' market; (2) deletes the requirement that wine sold by the winegrower is produced entirely from grapes or other agricultural products grown by the winegrower; and (3) increases the number of licensees allowed to conduct an instructional tasting from one to three licensees.	Chapter 147
SB-920	Archuleta	The Gambling Control Act: regulatory fees	This bill requires the California Gambling Control Commission and the Department of Justice (DOJ), upon the adoption or amendment of a fee that is deposited into the Gambling Control Fund, the Commission or DOJ to post on its public internet website a detailed statement of the need for, purpose of, and authorized use of the fee, as specified.	Chapter 225
SB-931	Grove, Laird	Dolly Parton Day	This bill requires the Governor to annually proclaim September 25 as Dolly Parton Day.	Chapter 355
SB-1114	Cabaldon	Data collection: sexual orientation, gender identity, and intersex status: disclosure	This bill prohibits information pertaining to sexual orientation, gender identity, and variations in sex characteristics/intersex status collected by state entities, as specified, from being disclosed in a manner allowing personal identification to any entity outside of California state government, or a vendor contracted to provide services to the state, subject to certain exceptions, as specified.	Chapter 471
SB-1195	Rubio	Tied-house exceptions: advertising: Counties	This bill authorizes specified alcoholic beverage licensees to purchase advertising space and time from, or on behalf of, an on-sale licensee	Chapter 229

		of Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and San Diego	that is the owner, manager, or major tenant at four specified facilities in southern California, as specified.	
SB-1204	Ochoa Bogh	Administrative regulations	This bill requires the Office of Administrative Law within 60 days of returning a disapproved regulation to the adopting agency, to report the disapproval and the reasons for disapproval to the Legislature, as specified.	Chapter 104
SB-1205	Valladares	Public contracts: retention: architecture or engineering services	This bill prohibits any retention payments for contracts under design-bid-build directly between a public entity and an individual or legal entity permitted by law to practice the profession of architecture or engineering from exceeding five percent of the payment, except for specific projects where, among other things, a finding has been made that the project is substantially complex and requires a higher retention amount.	Chapter 424
SB-1235	Rubio	Tribal gaming: compact ratification	This bill (1) ratifies the Tribal-State Gaming Compact between the State of California and the Fort Mojave Indian Tribe; (2) ratifies two separate amendments to the tribal-state gaming compacts entered into between the State of California and the Pechanga Band of Indians, and the Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians of California	Chapter 230
SB-1236	Committee on Governmental Organization	State Records Management Act	This bill (1) provides the Secretary of State (SOS) with clearer authority to establish standards for when records deemed to have archival value should be transferred to the State Archives (Archives) by state agencies; (2) clarifies that the head of a state agency shall transfer a record deemed by the SOS to have archival value to the Archives once it has reached the end of its administrative, legal, fiscal, or evidential value to the agency.	Chapter 105
SB-1240	McNerney	Office of Nonprofit Empowerment	This bill establishes the Office of Nonprofit Empowerment, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to coordinate state-level policies and strategies that support California’s nonprofit organizations and	Vetoed

			establishes the Nonprofit Empowerment Fund, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to carry out the purposes of the office, as specified. *VETO Message: "This bill would establish the Office of Nonprofit Empowerment within the Government Operations Agency to oversee and coordinate state-level policies and strategies to support California's nonprofit organizations. This bill would also establish the Nonprofit Empowerment Fund in the State Treasury to carry out the purposes of the bill in support of the office.* *I appreciate the author's goal of creating a dedicated venue to advance policies and conversations on how to support our nonprofit partners; however, the establishment and continued operation of this new office would result in millions of dollars of costs outside of the budget process.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	
SB-1273	Cabaldon	Alcoholic beverages: tied-house restrictions: instructional events and promotional lectures: advertisements	This bill (1) expands existing provisions of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act governing advertisements by authorized licensees for instructional events held on a retailer's premises; (2) permits advertisements for authorized instructional events to include videos of up to 60 seconds when published in advance of the event as described.	Chapter 428
SB-1340	Richardson	Small business liaison: contract information: small	This bill (1) requires state agency small business liaisons to annually report to the Office of Small Business Advocate (OSBA) and post online information about state contracts and subcontracts involving small	Vetoed

		business procurement participation	businesses. The report must include current contracts with small businesses, contracts with small businesses subcontractors, and the total amount paid to small businesses under those agreements; and (2) requires an awarding department, upon completion of an awarded contract for which a commitment to achieve a small business goal was made, to require the prime contractor that entered into a subcontract with a small business to certify specified information related to the awarded contract. *VETO Message: "This bill would require the small business liaison for each state agency to annually submit an inventory of all agency contracts and subcontracts involving small businesses, including total contract values and total payments made, to the Office of the Small Business Advocate (OSBA). This bill also requires OSBA to post that information on its website.* *I support the author's goal to create greater consistency in statewide reporting as agencies meet small business participation requirements in state contracting. However, this bill's proposed manual review and collection requirement, when applied across all agencies that execute procurement contracts, would result in additional spending in the tens of millions of dollars annually.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	

SB-1387	Stern	State agencies: collection and reporting of demographic data: Jewish identity	This bill requires a state agency that collects demographic data as to ancestry or ethnic origin to include a separate category and tabulation for Jewish ancestry.	Chapter 1033
SB-1394	Gonzalez	State holidays: Cesar Chavez Day: Farmworkers Day	This bill (1) amends existing statutory provisions to remove references to Cesar Chavez Day and replaces them with the designation of “Farmworkers Day” for purposes of holiday schedules and employee benefits; (2) changes Farmworkers day from March 31 to April 10, as specified.	Chapter 708
SB-1398	Rubio	State agencies: building and renovation projects: Green Globes certification	This bill authorizes a state agency undertaking a new building or major renovation project to obtain Green Globes certification, as specified.	Chapter 709
SB-1434	Committee on Governmental Organization	California State Lottery: prize assignment	This bill authorizes the payment of a lottery prize if there is an appropriate judicial order, as specified.	Chapter 106

HEALTH				
AB-96	Jackson	Mental health services: peer support specialist certification	This bill deletes the requirement that a certified peer support specialist applicant possess a high school diploma or equivalent degree.	Chapter 497
AB-220	Jackson	Medi-Cal: subacute care services	This bill (1) requires a provider seeking authorization for subacute care services to submit a specified form with the treatment authorization request; (2) prohibits Medi-Cal managed care plans from developing or using their own criteria to substantiate medical necessity for subacute care services or from requiring subsequent treatment authorization requests for subacute care services after a patient returns from a bed hold for acute hospitalization. *VETO message:* "*I appreciate the author's intent to ensure that patients who require subacute services receive the care and support they need. However, Medi-Cal managed care plans (MCPs) are already obligated to apply subacute medical necessity criteria in alignment with Medi-Cal policy. In response to the introduction of this bill, DHCS published clarifying guidance in June of this year to Medi-Cal MCPs regarding their responsibilities related to subacute care services - without limiting a Medi-Cal MCP's ability to use utilization management or increasing costs to the General Fund. Therefore, this bill is no longer necessary."*	Vetoed
AB-280	Aguiar-Curry, Papan	Health care coverage: provider directories	This bill (1) requires the Department of Managed Health Care (DMHC) to designate a central utility for health plan and insurer provider directories and requires health plans and insurers to require their in-network or participating providers to use the central utility to update and verify information for health plan and insurer directories; (2) exempts a specified health plan and insurer with mutually exclusive medical group contracts, as specified; (3) authorizes DMHC and the California Department of Insurance (CDI) to issue guidance to implement this bill until January 1, 2032; (4) exempts Medi-Cal managed care plans from this bill.	Chapter 499
AB-350	Bonta	Health care coverage: fluoride treatments	This bill (1) requires a health plan contract or health insurance policy issued, amended, or renewed on or after January 1, 2027, to provide coverage for the application of fluoride varnish in the primary care setting for children under 21 years of age, without a deductible, co-insurance, copayment or other cost-sharing requirement for that coverage; (2) requires the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS)	Chapter 500

			to issue billing guidance and make any necessary updates to ensure Medi-Cal coverage policy for recipients under age 21 is consistent with the federal requirements and allows for the application of fluoride varnish without any place of service restrictions.	
AB-387	Alanis	Nevaeh Youth Sports Safety Act	This bill revises the requirement that a youth sports organization ensure its athletes have access to an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) during any official practice or match, starting January 1, 2028, by allowing a public or private local facility with a permanent sports infrastructure to procure and maintain an AED, in which case the public or private local facility would be responsible for ensuring access to the AED.	Chapter 502
AB-539	Schiavo	Health care coverage: prior authorizations	This bill requires a health plan's or insurer's approved prior authorization requested by an in-network provider to remain valid for at least one year from the date of approval, or the period requested by the treating provider, if less than one year. *VETO message: "While I appreciate the author's intent to reduce administrative burdens, this bill would apply prior authorizations too broadly, limiting health plans' ability to reassess medical necessity as a member's condition changes.* *This could result in overutilization, inappropriate continuation of services, and unnecessary costs. The bill also conflicts with existing clinical guidelines and utilization management controls, undermining program integrity and flexibility to ensure that care remains appropriate for patients."*	Vetoed
AB-708	Valencia	California Youth Football Act: safety equipment	This bill (1) requires a youth tackle football league and coaches to allow youth tackle football participants to use safety equipment, including soft-shelled add-ons to football helmets; (2) permits a court to grant a restraining order or injunction to remedy a violation of this bill, and entitles plaintiffs to reasonable attorney's fees; (3) prohibits a warranty or safety certification of a football helmet put into play on or after January 1, 2027, with a soft-shell add-on, from being voided because of the use of the soft-shell add-on.	Chapter 732
AB-870	Hadwick	California Children's Services Program: county designation	This bill allows counties with populations under 2,000 to designate another county to administer its California Children's Services (CCS) program so long as the other county agrees, abides by the CCS program standards, and neither county is a "Whole Child Model" county that provides CCS services through Medi-Cal managed care plans.	Chapter 167

AB-1126	Patterson	Medi-Cal managed care plans: enrollees with other health care coverage	This bill (1) requires the Department of Health Care Services to ensure that providers serving Medi-Cal recipients with other health coverage do not face administrative requirements significantly in excess of the requirements in the Medi-Cal fee-for-service delivery system and to take the actions it deems necessary to ensure these recipients are able to coordinate their care as seamlessly as possible; (2) requires Medi-Cal plans to allow providers in the fee-for-service delivery system to bill the plan for services rendered to Medi-Cal recipients with other health coverage, without requiring an in-network provider contract.	Chapter 193
AB-1129	Celeste Rodriguez	Birth conditions monitoring	This bill (1) permits a local health officer to maintain a system for the collection of information on birth conditions necessary to accomplish a local-level monitoring and reporting program similar to, but independent of, the state-level birth defects monitoring program, subject to adequate funding; (2) makes conforming changes in existing law to facilitate a local-level monitoring and reporting program.	Chapter 874
AB-1328	Michelle Rodriguez	Medi-Cal reimbursements: nonemergency ambulance and other transportation	This bill (1) requires the Medi-Cal reimbursement for nonemergency ambulance transportation services to be 80% of the Medicare ambulance fee schedule for the corresponding level of service; (2) makes additional adjustments to how Medi-Cal certifies medical necessity for nonemergency ambulance transportation services or how mileage for these services can be documented. *VETO message: "While I appreciate the author's intent to support Medi-Cal members' access to nonemergency transportation services, mandating rate increases for ground ambulance services could create inappropriate incentives to utilize ambulance transport over other more appropriate and available modes of nonemergency transportation. Additionally, the rate increases required by this bill would have an annual General Fund impact in the tens of millions of dollars.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	Vetoed
AB-1571	Michelle Rodriguez	Product safety: recreational water	This bill updates the definition in existing law for "wearable personal flotation device" to include a "swim vest," rather than "puddle jumper."	Chapter 31

		safety: wearable personal flotation devices: infants and children		
AB-1591	Michelle Rodriguez	California Podiatric Pipeline Program	This bill (1) creates the California Podiatric Pipeline Program to support and promote careers in podiatric medicine; (2) authorizes the Department of Health Care Access and Information (HCAI) to use funds from the Health Professions Education Fund or Health Professions Pathways Program to implement the program; (3) requires HCAI to annually, upon appropriation, report performance metrics to the Legislature, along with recommendations for expanding opportunities for podiatric graduates. *VETO message: "While well-intentioned, this bill duplicates existing efforts. HCAI already administers workforce pathway programs that offer exposure to health professions, including podiatric medicine. Additionally, the two special funds referenced in the bill are already allocated for other purposes and thus cannot support this program, and no additional funds were made available for this specific purpose in this year's final budget agreement.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	Vetoed
AB-1607	Mark González	Emergency medical services	This bill extends the sunset date, from January 1, 2027 to January 1, 2037, on both the portion of the Maddy Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Fund that provides funding for pediatric trauma centers, and on a provision that authorizes counties to levy an additional penalty in the amount of $2 for every $10 on fines and penalties imposed on all criminal offenses for deposit in the Maddy EMS Fund.	Chapter 883
AB-1629	Haney	Dental coverage	This bill (1) requires health plans, insurers, and specialized plans that cover dental services to certify under penalty of perjury and attest that the plan or insurer has evaluated and taken into consideration the total number of lives utilizing the same dental provider network and if those enrolled lives impact network adequacy requirements; (2) requires a	Chapter 535

			plan or insurer to pay a noncontracting dental provider directly for covered services; (3) makes it unprofessional conduct for a noncontracting dental provider, including registered dental hygienists in alternative practice, to fail to inform an enrollee or insured of certain information, obtain consent, and maintain a record of the consent; (4) prohibits a noncontracting dental provider, including registered dental hygienists in alternative practice, accepting assignment of benefits from charging the enrollee or insured prior to the plan or insurer payment, more than an estimate of the enrollee's or insured's cost-sharing for the treatment or a deposit that approximates cost-share.	
AB-1682	Hart	Health care coverage: scalp cooling	This bill (1) requires large group health care service plan contracts or health insurance policies to provide coverage for scalp cooling as prescribed by a health care provider in connection with chemotherapy in which alopecia-inducing chemotherapeutic agents are used; (2) expands the Medi-Cal schedule of benefits to include scalp cooling, subject to utilization controls and medical necessity.	Chapter 541
AB-1696	Stefani	Emergency services and care: nurse-midwives	This bill prohibits provisions of law requiring hospitals to stabilize patients with an emergency medical condition, or when they are in active labor, without regard to ability to pay, from requiring supervision of a certified nurse-midwife in the labor and delivery unit, obstetric triage, or dedicated emergency obstetric evaluation unit, when the nurse-midwife is practicing within their scope of practice.	Chapter 484
AB-1811	Rogers	Health professionals	This bill (1) defines a health professional shortage area (HPSA) as either one currently recognized by the United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), an area recognized as HPSA by HHS on January 1, 2025, or an area determined by the Department of Health Care Access and Information (HCAI) to have a shortage of health professionals; (2) updates reporting requirements for boards of healing arts licensees and registrants to include specified information used for designating a HPSA; (3) requires healing arts boards to collect this data at the time of licensure or registration and requires boards to provide this information to HCAI monthly.	Chapter 549
AB-1843	Elhawary	Communicable diseases: hepatitis C	This bill prohibits health plans and insurers from subjecting direct-acting antiviral drugs that are medically necessary for the treatment of hepatitis C to prior authorization.	Chapter 552
AB-1864	Berman	Gene synthesis equipment manufacturers and providers.	This bill (1) prohibits manufacturers of benchtop nucleic acid synthesis equipment and providers of synthetic nucleic acid sequences from producing, selling, or distributing the equipment or nucleic acids within the state unless the provider or manufacturer adheres to the federal	Chapter 852

			Framework for Nucleic Acid Synthesis Screening as revised by the National Science and Technology Council in 2024, and attests to doing so on a public website; (2) makes a provider or manufacturer who violates this bill subject to a civil penalty of up to $5,000.	
AB-1876	Addis	Health care coverage: nondiscrimination	This bill (1) codifies a federal regulation to prevent a person from being excluded from enrollment or participation in, denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination by any state health plan or health insurer on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex; (2) defines "discrimination on the basis of sex" to include but not be limited to discrimination on the basis of sex characteristics, including intersex traits; pregnancy or related conditions; sexual orientation; gender identity; and sex stereotypes.	Chapter 903
AB-1882	Ellis	Safe Delivery Fund Pilot Program	This bill (1) establishes the Safe Delivery Fund Pilot Program (SDFP Program), until January 1, 2030, administered by the Department of Health Care Access and Information (HCAI) to provide funding to hospitals to offset uncompensated standby costs associated with maintaining specialty physician coverage, advanced practice provider coverage, and hospital staffing necessary to safely provide deliveries and related inpatient specialty services; (2) requires a hospital to meet specified requirements to qualify for the program, including, among other things, that the hospital can demonstrate that the hospital serves a geographically isolated population and that loss of obstetric services would significantly impact access to maternity care. *VETO message: "I share the author's goal of preserving access to care in geographically isolated communities, where hospitals often face financial gaps. In this year's budget, we made unprecedented investments into our hospital system - including $90 million in grant funding to financially distressed hospitals, with authority to augment this funding by an additional $50 million, $250 million dollars for public hospitals, and $10 million dollars to stand up a new healthcare stability unit within HCAI to better assist hospitals with difficult financial situations.* *This bill, while well-intentioned, does not draw from any of these budget investments and instead enacts a new, complex, and unfunded hospital reimbursement program. Further, this bill would require significant technical, operational, and reporting responsibilities that would inject unnecessary bureaucratic complexity and be costly to implement."*	Vetoed
AB-1887	Zbur	Prescription drug	This bill (1) requires prior authorization for prescription drugs prescribed	Chapter 557

		coverage for rare diseases	for the treatment of a rare disease to be completed within 30 days of the initial request by a provider if the drug is the only U.S. Food and Drug Administration-approved treatment for the rare disease; (2) requires approval of the prescription if the 30-day timeline is not met due to an unresolved decision or dispute.	
AB-1906	Aguiar-Curry	Health care coverage: home test kits	This bill requires health plans, insurers, and Medi-Cal to provide coverage without cost-sharing for cervical cancer screening when ordered or provided by an in-network provider consistent with nationally recognized clinical guidelines, instead of annually, and includes coverage for cervical cancer screening test kits that allow patients to self-collect at a location outside of a clinical setting that is ordered by the patient's health care provider.	Chapter 560
AB-1907	Addis	California Health Benefit Exchange	This bill (1) expands automatic enrollment from Medi-Cal to Covered California by also allowing people who apply for insurance affordability programs through the Statewide Automated Welfare System and who are eligible for financial assistance to be notified of requirements and be enrolled in specified low-cost health insurance plans as determined by Covered California; (2) revises open enrollment and effective dates if inconsistent with federal law.	Chapter 204
AB-1910	Boerner	Public health: pelvic floor health advisement	This bill requires the California Department of Public Health to post information on its pregnancy and reproductive health website advising individuals to discuss any pelvic floor concerns with their health care provider during their postpartum care visit.	Chapter 486
AB-1949	Lee	Medi-Cal: acupuncture treatments	This bill (1) changes the number of allowable services in Medi-Cal without prior authorization to 24 per year instead of the current "2-per-month" collective cap on a group of services that includes acupuncture, audiology, chiropractic, occupational therapy, podiatry and speech therapy; (2) specifies, consistent with current practice, that additional services can be authorized based on medical necessity. *VETO message: "I appreciate the author's intent to ensure vulnerable populations maintain access to acupuncture as a treatment option. To that end, Medi-Cal already covers up to two acupuncture services per month, and the Department of Health Care Services can administratively update Medi-Cal policy to align with the generally accepted standard of care without the need for legislation. Further, I do not believe it is appropriate to legislate additional visit requirements outside the annual budget process due to its impact on utilization and costs.*	Vetoed

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AB-1956	Valencia	Suicide prevention	This bill (1) adds boys and young men to the list of highest risk populations on which the Office of Suicide Prevention (OSP) can focus its prevention activities; (2) requires OSP, by July 1, 2028, to provide a report to the Legislature on strategies to implement these activities.	Chapter 163
AB-2009	Chen, Solache	Blood banks and plasma centers	This bill makes various updates in licensing provisions for plasma centers (PCs), including: excluding PCs from blood bank licensing laws; eliminating requirements pertaining to blood transfusion principles and practices; modernizing the requirements for acceptable photographic identification to be a plasma donor; allowing for other licensed health professionals to do pre-donor screenings; and, allowing for the continuity of PC operation when there are personnel or ownership changes.	Chapter 570
AB-2011	Hart	Nonquantitative treatment limitations	This bill codifies by reference federal mental health and substance use disorder parity rules, regulations, and guidance that were in place on January 1, 2025, regarding nonquantitative treatment limitations on mental health and substance use disorder benefits in comparison to medical and surgical benefits.	Chapter 915
AB-2030	Lowenthal	Dietary supplements for weight loss and over-the-counter diet pills	This bill prohibits a person from selling an over-the-counter diet pill or dietary supplement for weight loss or muscle building to any person under 18 years of age.	Chapter 720
AB-2041	Carrillo	Emergency medical services	This bill requires a public safety agency that provides 911 call processing services for emergency medical response, but was not providing prearrival instructions to 911 callers requiring medical assistance before January 1, 2026, to report to their local emergency medical services agency on the status of their compliance with a new requirement to provide prearrival instructions.	Chapter 285
AB-2066	Celeste Rodriguez	Triggering event: pregnancy	This bill requires health plans and health insurers to allow a pregnant individual to enroll in or change individual health benefit plans and policies outside of existing enrollment time periods.	Vetoed

			VETO message: "Last year, I vetoed a substantially similar bill because it would have set a dangerous precedent for condition-specific special enrollment periods and created substantial in stability in the individual health insurance market. These concerns remain, especially at a time when consumers across the nation face uncertainty about the affordability of their healthcare due to the federal administration's draconian cuts to our safety net."	
AB-2081	Stefani	Medi-Cal: Home and Community-Based Alternatives Waiver	This bill requires the Department of Health Care Services to expand capacity in the Medi-Cal Home and Community-Based Alternatives Waiver and seek necessary federal approvals to do so. *VETO message: "While I appreciate the author's intent to expand access to home and community-based services for Medi-Cal beneficiaries who are at risk of institutionalization, this bill would significantly and immediately increase program costs by hundreds of millions of dollars. Fortunately, the 2026 Budget Act includes $3 million to enable DHCS to clear the HCBA waiver waitlist and serve all eligible individuals seeking enrollment in the HCBA waiver program. Any additional expansions to this program, given the significant cost, must be considered in the annual state budget process.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	Vetoed
AB-2160	Celeste Rodriguez	Medi-Cal: lactation services	This bill requires the Department of Health Care Services to issue updated Medi-Cal guidance clarifying Medi-Cal coverage for lactation services.	Chapter 488
AB-2161	Bonta	Medi-Cal eligibility: work or community engagement	This bill makes technical changes to the state's implementation of new federal Medicaid work or community engagement requirements, including: clarifying the which individuals are subject to the requirements, clarifying what income counts when determining whether a person is working for purposes of the requirements, and specifying the steps that counties must take when they are unable to verify whether an individual meets the work or community engagement requirements.	Chapter 209

AB-2194	Valencia	Medi-Cal: special commissions	This bill (1) staggers the terms of members of the Orange County Health Authority's governing board; (2) requires the board to authorize and pay for an independent external audit of its governance procedures and practice.	Chapter 588
AB-2233	Ta	Behavioral health treatment plans	This bill (1) prohibits health plans and insurers from imposing restrictions on the utilization of authorized treatment hours within a six-month authorization period, including weekly caps or limitations that result in the forfeiture of unused hours if the use of the hours are reasonably consistent with the treatment plan and clinical guidelines, and is documented in the treatment plan and progress reports; (2) requires authorized hours to remain available for use throughout the authorization period to ensure the enrollee or insured may fully access approved treatment if reasonably consistent with the treatment plan and clinical guidelines and documented in the treatment plan and progress reports.	Chapter 591
AB-2244	Gabriel	Non-Ultraprocessed Certified food standard	This bill (1) establishes a process for the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) to accredit certification agents that can certify food products as "Non-Ultraprocessed Certified" (Non-UPF Certified), and requires CDPH to create a standardized seal for these certified food products; (2) requires grocery stores with more than $10 million in gross annual sales to make at least three or more items that are Non-UPF Certified clearly identifiable, with regard to their display in the grocery store, if the grocery store sells more than 25 Non-UPF Certified items.	Chapter 721
AB-2247	Elhawary	Trauma Healing and Resilience Investment for Victimized and Exposed Youth Act	This bill establishes the Trauma Healing and Resilience Investment for Victimized and Exposed Youth Act pilot grant program in four counties, only until January 1, 2032, to the extent that funds are provided, to pay for mental health and counseling services for youth survivors of gun violence. *VETO message: "I strongly support the author's commitment to this issue, and my administration continues to prioritize policies that increase assistance for individuals suffering from the effects of violence. This year's budget includes a $12.5 million augmentation for Trauma Recovery Centers, which offer immediate assistance after a traumatic event, as well as long-term therapeutic support, addressing the emotional, psychological, and practical needs of survivors.* *This measure is duplicative of those efforts and creates a new, unfunded grant program not included in the 2026 Budget Act. In*	Vetoed

			partnership with the Legislature this year, we have enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."	
AB-2282	Alanis	Health facilities: emergency medical services	This bill requires the California Department of Public Health to issue a waiver for a publicly owned general acute care hospital, located within the City of Patterson, to provide emergency stabilization services at a rural emergency stabilization care unit that is neither inside nor contiguous to the applicant hospital, if certain requirements are met, including that the locations meets regulatory requirements applicable to emergency departments, as specified. *VETO message: "While I share the author's goal to provide emergency care access for rural communities, freestanding emergency departments have never legally operated in California. State law has long required that any emergency department be physically located within the hospital to ensure immediate access to necessary care. This bill would undermine patient safety by allowing the operation of an emergency department that lacks the statutorily required medical infrastructure of a GACH. In situations where every minute counts, evaluating and transferring patients to and from such a freestanding facility introduces unnecessary risks and delays, jeopardizing those with life-threatening conditions."*	Vetoed
AB-2343	Patel	Alcohol and other drug programs: consumer protection platform	*This bill requires certified programs and licensed residential treatment facilities to participate in a public consumer protection platform designated or designed by the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS), except for those contracted to provide Medi-Cal treatment services; contracted with DHCS or a county to provide substance use disorder services; or, that receive other public funds.* *VETO message: "While I appreciate the author's intent to help those struggling with addiction find high-quality treatment, this bill is duplicative of existing efforts. In 2023, as part of the state's broader response to the opioid crisis, California launched a free, confidential platform - known as the Treatment Atlas - to help people find and compare addiction treatment options. The 2026 Budget Act provided additional funding for DHCS to continue it through September 30, 2027,*	Vetoed

			making this bill unnecessary."	
AB-2348	Bonta	Medi-Cal: enhanced care management and community supports	This bill (1) requires the Department of Health Care Services to publish model managed care coverage standards and policy for the California Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal initiative's community supports benefits, submit information to the Legislature on the feasibility of transitioning the community supports benefits to permanent Medi-Cal benefits; (2) makes other technical changes to the community supports and Enhanced Care Management benefits.	Chapter 600
AB-2405	Gipson	Mental health	This bill requires a peace officer who is transporting a person who is a danger to themselves or others to a designated facility for evaluation and treatment, to transport the person to the closest appropriate designated facility, geographically or by time, from where the peace officer took the person into custody.	Chapter 939
AB-2486	Addis	Medi-Cal: Whole Child Model program	This bill (1) recasts the existing Whole Child Model advisory group as a broader California Children's Services (CCS) advisory group; (2) requires the Department of Health Care Services to produce a summary report every two years on the progress towards specified CCS measures and program priorities.	Chapter 304
AB-2499	Gipson	Health care coverage: claims payments	This bill requires a health plan or insurer to accept, and confirm, electronic medical records and supporting documentation necessary to process a claim through a standard electronic submission method, and prohibits a plan or insurer from denying, pending, or delaying a claim solely because the plan's or insurer's systems are unable to accept documentation that otherwise meets state requirements, unless state or federal standards are adopted.	Chapter 945
AB-2531	Irwin	Public health: abortion services	This bill requires grant recipients of the Reproductive and TGI Health Equity Program to provide services to veterans who have health coverage through the Veterans Affairs health system, but cannot access abortion or contraception care through that system, and those who are not otherwise eligible to receive those services at no cost through the Medi-Cal and Family PACT programs.	Chapter 489
AB-2540	Stefani	Public health: public postsecondary education: student health centers: abortion by medication techniques	This bill requires a community college that has a student health center, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to offer medication abortion, promote awareness of those services, provide information on those services to students, and post their availability to its website.	Chapter 490
AB-2562	Dixon	Alcohol or other drug	This bill requires certified alcohol and other drug (AOD) programs and	Chapter 620

		recovery and treatment programs and facilities: suicide prevention	licensed adult residential AOD treatment facilities to have suicide prevention plans.	
AB-2565	Wallis	Medi-Cal: pharmacist services: reporting	This bill (1) requires the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to issue guidance clarifying Medi-Cal plans' obligation to cover pharmacist services; (2) update its model evidence of coverage to explicitly include coverage of pharmacist services described in state law; and, if DHCS determines that a Medi-Cal plan has failed to comply with state law and guidance on pharmacist services, (3) take appropriate corrective action pursuant to its existing authority. *VETO message: "While I support the author's goal of ensuring our Medi-Cal managed care plans (MCPs) receive appropriate guidance and enforcement actions from DHCS when reimbursing providers for pharmacist services, guidance is already underway to address the concerns driving this legislation, making this bill unnecessary. Initial guidance was published in September 2025, and a comprehensive all-plan letter to further clarify MCP pharmacist-services responsibilities will be released in the coming months. These efforts are part of DHCS's existing responsibilities and processes, which do not require additional statutory direction."*	Vetoed
AB-2571	Flora	Reimbursement for pharmacist services	This bill (1) requires a health plan or health insurer to pay or reimburse the cost of covered services performed by a pharmacist if the pharmacist is enrolled as a provider with the health plan or insurer; (2) requires the Department of Health Care Services to reimburse enrolled Medi-Cal pharmacists for pharmacy services, reimburse enrolled advanced practice pharmacists for medication therapy management services, reimburse advanced practice pharmacists at the same rate as physicians, and submit a state plan amendment to recognize pharmacists as providers at federally qualified health centers and rural health clinics. *VETO message: "I appreciate the author's intent to improve access to advanced pharmacist services for Medi-Cal members, especially for those seeking care at FQHCs or RHCs. However, this bill would result in millions of dollars in ongoing, annual costs related to FQHC reimbursement, as well as millions in one-time costs to implement the required system changes, neither of which were accounted for in this year's budget.*	Vetoed

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AB-2575	Ortega	Health care services: artificial intelligence	This bill (1) prohibits an employer from retaliating or discriminating against a worker based solely on the worker's override of, or reliance on, the output of a clinical decision support system; (2) prohibits the failure of a health care worker to override an output of a clinical decision support system from being asserted as a superseding cause severing the defendant's liability for the alleged harm in a civil action against a defendant who developed or deployed a clinical decision support system that is alleged to have caused harm. *VETO message: "While I commend the author's commitment to ensure that artificial intelligence (AI) technologies deployed in clinical settings support safe patient care and preserve professional standards, including the ability of healthcare workers to exercise their professional judgment, it is essential that new laws in this area be practical and enforceable in their implementation to achieve their intended goals.* *This bill's anti-retaliation provisions do not protect workers as intended. By prohibiting adverse actions based solely on the employee's override of, or reliance on, a clinical decision support system, this bill ties the Labor Commissioner's hands in establishing a violation – a higher bar than other retaliation protections, which simply prohibit action because of a protected activity.* *More importantly, linking anti-retaliation protections to a scope-of-practice determination puts the Labor Commissioner in the position of adjudicating the standard of care for patients – something the Labor Commissioner does not have the medical expertise or skill to do. Without that requisite specialized knowledge, the Labor Commissioner cannot effectively and fairly enforce the bill's anti-retaliation provisions as the author intends."*	Vetoed
AB-2594	Lowenthal	Voluntary employees' beneficiary	This bill extends three years (to December 31, 2030) an authorization of a southern California pilot program that allows health care providers to	Chapter 404

		association pilot program	undertake risk-bearing arrangements with a voluntary employees' beneficiary association.	
AB-2598	Krell	Health care facilities: notification of next of kin	This bill (1) requires a hospital or a skilled nursing facility, if a person dies while in the facility, to make a reasonable attempt to notify any known next of kin, or if next of kin cannot be located, to notify the public administrator of the county within two business days; (2) makes a violation of this requirement punishable by a civil penalty of $200 per day, up to $50,000, measured until the actual knowledge by the next of kin or the county public administrator of the decedent's death.	Chapter 627
AB-2613	Sharp-Collins	Health care service plans: provider contract termination: notice	This bill (1) requires a health plan in a contract renewal dispute with a provider group or hospital to notify affected enrollees by text or email, if the enrollee has opted into electronic delivery and has included the necessary contact information, in addition to existing requirements to provide a notice by U.S. mail, 60 days before the termination date; (2) requires, if the contract dispute is resolved prior to the termination date, the affected enrollees to be notified by text or email and U.S. mail that the enrollee can remain with their provider, and if the dispute is resolved after the termination date, notification that the enrollee has an option to return to their provider.	Chapter 306
AB-2706	Soria	Acidified foods and low-acid foods	This bill (1) repeals the Cannery Inspection Act, including the requirement that canneries obtain a license from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH), and instead (2) establishes requirements governing the manufacturing, processing, or packing of an acidified food or low-acid food, including a requirement that persons engaged in these activities register with CDPH and obtain a scheduled process for the packing of acidified or low-acid foods from a qualified processing authority.	Chapter 960
AB-2756	Ahrens	Medi-Cal: vision services: performance measures	This bill requires the Department of Health Care Services to establish a list of performance measures to evaluate the utilization, access, and availability of Medi-Cal vision services.	Chapter 309
ACR-1	Quirk-Silva, Mark González	K-Ginseng Day	This resolution proclaims October 23, 2025, and the same date each year thereafter, as K-Ginseng Day in the state.	Resolution Chapter 102
ACR-94	Patel	Antimicrobial resistance	This resolution recognizes antimicrobial resistance (AMR) as a public health crisis requiring urgent and sustained action, and urges specified state agencies to explore funding mechanisms to support research and development initiatives addressing AMR, particularly in underserved and high-risk communities.	Resolution Chapter 103
SB-16	Blakespear	Mental health:	This bill requires, instead of permits, a county behavioral health director	Chapter 314

		involuntary commitment	to establish and implement procedures for designating and training persons to initiate involuntary detentions.	
SB-222	Wiener	Residential heat pump water heater or heat pump HVAC systems	This bill (1) establishes requirements for cities and counties related to the installation of residential heat pump water heater or heat pump heating, ventilation, and air-conditioning system (residential heat pump systems); (2) makes void and unenforceable any covenants, conditions, or restrictions of a common interest development (CID) and any provision of the governing documents of a homeowners' association that prohibits or restricts the installation or use of residential heat pump systems within the CID.	Chapter 738
SB-329	Blakespear, Umberg	Alcohol and drug recovery: licensed treatment facilities and certified programs: investigations	This bill (1) requires the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to meet specified timeframes for assigning complaints against, and completing investigations for, licensed adult residential alcohol or other drug recovery or treatment facilities and certified alcohol and other drug programs; and (2) requires DHCS to post on its website an annual report of the investigations conducted in the previous year.	Chapter 646
SB-331	Menjivar	Health care coverage: hearing aids	This bill (1) requires large group health plan contracts and health insurance policies issued, amended, or renewed on or after January 1, 2028, to include coverage for hearing aids and related services for enrollees and insureds under 21 years of age, if medically necessary; and (2) requires the large group plan or insurer to cover services provided by a qualified audiologist with experience with children when medically necessary.	Chapter 966
SB-490	Umberg	Alcohol and drug programs	This bill (1) requires the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to take specified action when it determines an entity is providing residential alcohol or other drug recovery or treatment services without a proper license, including conducting site visits, as well as initiating and completing investigations within specified timeframes; and (2) permits county behavioral health agencies that administer the Drug Medi-Cal organized delivery system to request DHCS approval to conduct site visits to specified recovery residences. *VETO Message: "This bill would impose several new requirements on the Department of Health Care Services related to oversight of licensed alcohol and other drug (AOD) facilities, investigations of unlicensed AOD facilities, and reporting obligations concerning recovery residences.* *I share the author's goal to improve the oversight of facilities serving those seeking treatment for alcohol or drug addiction. However, this bill*	Vetoed

			goes beyond DHCS's regulatory responsibilities regarding the financial disclosures and money transfers for businesses it does not license or oversee. Additionally, the notification requirements in the bill would limit the flexibility needed to manage complex investigations. Finally, authorizing county involvement in unlicensed facility investigations would weaken the structure of the current statewide regulatory system, raising concerns about jurisdiction, confidentiality, training, and enforcement consistency."	
SB-503	Weber Pierson	Health care services: artificial intelligence	This bill (1) requires developers of clinical decision support systems, as defined, to make reasonable efforts to mitigate the known or reasonably foreseeable risk of biased impacts resulting from the use of these systems; and, (2) requires developers to provide deployers of systems identified as presenting a risk of biased impacts with specified information, including documentation of how the system was evaluated for performance, limitations, and mitigation of biased impacts.	Chapter 857
SB-526	Pérez	Health facilities: clinics	This bill (1) permits a primary care clinic with a license in good standing for the preceding five years to apply for a change of location using the streamlined affiliate clinic licensure process; and, (2) requires a clinic corporation to establish another primary care clinic as the parent clinic prior to the closure of a parent clinic.	Chapter 491
SB-626	Smallwood-Cuevas, Cervantes	Perinatal health screenings and treatment	This bill (1) revises an existing requirement on plans and insurers relating to maternal mental health (MMH) screenings to require case management, care coordination, guidelines, and the standards of care appropriate to the provider's scope of practice, as specified; (2) encourages health plans and insurers to provide coverage for outpatient prescription drugs approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration for MMH; and (3) requires licensed health care practitioners who provide perinatal care for a patient to ensure the patient is screened for MMH consistent with the plan or insurer MMH program, and applicable standards of care.	Chapter 973
SB-869	Weber Pierson	Restaurant menus: added sugar warnings	This bill requires chain restaurants to include an icon next to beverage items on menus indicating that the beverage has added sugar content that is greater than the daily value for added sugar.	Chapter 723
SB-874	Weber Pierson	Medi-Cal: behavioral health treatment: stakeholder feedback	This bill: (1) requires Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to ensure that Medi-Cal providers of behavioral health treatment (BHT) services conduct background checks on their employees who interact with patients; (2) seek stakeholder feedback on specified topics to inform changes to coverage and billing policy for BHT services, maintain clear billing and coverage guidance on the provision of the	Chapter 655

			BHT services; and, (3) publish on its website BHT utilization data and a synopsis of BHT coverage policy, highlighting any changes made as a result of stakeholder feedback and any recommended future changes by January 1, 2029.	
SB-895	Wiener, Pérez, Wahab	California Science and Health Research Bond Act	This (1) bill creates the California Foundation for Science and Health Research (CFSHR), housed in the Government Operations Agency, to award grants, loans, and contracts to public or private research companies, universities, academic medical centers, institutes, and organizations for scientific research and development from a California Foundation for Science and Health Research and Innovation Acceleration (CFSHRIA) Fund and CFSHRIA Benefit Fund; (2) establishes the CFSHR Council to establish and develop the strategic objectives and priorities of the Foundation and determine which projects will be awarded grants, loans, or contracts; (3) funds the CFSHRIA Fund through the issuance and sale of $7.5 billion in bonds, pending voter approval on the March 7, 2028 primary election ballot; (4) establishes the CFSHR Finance Committee to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds; (5) contains an urgency clause that will make this bill effective upon enactment.	Chapter 1040
SB-904	Seyarto	Recovery from a state of emergency	This bill requires the Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD), in consultation with other state agencies, to provide reports to the Governor and Legislature that identify existing state permitting requirements that may unduly impede efforts to rebuild after a wildfire and recommend provisions of the California Building Standards Code for possible suspension, with exceptions, in order to facilitate rapid rebuilding and recovery, following a declared state of emergency related to a wildfire, as specified.	Chapter 771
SB-918	Seyarto	Food facilities: retail food safety	This bill revises the requirements for “passthrough window service openings” of a restaurant by allowing larger passthrough openings (currently limited to 432 square inches) if the passthrough window opening is equipped with both a self-closing device and an air curtain device.	Chapter 988
SB-944	Wiener	Medi-Cal: acupuncture	This bill requires the continued coverage of acupuncture in the Medi-Cal program, even if federal matching funds are no longer available, subject to appropriation. *VETO Message: “This bill would remove the limitation that requires federal matching funds for the coverage of acupuncture services within*	Vetoed

			Medi-Cal, making acupuncture a covered Medi-Cal benefit regardless of the availability of federal funds. *I appreciate the author's intent to ensure vulnerable populations continue to have access to acupuncture as a treatment option in the Medi-Col program. However, should federal financial participation become unavailable for acupuncture services in the future, this bill would require the Department of Health Care Services to cover these services with state-only funds. This could create additional cost pressures on the State General Fund of approximately $10 million to $20 million annually.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	
SB-950	Weber Pierson	Health care coverage: dementia	This bill (1) requires health plans and insurers to cover all medically necessary treatments or medications, as determined by a health care provider, that are approved by the federal Food and Drug Administration (FDA) for the treatment of Alzheimer's disease or other medical conditions affecting memory; (2) prohibits health plans and insurers from imposing step therapy protocols when one or more medications are approved by the FDA, unless a plan or insurer has covered at least one anti-amyloid therapy without step therapy.	Chapter 662
SB-964	Smallwood-Cuevas	Prescription drug coverage: dose adjustments	This bill authorizes a treating health care provider to request, and be granted, the authority (from health plans and insurers) to adjust the dose or frequency of a drug to meet the specific medical needs of an enrollee or insured with a serious chronic condition or cancer, without prior authorization or subsequent utilization management, under specified conditions.	Chapter 663
SB-971	Choi	Healthy Aging Community Partnership Program	This bill (1) permits local health departments, area on aging, community college, public or private college, public or private university, or other appropriate county department to establish a Healthy Aging Community Partnership Program for older individuals designed to promote health aging, social engagement, and independent living in collaboration with relevant local entities; (2) specifies that the program does not duplicate	Chapter 664

			or supplant current adult education courses, classes, and services provided by the California Community Colleges, including through the Adult Education Program.	
SB-977	Weber Pierson	Chain restaurants: children's meals	This bill requires a chain restaurant that sells a children's meal to offer at least one that meets specified nutritional requirements.	Chapter 724
SB-989	Blakespear, Umberg	Community Assistance, Recovery, and Empowerment (CARE) Court Program	This bill (1) permits a first responder to request the county behavioral health agency file a petition to commence the Community Assistance, Recovery, and Empowerment Act process to investigate a person's eligibility; and (2) requires Community Assistance, Recovery, and Empowerment to complete a review of the request within 30 days and determine whether to file a petition.	Chapter 667
SB-996	Padilla	Manufactured housing: conformity	This bill (1) updates the definition of "manufactured home" to conform with federal statutes; (2) requires the Housing and Community Development Department (HCD) to promulgate regulations to achieve parity for manufactured homes not built on a permanent chassis; and, (3) requires HCD to consult with key experts and report to the Legislature on the statutory and regulatory changes necessary to regulate, finance, title, tax, and protect homeowners in divided-tenure and leasehold homeownership arrangements.	Chapter 995
SB-1023	Laird	Health care coverage: antiretroviral drugs, drug devices, and drug products	This bill (1) adds to an existing health plan and insurer prohibition on prior authorization and step therapy for medically necessary HIV/AIDS antiretroviral drugs, drug devices and drug products; (2) requires a health plan or insurer to cover a non-self-administered antiretroviral drug, drug device, or drug product approved by the federal Food and Drug Administration for the prevention of HIV/AIDS both under the medical benefit and outpatient prescription drug benefit.	Chapter 470
SB-1037	Weber Pierson	Health care coverage: rate review	This bill (1) requires the Department of Managed Health Care and the Department of Insurance to include in an existing annual report on health insurance premiums if health plan and insurer rates meet the Affordable Care Act affordability standard for an individual, a couple, and a family of four with household income, as specified; (2) requires health plans and insurers to demonstrate the impact of the Office of Health Care Affordability cost targets and whether a plan's or insurer's annual rate of growth exceeds or will exceed the cost target for the rating period; and, (3) requires, if rate growth is expected to exceed cost targets for the rating period, plans and insurers to include specified information in rate filings. *VETO Message: "This bill requires health plans and insurers to provide*	Vetoed

			additional information in premium rate filings submitted to the Department of Managed Health Care (DMHC) and Department of Insurance (CDI), including whether annual rate growth will exceed cost targets established by the Office of Health Care Affordability (OHCA). *In 2022, in partnership with the Legislature, my administration established OHCA, a first-of-its-kind effort in California to rein in rising healthcare costs, provide relief to consumers, and improve overall quality of care. In 2024, OHCA approved a cost growth target that applies system-wide to all healthcare entities, including hospitals, health plans, and large physician organizations. OHCA's work is ongoing, and there has not been sufficient time for enforcement or to determine the impact of the statewide cost targets.* *This bill approach is premature, but the intention to address rising healthcare costs could not be more timely. As such, I am directing the DMHC and OHCA, and requesting CDI, to continue to work collaboratively to ensure that health plans' efforts to comply with the statewide cost target are considered in the premium rate review process under existing law."*	
SB-1047	Niello, Allen	Neurodegenerative disease registry program	This bill (1) expands data collection and reporting requirements for the California Neurodegenerative Disease Registry Program (CNDRP) to include frontotemporal degeneration; (2) extends the CNDRP to January 1, 2032.	Chapter 1000
SB-1049	Weber Pierson	Health care claims reimbursement	This bill provides no less than 90 calendar days for a claimant to submit a corrected claim if a health plan or insurer denies a claim or sends a notice of overpayment based on a defect that may be remedied by submitting a corrected claim.	Chapter 1001
SB-1057	Becker	Licensing: certified nurse assistants and home health aides	This bill (1) revises and recasts a portion of existing law governing the training and certification of certified nurse assistants and home health aides, specifically provisions related to the denial of an application for certification or training, or the suspension or revocation of certification, licensure, or renewal; (2) aligns these provisions of law for both professions with each other. *VETO Message: "This bill would allow continuing education or in-service hours for certified nurse assistants (CNAs) to be obtained through online training and would make significant changes to CNA and home health aide (HHA) certification standards regarding criminal record clearances, narrowing when CDPH may deny a certificate or*	Vetoed

			suspend or revoke an existing certificate. *I appreciate the author's efforts to expand access to online education for CNAs, which could potentially reduce or eliminate barriers to employment within the industry by providing a new path to certification. However, other aspects of this bill raise concerns. CDPH already has the authority to consider the unique circumstances of applicants' criminal records or any rehabilitation efforts they have pursued during the application review process. Thus, this bill significantly reduces state authority to take common administrative actions by preventing enforcement following an arrest, delaying action until a conviction and all appeals are exhausted, and disallowing enforcement on dismissed convictions and the underlying egregious behavior.* *Further, this bill unacceptably and unavoidably weakens Medicare and Medi-Cal program integrity by requiring the state to certify federally ineligible individuals, simultaneously jeopardizing facility funding, and endangering patients."*	
SB-1072	Committee on Housing	Housing omnibus	This bill makes technical, non-controversial changes to sections of state law regarding housing.	Chapter 322
SB-1088	Blakespear	Health care decisions: life-sustaining treatment	This bill (1) brings consistency in authorized signatories for requests regarding resuscitative measures; (2) allows electronic signatures on Physician Orders for Life Sustaining Treatment forms (renames to Portable Orders Listing Scope of Treatment [POLST]); (3) recognizes out-of-state requests regarding resuscitative measures to the same extent as a POLST executed in California; (4) requires POLSTs to be dated, and where there are two POLSTs, the dated form to be considered most recent; (5) requires requests regarding resuscitative measures to be voluntary; (6) allows a physician or other health care provider to assume a request regarding resuscitative measures is valid and unrevoked.	Chapter 677
SB-1089	Richardson	Preventive Treatment Health Care Act	This bill adds at least one glucagon-like peptide-1 anti-obesity weight medication approved by the federal U.S. Food and Drug Administration to existing authority granted to the California Health and Human Services Agency under the California Affordable Drug Manufacturing Act of 2020 (also referred to as CalRx), for purposes of entering into partnerships, if needed, to increase competition, lower prices, and address supply shortages.	Chapter 725

SB-1090	Pérez	Planning and zoning: housing development projects: urban lot splits: subdivisions: 2025 Eaton Wildfire: Altadena	This bill places a three-year moratorium on the Starter Home Revitalization Act in two zip codes in Altadena. The moratorium applies to applications submitted after October 1, 2026.	Chapter 1006
SB-1091	Caballero	Community Anti-Displacement and Preservation Program	This bill creates a new Department of Housing and Community Development program, the Community Anti-Displacement and Preservation Program, to fund the acquisition and rehabilitation of unrestricted housing units and attach long-term affordability restrictions.	Chapter 807
SB-1094	Weber Pierson	Prescription drugs	This bill (1) requires a health plan or insurer to cover a lower-cost biosimilar if it covers a brand-name biological product; (2) authorizes health plans and insurers, upon 60 days' notice to enrollees, insureds, and prescribing providers, to require enrollees/insureds currently prescribed a biological product to try a biosimilar when available at the same or lower cost-sharing unless the prescribing provider indicates not to substitute; (3) authorizes a pharmacist to substitute a reference product with a biosimilar when available to the patient at the same or lower cost-sharing unless the prescribing provider indicates not to substitute.	Chapter 1007
SB-1099	Reyes	State and local public benefits	This bill aligns terminology in state statute that permits local entities to provide benefits for immigrants ineligible for those benefits under federal law with the federal statute that requires a state to expressly authorize such eligibility.	Chapter 1009
SB-1116	Caballero	Planning and zoning: housing development projects: subdivisions	This bill (1) makes a series of changes regarding the scope of zoning and subdivision provisions of the Starter Home Revitalization Act (SHRA), established by SB 684 (Caballero, Chapter 783, Statutes of 2023) and later revised by SB 1123 (Caballero, Chapter 294, Statutes of 2024), and (2) voids specified types of covenants that would prohibit SHRA projects.	Chapter 808
SB-1117	Cervantes	Accessory dwelling units and junior accessory dwelling units	This bill provides that impact fees charged for certain accessory dwelling units (ADUS) that exceed 750 square feet in size may only be charged on the total square footage that exceeds 750 square feet of interior livable space, instead of the entirety of the ADU	Chapter 809

SB-1150	Jones	Cancer data: notifications	This bill requires a hospital or other facility providing therapy to cancer patients within a cancer reporting area to post a sign advising patients diagnosed with cancer that their case will be reported to the California Department of Public Health and that information may be made available to cancer researchers. The posted sign is also required to contain a quick response (QR) code that links to the California Cancer Registry website.	Chapter 228
SB-1186	Seyarto	Expedited birth certificates upon adoption	This bill (1) requires the State Registrar to establish a new birth certificate within 11 weeks upon receipt of either a report of adoption from any court of record for any child born in California or a readoption order; (2) requires, if the State Registrar determines that the report of adoption or readoption order is incomplete, the State Registrar to notify the court or applicant within 14 weeks requesting the required documentation; (3) requires the State Registrar to establish a new birth certificate within 11 weeks of receipt of the required documentation; and, (4) permits the State Registrar to return the incomplete report of adoption or readoption order to the applicant for resubmission if the required documentation is not received within 90 days after the court or applicant is notified.	Chapter 1014
SB-1238	Wahab	Common interest developments: management	This bill provides the option for a developer of a new or existing affordable housing development for which a permit application is submitted between January 1, 2025 and December 31, 2028 to comply with the requirements specified in either the 2025 California Green Building Standards (CalGreen) or the 2024 supplement to the 2022 edition of CalGreen for the installation of low power Level 2 or higher electric vehicle charging receptacles, as specified. *VETO Message: "This bill would make several changes to the Davis-Stirling Common Interest Development Act, which governs homeowners associations (HOAs), including establishing a duty of care owed by an HOAs managing agent to both the association and its individual members.* *A managing agent acts on behalf of the association, while the association owes duties to its members. Establishing a duty owed to both the association and its individual members could create conflicting obligations when a member's interests diverge from those of the community as a whole.*	Vetoed

			The resulting uncertainty could invite litigation, the costs of which homeowners would ultimately bear. *This provision also leaves unclear how the new statutory duty of care would interact with a managing agent's existing obligations to the association under common law.* *Several of the bill's remaining provisions overlap with existing requirements governing reserve planning and homeowners' access to association records, limiting their added benefit.* *California should improve transparency and accountability in homeowners associations without creating legal uncertainty that could invite litigations and increase costs for homeowners."*	
SB-1267	Allen	Common interest developments: electric vehicle charging stations owned by members in common areas	This bill requires an entity installing an electric vehicle charging station in the designated common area of a common interest development to indemnify the homeowners association for loss or damages caused by the installation.	Chapter 350
SB-1323	Rubio	Health care providers: patient access: immigration enforcement	This bill (1) requires health care providers to inform staff on how to respond to requests by a person who is in custody by immigration enforcement to notify a family member or support person about their current location; (2) requires, rather than encourages under existing law, providers to post a notice to authorities at facility entrances regarding the visitation and access policy; and (3) requires this notice to state that no person will be permitted to access nonpublic areas of a facility for immigration enforcement purposes unless required by state or federal law or pursuant to a valid physical judicial warrant or court order.	Chapter 698
SB-1361	Durazo	Transit-oriented housing developments: local governments: transit agencies and projects	This bill prohibits a local government with an existing or planned transit-oriented development stop from taking actions to interfere with a transit project's approval to avoid the application of SB 79 (Wiener, Chapter 512, Statutes of 2025) development standards.	Chapter 1027
SB-1383	Arreguín	Housing development: density bonus: incentives or concessions: labor standards	This bill prohibits a concession or incentive under Density Bonus Law from being used to modify local labor standards for any building taller than 85 feet above grade, provided that the local labor standards do not exceed the labor requirements that exist in SB 35 (Wiener, Chapter 366, Statutes of 2017) as they existed on December 31, 2025.	Chapter 1032

SB-1388	Durazo	Affordable Housing Risk Reduction Program	This bill establishes the Affordable Housing Risk Reduction Program at the Department of Housing and Community Development to provide technical assistance and resources to affordable housing providers to help mitigate risk in their portfolio and secure more affordable insurance options.	Chapter 1034
SB-1426	Committee on Housing	Planning and zoning: annual report	This bill makes nonsubstantive changes to reorganize various provisions related to annual planning reports that local governments are required to submit to the Department of Housing and Community Development and the Governor's Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation.	Chapter 56
SB-1447	Committee on Health	Health omnibus	This bill makes non-controversial changes to a number of provisions of existing law contained in the Health and Safety Code.	Chapter 238

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AB-306	Schultz, Hadwick, Wicks	California Building Standards Commission: appeals: code interpretations	This bill requires the California Building Standards Commission to hear and decide appeals regarding a local agencies implementation of the California Building Standards Code (state building code), and to issue code interpretations, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would expand the California Building Standards Commission's authority to hear appeals of certain local building code decisions, including requests to use alternative materials or construction methods, and to interpret provisions it has adopted.* *My administration worked extensively with the Legislature to make California's building standards more predictable and efficient. Last year's state budget incorporated provisions from an earlier iteration of this measure that generally paused new residential building standards until mid-2031, providing greater regulatory certainty and helping contain construction costs.* *I thank the author for their partnership and continued commitment to this important issue. However, this bill does not clearly explain how the Commission's new appeals pathway would interact with the existing processes administered by the California Energy Commission, the State Historical Building Safety Board, and the Office of the State Fire Marshal.* *These agencies already administer specialized energy, fire, and life-safety standards, resolve disputes arising from local decisions, and evaluate alternative methods of compliance. Allowing the same issues to be presented to the Building Standards Commission without specifying which agency has final authority could result in duplicative proceedings, inconsistent interpretations, and project delays. These risks are particularly concerning for housing projects, where uncertainty over applicable building standards can delay approvals, disrupt financing, increase construction costs, and ultimately prevent urgently needed homes from being built. The new process would also impose significant ongoing costs without dedicated funding."*	Vetoed
AB-635	Ahrens	Mobilehome Residency Law Protection Program: Attorney General	This bill (1) requires the Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) to refer alleged violations of the Mobilehome Residency Law to specified nonprofit legal service providers; (2) requires HCD to make specified conforming changes to the	Chapter 866

			Mobilehome Residency Law Prevention Program (MRLPP); (3) extends the sunset date of the MRLPP from 2027 to June 30, 2033.	
AB-739	Jackson	Common interest developments: managing agent fees	This bill requires a homeowner's association board to review the fees charged by a managing agent on an annual basis, and provide an electronic copy of the fees upon written request of an association member.	Chapter 506
AB-750	Quirk-Silva	Department of Housing and Community Development	This bill expands eligibility for the Portfolio Reinvestment Program under the state Department of Housing and Community Development.	Chapter 789
AB-939	Schultz	Housing development: density bonuses: affordability of for-sale units	This bill revises Density Bonus Law (DBL) to allow qualifying nonprofit corporations to purchase for-sale units developed under DBL without waiting 180 days, as specified.	Chapter 790
AB-956	Quirk-Silva	Accessory dwelling units and junior accessory dwelling units	This bill requires local agencies to ministerially approve two detached, new construction Accessory Dwelling Units on a lot with an existing or proposed single-family dwelling.	Chapter 791
AB-1165	Gipson	California Housing Justice Act of 2026	This bill establishes the California Housing Justice Act of 2026, which requires the Department of Housing Community Development, in coordination with the California Interagency Council on Homelessness and other stakeholders to create a financing plan to solve homelessness and the housing unaffordability crisis no later than July 1, 2029. *VETO message: "This bill would require the Department of Housing and Community Development to develop statewide finance plans on homelessness and housing unaffordability, establish related metrics, and update the Statewide Action Plan for Preventing and Ending Homelessness.* *California must continue making strategic investments to prevent and end homelessness and expand affordable housing. But this bill layers a new finance planning and reporting mandate onto existing work at a time when the state should be focused on delivering programs and measuring results. Further, this bill would require statewide funding estimates based on a static set of conditions, even though housing costs, local housing production, available resources, and Californians' needs change over time.*	Vetoed

			Planning and reporting requirements can be valuable when they fill a clear gap, improve accountability, or provide information that is not otherwise available. But new mandates should meet a high bar and provide a concrete benefit beyond existing efforts. This bill does not meet that important threshold. The state should instead focus its capacity on implementing established plans, evaluating results, and closing identified gaps rather than adding another planning requirement that substantially overlaps with work already underway."	
AB-1556	Haney	Recovery housing: funding	This bill codifies recovery housing eligibility for state homelessness funds provided the program complies with, among other specifications, the core components of Housing First.	Chapter 779
AB-1567	Ta	General plan: annual report: congregate and residential care for the elderly	This bill allows cities and counties to include congregate housing for the elderly and residential care facilities for the elderly in their annual progress report and allows those units to count toward a portion of the jurisdiction's share of the regional housing need. *VETO message: "This bill would allow cities and counties, under specified conditions, to count units approved in congregate housing and residential care facilities for the elderly toward up to 15% of their regional housing needs allocation in any income category.* *California needs more housing and supportive living options for older adults. My administration has supported senior housing, including through recent legislation providing development incentives tied to clear affordability standards. However, this bill would allow these facilities to count toward any income category without demonstrating that they serve households at that income level. As a result, local governments could receive credit toward their lower-income housing obligations for facilities unaffordable to lower-income residents, thereby overstating their progress in meeting those needs.* *This bill also does not establish how beds and units should be counted or duplicative credit would be prevented. These unresolved questions could allow local governments to use such facilities as a substitute for housing they would otherwise be required to plan for and approve, without demonstrating that the facilities serve the same housing needs.* *The Department of Housing and Community Development has identified the treatment of senior housing and group quarters as an*	Vetoed

			issue requiring a consistent statewide approach. Any reform should align the population included in the regional housing need with the housing credited toward meeting it and establish clear standards for affordability, classification, and counting. This bill does not provide that framework."	
AB-1573	Bryan	Land use: housing elements: target population	This bill adds victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and human trafficking to the definition of "target population" in Housing Element Law.	Chapter 524
AB-1684	Ward	Common interest developments: cooling systems	This bill renders a homeowner's association's governing documents and/or architectural guidelines void and unenforceable if any provision prohibits or restricts the installation, upgrade, replacement, or use of a cooling system that complies with all applicable state and local building codes in any separate interest within the common interest development.	Chapter 887
AB-1751	Quirk-Silva, Wicks	Missing Middle Townhome Ownership Act	This bill establishes the Missing Middle Townhome Ownership Act, which creates a streamlined, ministerial approval process for townhome developments on residentially zoned lots.	Chapter 781
AB-1815	Wicks, Quirk-Silva	Factory-built housing: building standards and local requirements	This bill prohibits cities and counties from imposing or enforcing building standards that exceed state minimum building standards on a housing construction project that utilizes factory-built housing, as specified.	Chapter 782
AB-1890	Aguiar-Curry	County of Napa: farmworker housing: funding	This bill increases the amount of funding the Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) awards to the Napa County Housing Authority's (NCHA) farmworker centers from $250,000 to $500,000, annually.	Chapter 905
AB-1892	Davies	Common interest developments: associations	This bill makes clarifying changes to sections of the Davis-Stirling Act governing homeowner's associations (HOAs), including clarification of utility service restoration responsibilities, modification of election nomination notice timelines, and revision of notice requirements for electronic secret ballots.	Chapter 169
AB-1924	Gabriel, Quirk-Silva	Statewide homelessness prevention strategy	This bill requires the California Interagency Council on Homelessness by July 1, 2028, to develop a statewide homelessness prevention strategy within the Action Plan to Prevent and End Homelessness.	Chapter 794
AB-2020	Gabriel	Housing programs: financing	This bill allows the Department of Housing and Community Development to authorize the transfer of residual receipts or excess reserves from one rental housing development to another rental housing development with the same owner.	Chapter 795
AB-2035	Dixon	Common interest developments: declarations:	This bill allows a superior court to approve a change to the governing documents in a homeowner's association, meeting specified criteria, if the change is approved by 37% of the owners, rather than 50%.	Chapter 916

		amendments		
AB-2044	Petrie-Norris	Building standards: approval or adoption: cost of compliance estimate	This bill requires that the California Building Standards Commission deny a proposed building standard if it finds that the initial statement of reasons is submitted without a completed statement of estimated cost compliance, including the related assumptions used to determine the estimate.	Chapter 136
AB-2050	Caloza	Common interest developments: reserve accounts	This bill requires homeowner's associations (HOAs), beginning January 1, 2032, to fund HOA reserve accounts in accordance with their reserve study and specifies the mechanisms from which the accounts shall be funded.	Chapter 796
AB-2058	Harabedian, Wicks	California Factory-Built Housing Law	This bill authorizes a first user of factory built housing (FBH) to select either a local enforcement agency (LEA) or a quality assurance agency to enforce and inspect the installation of the FBH structure, and caps the fees LEAs may charge for FBH permits and inspections when selected by the first user.	Chapter 783
AB-2074	Haney	Regional transit hub districts: downtown housing developments	This bill requires major transit cities to designate high-density downtown transit hub districts where qualifying housing developments are allowed by right, subject to specified labor and affordability standards, and requires the California Housing Finance Agency to conduct a housing construction loan and financing study by March 1, 2028, as specified.	Chapter 797
AB-2118	Hoover	Affordable Housing and High Road Jobs Act of 2022: use by right: objective standards	This bill makes minor changes to the Affordable Housing and High Road Jobs Act of 2022 established by AB 2011 (Wicks, Chapter 647, Statutes of 2022).	Chapter 579
AB-2128	Haney	Housing authorities: term limits and work requirements	This bill prohibits "covered housing providers" from establishing or implementing any rules, policies, or procedures that either impose term limits or "work requirements" as a condition of initial or continued eligibility for any "covered housing" unless required by federal law.	Chapter 922
AB-2146	Stefani	Coordinated Entry System: study	This bill requires the California Interagency Council on Homelessness to complete a comprehensive statewide study of Coordinated Entry Systems and its role in connecting individuals and families experiencing homelessness to affordable housing, including supportive housing, in California, as specified, and submit the study to the Legislature on or before July 1, 2028.	Chapter 923
AB-2162	Bryan	Housing: county funding allocations: nonminor dependents and young adults	This bill expands the age that young adults, formerly in the foster care or probation systems, can qualify for housing navigation services from the Housing Navigation and Maintenance Program and makes other changes to the Transitional Housing Program.	Chapter 582

AB-2174	Johnson	Mobilehomes and manufactured housing: registration and titling documentation	This bill requires the California Department of Housing and Community Development, on and after January 1, 2028, to accept a verified signature executed electronically on a document submitted to release or satisfy a security interest held by a legal owner of a mobile or manufactured home.	Chapter 386
AB-2181	Zbur	Housing development: density bonuses: rent	This bill prohibits land improved with an operating hotel or motel from being valued for purposes of establishing, adjusting, or resetting ground rent under an existing lease, based on density bonuses, concessions or incentives, or waivers under density bonus law, unless those density bonuses are entitled and vested as of the valuation date, including the issuance of all required discretionary land use approvals and permits.	Chapter 924
AB-2185	Quirk-Silva, Wicks	Housing: multifamily affordable housing programs	This bill requires various state agencies administering a multifamily affordable housing program to remove any barriers to, and create opportunities to fund, factory-built housing, no later than July 1st, 2027.	Chapter 784
AB-2263	Kalra	Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority: employee housing: transit-oriented joint development projects	This bill authorizes the Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority to construct employee housing projects on their land in addition to their existing authority for transit-oriented joint development projects.	Chapter 930
AB-2270	Arambula	Low-income housing tax credit: farmworker housing	This bill (1) requires the California Tax Credit Allocation Committee to consider amending the low-income housing tax credit regulatory scoring system to treat farmworker housing as large family projects, and to consider using the same point allocation as rural set-aside projects when assigning points to farmworker housing based on proximity of amenities to an eligible farmworker housing project; (2) prohibits low-income housing tax credits from financing units that comply with the H-2A program.	Chapter 931
AB-2296	Papan	Planning and zoning: housing element: regional housing needs allocation	This bill extends a number of timelines in the process of regional housing needs determination, regional housing needs allocation, and housing element revision.	Chapter 798
AB-2298	Irwin	Pupil instruction: computer science: content standards	This bill requires the Instructional Quality Commission, during the next revision of the computer science content standards occurring after January 1, 2027, to consider incorporating cybersecurity skills content into those standards.	Chapter 188
AB-2320	Ta	Multifamily Housing Program: Homekey: adaptive reuse	This bill requires the Department of Housing and Community Development, when awarding Homekey+ grant funding, to consider allowing adaptive reuse projects to use the timelines for new	Chapter 935

			construction rather than for rehabilitation, as specified.	
AB-2390	Schiavo	Streamlined housing approvals: objective standards: review and modifications	This bill makes technical and clarifying changes to the standards that apply to an applicant seeking a modification to a development application submitted under the streamlined ministerial approval process for developments under SB 35 (Weiner, Chapter 366, Statutes of 2017).	Chapter 799
AB-2439	Blanca Rubio, Lowenthal	Common Interest Developments: governing documents: assessments	This bill (1) prohibits a homeowner's association's (HOA) governing documents from imposing restrictions on a member's use of public streets, including parking; (2) requires an HOA to notify each member, as specified, of a change of person or entity authorized to receive payment of assessments within 60 days of the change; (3) requires an HOA to send a second notice, as specified, to any member who has missed two consecutive assessment payments, unless other conditions are met; (4) imposes civil liabilities, as specified, for violations of pre-lien notice requirements by the HOA board. *VETO message: "This bill would generally prohibit homeowners associations from restricting a member's use of public streets, establish new notification requirements when the recipient of assessment payments changes, and expand liability for specified violations of assessment-collection procedures.* *I support protecting homeowners from improper collection practices and ensuring they know where to make their assessment payments. However, this bill would make an association liable for "any costs" a homeowner incurs because the association failed to follow assessment-collection procedures.* *The bill neither defines nor limits those costs. This broad standard could create uncertainty, invite disputes and litigation, and impose costs on associations and their members disproportionate to the underlying violation.* *The bill also makes the board liable for a $1,000 civil penalty when an association commits a third specified notice violation within five years. Existing law generally places this type of liability on the association. The bill does not explain how liability against "the board" would operate or how it would apply when board membership changes between violations. This uncertainty could discourage residents from volunteering to serve and make effective association governance more difficult.*	Vetoed

			In addition, the bill requires certificates of mailing and, in certain circumstances, certified mail with a return receipt. These prescriptive requirements could impose substantial administrative costs that would ultimately be passed on to homeowners."	
AB-2480	Ávila Farías	Housing development: density bonus: student housing developments	This bill requires a local government to provide an additional density bonus for student housing developments that meet a minimum affordability threshold and provide additional units for moderate-income students.	Chapter 801
AB-2576	Harabedian	Transit-oriented development: exclusions: historic sites	This bill expands the historic sites exclusion in SB 79 (Wiener, Chapter 512, Statutes 2025), prior to one year following the adoption of the seventh housing element, to include contributing sites within a historic district and parcels individually listed as a historical resource in the State Historic Resources Inventory designated before January 1, 2025.	Chapter 214
AB-2601	Lee	Planning and zoning: housing development: streamlined approval and subdivisions	This bill makes several changes to the permitting and subdivision processes for small-scale housing developments.	Chapter 955
AB-2689	Ávila Farías	Low-income housing tax credits: lease nonrenewal: good cause	This bill provides for the Low Income Housing Tax Credit program, for any low income building that is subject to an enforceable regulatory agreement with a government entity, good cause for a nonrenewal of a lease includes when both a household's income exceeds 140% of the area median income for at least two years and the 30% of the households monthly income fair market rent, as specified.	Chapter 958
AB-2692	Irwin	Common interest developments: reinstatement of terminated declarations: County of Los Angeles	This bill allows a homeowner's association in Los Angeles County, until January 1, 2028, to reinstate an expired declaration via majority vote of all members, unless another threshold is specified in the governing documents.	Chapter 124
SB-417	Limón, Rivas	The Veterans and Affordable Housing Bond Act of 2026	This urgency bill enacts the Veterans and Affordable Housing Bond Act of 2026, which, if adopted by the voters in the statewide election November 2, 2026, authorizes $11.25 billion in general obligation bonds to fund specified housing programs.	Chapter 16
SB-457	Becker	Housing element compliance: committed assistance: in-kind	This bill requires the Department of Housing and Community Development, by July 1, 2028, to develop one or more formulas or other tools that a jurisdiction may use when developing its housing element sites inventory and completing any rezoning required under	Chapter 802

		services: realistic capacity formula	Housing Element Law, and specifies the types of “in-kind services” that qualify as “committed assistance” for the purposes of determining the number of housing units a jurisdiction may count towards its adequate sites obligation under Housing Element Law.	
SB-722	Wahab, Wiener	Transit-oriented housing development: excluded parcels and sites	This urgency bill establishes the Mobile Home Park Protection Act, which exempts existing parcels or sites from SB 79 (Wiener, Chapter 512, Statutes of 2025) if those parcels or sites are subject to the Mobilehome Residency Law, Mobilehome Parks Act, the Recreational Vehicle Park Occupancy Law, and the Special Occupancy Parks Act.	Chapter 100
SB-750	Cortese	California Housing Finance Agency: credit enhancement mechanisms study	This bill requires the California Housing Finance Agency to conduct a comprehensive assessment of potential credit enhancement mechanisms designed to reduce borrowing costs for housing projects receiving state financial assistance, by July 1, 2028.	Chapter 803
SB-772	Cabaldon	Infill Infrastructure Grant Program of 2019: applications: eligibility	This bill makes a number of revisions to the Infill Infrastructure Grant Program.	Chapter 804

HUMAN SERVICES				
AB-1049	Celeste Rodriguez	California Food Assistance Program: sponsor deeming rules	This bill eliminates the requirement that applicants to the California Food Assistance Program must abide by the federal sponsor deeming rules required of qualified immigrants applying to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program. *VETO message: "This bill exempts the California Food Assistance Program (CFAP) from federal sponsor-deeming rules and exemptions so that a sponsor's income and resources are no longer attributed to a sponsored immigrant applicant.* *I applaud the author's commitment to removing barriers for individuals seeking access to food assistance. Unfortunately, the changes proposed by this bill would create a significant inconsistency between the federally funded CalFresh program and the state-funded CFAP program. Both programs utilize the same application and follow the same sponsor deeming requirements. I am reluctant to fundamentally alter rules that could lead to apparent discrepancies that could be weaponized by the current federal administration. We have already witnessed their limitless cruelty in denying millions of American families food assistance with little to no regard.* *There are existing exemptions to sponsor deeming that are aligned with the intent of the bill. I am directing the Department of Social Services to continue to work with counties and trusted community messengers to support awareness of these exemptions, alongside other efforts to connect Californians to food benefits."*	Vetoed
AB-1099	Bryan	Developmental services: initial intake	This bill (1) requires a regional center to facilitate a case conference within 15 working days following an initial request for assistance for intakes involving a child welfare involved child or youth; (2) prohibits a determination not to provide additional assessment from being solely based on the age of the person when they received a diagnosis of a qualifying condition; (3) requires the Department of Developmental Services to annually post on its website specified data related to initial intakes and assessment and eligibility determinations. *VETO message: "This bill requires that any child or youth in foster care referred for regional center services receive a case conference within an initial 15-day period and requires regional centers to complete a full assessment and eligibility determination within 60 days.*	Vetoed

			While I share the author's goal to ensure all children and youth in foster care receive timely access to the support and services they need, this bill would create significant, ongoing General Fund cost pressures to fund local assistance costs annually. *Additionally, the Department of Developmental Services is already actively working to modernize and standardize intake procedures to ensure timely access to care for all Californians across the 21 regional centers pursuant to SB 138 (Chapter 192, Statutes of 2023).* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	
AB-1201	Jackson	Family reunification services	This bill limits when the court can bypass services to a parent or guardian in a dependency case for a violent felony conviction to only when the victim was either a child, or the victim was someone with whom the parent or guardian had a child in common at the time of the commission of the offense.	Chapter 514
AB-1575	Arambula	Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act	This bill updates terminology throughout the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act.	Chapter 525
AB-1602	Blanca Rubio	Foster youth: disaster aid assistance	This bill (1) establishes a statewide Child Welfare Disaster Response Fund and a Child Welfare Disaster Response Program to support the needs of foster children and youth and their caregivers during a disaster; (2) requires that funds awarded be made available to meet the housing, clothing, transportation, and other tangible needs of foster children and youth and their caregivers that occur within 180 days of a local emergency proclamation or a state of emergency proclamation. *VETO message: "This bill establishes a statewide Child Welfare Disaster Response Fund and a child Welfare Disaster Response Program to support foster children and youth and their caregivers during a disaster.*	Vetoed

			While I share the author's goal to support foster children and youth and their caregivers, this bill would create a new, unfunded grant program. Last year I vetoed an identical bill, noting that without an identified funding source, it would have created significant, ongoing General Fund cost pressures to fund local assistance costs annually. That is still the case."	
AB-1655	Bryan	CalWORKs: temporary absence: immigration detention	This bill requires, when a child or other member of a California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) household is detained in a federal immigration detention facility, to consider them to be temporarily absent from the home for the duration of the detention for the purposes of determining CalWORKs aid, provided the person is otherwise eligible for CalWORKs and sworn statements are submitted.	Chapter 742
AB-1689	Quirk-Silva	Juvenile courts: temporary probate guardianship	This bill allows a dependency court to terminate temporary probate guardianship at any hearing if it is in the best interests of the minor.	Chapter 542
AB-1755	Sharp-Collins, Lee	CalWORKS	This bill deletes the rule that families with parents who work over 100 hours in a month are ineligible for assistance from the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) program.	Chapter 375
AB-1932	Elhawary	Department of Social Services: C.R.I.S.E.S. Grant Pilot Program 2.0	This bill reauthorizes the Community Response Initiative to Strengthen Emergency Systems (C.R.I.S.E.S.) Grant Pilot Program.	Chapter 562
AB-1981	Aguiar-Curry	Subsidized childcare: reimbursement rates: reporting	This bill (1) revises requirements for the California Department of Social Services to provide updates to the Legislature regarding the implementation of reimbursement rates for subsidized child care based on the alternative methodology; (2) adopts several recommendations in the Single Rate Structure report.	Chapter 567
AB-1983	Blanca Rubio	Continuing care retirement communities: repayable contracts	This bill adds sequential order method as a type of repayable contract that may be entered into between a Continuing Care Retirement Community and a person entering residential care.	Chapter 281
AB-1996	Bonta	California Child Poverty Reduction Advisory Council	This bill establishes the California Child Poverty Reduction Advisory Council and requires the council to create benchmarks and metrics that measure California's progress toward reducing child poverty by 50% in 10 years.	Chapter 568
AB-2195	Celeste Rodriguez	Child support: license suspensions	This bill expands the existing prohibition on suspending the driver's license of a parent whose income is at or below 70% of their county median income, as defined, because the parent is in arrears on a child	Chapter 291

			support payment, to a prohibition on suspending any license held by a parent below that income	
AB-2230	Ávila Farías	Child daycare facilities	This bill (1) prohibits employees of a licensed child daycare facility from providing voluntary consent to a law enforcement officer to enter a nonpublic area of a licensed child daycare facility unless presented with a valid judicial warrant, judicial subpoena, or a court order or if exigent circumstances exist (2) requires an employee of a licensed child daycare facility to request valid information from a law enforcement officer seeking to enter a nonpublic area of a licensed child daycare facility. *VETO message: "This bill would prohibit employees of a child daycare facility licensed by the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) from providing voluntary consent to a law enforcement officer to enter a nonpublic area of the facility unless presented with valid documentation.* *Immigration enforcement actions, coupled with anti-immigrant online rhetoric targeting providers, have created climate of fear for childcare providers, and for the children and families for whom they provide care. In recognition of this cruel reality, I signed legislation last year (AB 495, Rodriguez) to strengthen protections, increase preparedness, and provide clear guidance for caregivers and daycare facilities. These resources are helping providers today become knowledgeable about how to respond to an immigration enforcement action.* *While I appreciate the author's intent to further protect our children and providers, this bill takes the wrong approach. By broadly prohibiting employees of a licensed child daycare facility from providing voluntary consent to any law enforcement officer, this bill places an undue burden on providers to validate the legality of the officer's action or verify specific legal documents, likely in the middle of a frightening and overwhelming experience.* *Further, this bill may have the unintended effect of hindering normal licensing investigation and enforcement operations. CDSS is responsible for protecting the health and safety of children in its licensed facilities and often works with law enforcement agencies to fulfill that duty. There could be a myriad of legitimate reasons for law enforcement to visit a facility completely unrelated to immigration enforcement, and this bill unnecessarily complicates those situations."*	Vetoed

AB-2278	Ávila Farías	In-home supportive services: Community First Choice Option program: noncompliance penalties	This bill requires the California Department of Social Services to prepare and submit a report to the Legislature by July 1, 2029, on the amount of payments made by counties for the Community First Choice Option program.	Chapter 390
AB-2304	Lackey	Social workers	This bill (1) requires a social worker to take reasonable steps to obtain emergency care for a child who has been taken into temporary custody if they reasonably appear to require emergency medical or surgical care; (2) specifies that county social workers who are guilty of specified crimes related to stealing, falsifying, altering or destroying public records or documents are punishable by felony imprisonment, or in a county jail or by both a fine and imprisonment.	Chapter 392
AB-2314	Rogers	Childcare: alternative payment program	This bill (1) establishes a new Voluntary Temporary Transfer (VTT) process for Alternative Payment Program agencies; (2) requires the California Department of Social Services to respond to a VTT request within 30 calendar days of receipt by either approving, conditionally approving, or denying the request; (3) specifies that a VTT request may only be denied under certain circumstances. *VETO message: "This bill would propose new requirements for the Voluntary Temporary Transfer (VTT) of child care and development funds, allow a VTT request submission at any time during the fiscal year, and add optional fiscal management provisions for Alternative Payment Programs (APP).* *I share the author's intent of ensuring families have access to reliable childcare. However, allowing an APP contractor to submit a VTT request at any time during the fiscal year conflicts with CDSS' existing statutory authority to set timelines for temporary transfers of funds. This compromises program integrity, putting contractor annual fiscal reports and audits at risk, and creates unnecessary administrative burdens for CDSS and contractors alike. Additionally, the bill's permissive language regarding the transfer of VTT funds out of a county conflicts with childcare and development funding requirements that were negotiated as part of the 2026 Budget."*	Vetoed
AB-2333	Pellerin	Child welfare nongovernmental organizations	This bill extends the sunset from January 1, 2027 to January 1, 2028 for liability protections for foster family agencies.	Chapter 96
AB-2414	Nguyen	Developmental services: direct	This bill defines "Direct Support Professional" for purposes of the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act.	Chapter 603

		support professionals		
AB-2429	Blanca Rubio	Childcare: mental health consultation services	This bill (1) revises reimbursement requirements for early childhood mental health consultation services by requiring consultants to use an early care and education observation tool at least once per year in each classroom or setting, rather than twice per year; (2) makes optional the requirement to administer at least one Adverse Childhood Experiences screening.	Chapter 399
AB-2478	Schultz, Solache	Kinship family approval	This bill establishes a Kinship Family Approval process in the California Department of Social Services as a streamlined pathway for relatives, nonrelative extended family members, and extended family members of Indian children to become approved foster care providers.	Chapter 611
AB-2510	Arambula	CalWORKs	This bill (1) makes a number of changes for individuals who are recipients of both California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) benefits and child welfare family reunification services; (2) clarifies that a family of CalWORKs beneficiaries can still receive benefits if a child is removed from the home even if other children remain in the home, if they are otherwise still eligible. *VETO message: "This bill would expand eligibility for the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) Family Reunification (FR) program by authorizing the program's cash aid period for longer than six months and no longer requiring that all children be removed from the home to be eligible for CalWORKs FR.* *Last year, I vetoed a substantially similar bill because it resulted in ongoing costs that were not accounted for in the budget. That is still the case this year.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	Vetoed
AB-2684	Nguyen	Juveniles: nonminor dependents: out-of-state placement: visitation	This bill creates a process to allow nonminor dependents who are placed out of state the option to have their required monthly visits with their social worker or probation officer be virtual rather than in-person.	Chapter 957

AB-2764	Ahrens	Extended foster care	This bill prohibits a nonminor dependent from being denied eligibility for, or have eligibility terminated from, receipt of extended foster care benefits for failure to meet education or employment participation requirements that exceed the program requirements.	Chapter 636
AB-2765	Ahrens	CalFresh and CalWORKs: childhood hunger and foster youth	This bill makes a number of changes that require the state and counties to implement H.R. 1 following certain principles to maximize currently allowed exemptions and mitigate harm for people affected by H.R. 1.	Chapter 310
SB-479	Arreguín	Homeless adult and family multidisciplinary personnel teams	This bill allows cities that are designated as a local health jurisdiction to establish homeless adult and family multidisciplinary personnel teams.	Chapter 969
SB-534	Padilla	Dependent children: information related to family	This bill requires a county welfare department to provide a minor or nonminor dependent (NMD), at the minor or NMD's final review hearing or prior to the court terminating jurisdiction, the last known whereabouts of the youth's parents and siblings and their last known contact information, unless the youth declines the information.	Chapter 415
SB-557	Hurtado	Child abuse: family resource centers	This bill expands and refines the definition of "family resource center," aligning it more closely with the federal definition.	Chapter 125
SB-837	Reyes	Disaster and emergency preparedness	This bill requires Aging and Disability Resource Connections programs to provide disaster and emergency preparedness community education specifically designed with the goals of informing older adults and people with disabilities about emergency preparedness and promoting their safety before, during, and after natural disasters and other emergency events.	Chapter 984
SB-902	Grayson	Early childhood education and childcare: electronic signatures	This bill (1) clarifies that an electronic signature in compliance with the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act may satisfy a signature required by the Early Education Act and the Child Care and Development Services Act; (2) authorizes documents with an electronic signature to be created and stored in an electronic format in compliance with the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act and (3) authorizes the California Department of Social Services to adopt regulations to implement this bill.	Chapter 418
SB-991	Menjivar	Residential care facilities for the elderly: categorization of citations	This bill (1) requires the California Department of Social Services (CDSS), when a Residential Care for the Elderly licensee is cited for a deficiency that constitutes abuse to categorize the type of abuse; (2) describes the categories of abuse; and (3) requires CDSS to ensure that these categories of abuse are reflected in any public-facing transparency, licensing, or enforcement databases maintained by	Chapter 994

			CDSS.	
SB-1030	Smallwood-Cuevas	CalWORKs: unrelated adult male	This bill removes the statute that requires an unrelated adult male who lives in a household that is receiving aid from the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids program to contribute financially to the family on July 1, 2027 or when the necessary automation can be performed.	Chapter 999
SB-1051	Menjivar	Foster care: childcare	This bill (1) authorizes a child care navigator to refer a foster child to the county welfare department for eligibility and approval under the Emergency Child Care Bridge Program for Foster Children; and (2) requires a county welfare department to determine eligibility of a child referred from a child care navigator.	Chapter 1002
SB-1077	Gonzalez	CalFresh: federal government shutdowns	This bill (1) requires the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) to create a landing page on its website that informs the public about the status of CalFresh during a government shutdown that affects CalFresh benefits and requires CDSS to work with stakeholders to create a communications plan for CalFresh recipients and public officials during a government shutdown; and (2) requires CDSS to create a benefit issuance mechanism that allows the department to quickly issue CalFresh benefits during a federal government shutdown that affects CalFresh benefit disbursement. *VETO Message: "This bill would impose a number of requirements on the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) to respond to future federal government shutdowns that impact the disbursement of CalFresh benefits. This would include creating a webpage about the status of CalFresh benefits during a shutdown, developing a communications plan, and establishing a benefit issuance mechanism that would allow CDSS to issue nutrition benefits during a shutdown if CalFresh disbursements are impacted.* *Last fall, America endured the longest federal government shutdown in the nation's history and - for the first time in the program's six-decade existence - federal food assistance benefits were not issued, despite the availability of $5 billion in federal contingency funds. In response to this cruelty, California took several actions to mitigate the harm to millions relying on food assistance. Under "Operation Feed California," we deployed California Service Corps members and the National Guard to food banks, fast-tracked roughly $80 million in emergency state funding, and called on residents to volunteer, donate, and support neighbors - California stepped up where Washington had failed.*	Vetoed

			I wholeheartedly share the author's goal of ensuring families maintain access to critical food benefits in the event of a future federal government shutdown. However, this bill imposes requirements that CDSS simply cannot implement, while also limiting the state's flexibility to stay nimble in response to rapidly changing circumstances. Much of the information CDSS would be required to disseminate was not available during the 43-day shutdown last fall, and would likely not be available in future ones. Further, the creation of a new state-funded benefit issuance mechanism would require significant automation planning and system development, the complexity of which depends on the type of benefit issued."	
SB-1190	Grove	Child welfare: transport escort services	This bill (1) revises California's regulation of transport escort services; (2) establishes conditions of operation; (3) prohibits specified restraint practices and nighttime pickups.	Chapter 1015
SB-1261	Laird	Aging and Disability Resource Connection program	This bill (1) prohibits the California Department of Aging (CDA) from revoking the designation of an Aging and Disability Resource Connection (ADRC) program solely due to the revocation or voluntary revocation of a designation, suspension or temporary inability of either the area agency on aging or the independent living center partner to serve in its operator role; and (2) authorizes the remaining partner to continue to operate as an ADRC independently during the transition period of up to two years as jointly determined by CDA and the Department of Rehabilitation with advice from the ADRC Advisory Committee when practicable, while a new or replacement partner is identified.	Chapter 426
SB-1322	Richardson	Community Care Expansion Program	This bill requires the California Department of Social Services to take certain actions related to grant administration of the Community Care Expansion Program should the program obtain additional funding made available to tribes.	Chapter 697
SB-1345	Wahab	Foster children: rights of foster youth	This bill (1) adds and clarifies rights within the Foster Youth Bill of Rights; (2) creates the right to have their personal belongings transported during placement changes and other moves in a matter that preserves the youth's property and dignity; (3) clarifies that the right to have storage space for private use also includes the right to maintain reasonable access to and use of personal belongings, clothing, and personal items.	Chapter 432
SB-1410	Limón	Adult community care facilities: email	This bill requires an applicant or licensee of an adult community care facility to provide written notification to the California Department of	Chapter 327

		address of record	Social Services of an email address of record or of any change to the email address of record within 12 business days, rather than 10 business days.	
SB-1421	McGuire	California Child and Family Service Review System: nonminor dependents	This bill requires the California Child and Family Service Review System to track how many nonminor dependents are using benefits designed to reduce poverty.	Chapter 712

INSURANCE				
AB-69	Calderon	FAIR Plan policy notices and renewals	This bill enacts various provisions to assist California Fair Access to Insurance Requirements Plan Association (FAIR Plan) policyholders in securing coverage outside of the FAIR Plan. These provisions include providing policyholder information to interested insurers and agents or brokers of record simultaneously, while also making policyholders aware of additional coverage options.	Chapter 496
AB-888	Calderon	California Safe Homes grant program	This bill creates the California Safe Homes grant program within the California Department of Insurance with the goals of reducing local and statewide wildfire losses, improving the insurability and resilience of vulnerable communities, and home hardening to mitigate wildfire risk and reduce the cost of insurance.	Chapter 536
AB-1680	Calderon	California FAIR Plan Association	This bill aims to create greater ability for the California Department of Insurance to ensure accountability and coverage options in the operations of the California Fair Access to Insurance Requirements Plan Association.	Chapter 540
AB-1781	Michelle Rodriguez	Federal Home Loan Banks	This bill prohibits a Federal Home Loan Bank (FHLB) from being stayed, enjoined, or prohibited from exercising or enforcing any right or cause of action against collateral pledged by an insurer-member or an FHLB insurer-member under any FHLB security agreement.	Chapter 90
AB-1795	Gipson	Smoke Damage Recovery Act	This bill (1) requires that the California Environmental Protection Agency develop, by June 30, 2027, health-based standards and requirements for minimum sampling, testing, and chemical screening levels for residential properties that have sustained smoke damage from a wildland-urban interface fire or urban conflagration; (2) establishes a framework for the application and implementation of these standards, including the development of training and certification requirements for insurance adjusters and those who sample, test, or restore residential properties; (3) sets down affiliated requirements for insurers, and responsibilities for the California Department of Insurance.	Chapter 240
AB-1798	Wilson	Genetic testing for life and disability insurance	This bill (1) prohibits a life or disability insurer from canceling, limiting, or denying coverage based on a test for a genetic characteristic, except as specified; (2) prohibits a life or disability insurance institution, agent, or insurance-support organization from requiring, requesting, or soliciting genetic information; using genetic test results; or considering a person's decisions or actions relating to genetic testing in any manner for an insurance purpose, with certain exemptions; (3) bans the use or disclosure of an individual's full genome.	Chapter 897

AB-1931	Papan	Insurance: home protection companies	This bill creates a home protection contract limited lines agent license, and affiliated regulatory requirements and structure to allow utilities, acting as a home protection contract vendor, to transact home protection contracts on behalf of and under the authority of a home protection company.	Chapter 561
AB-2038	Harabedian, Zbur	Residential property insurance: cancellations and nonrenewals	This bill (1) requires an insurer to offer to their policyholders, when a disaster-related total loss of a primary residential property occurs, coverage for at least the next three annual renewal periods, but no less than 36 months of coverage from the date of the total loss; (2) prohibits an insurer from canceling or refusing to renew a policy of residential property insurance for a property located in any ZIP Code within or adjacent to a fire perimeter for two years after the declaration of a state of emergency.	Chapter 917
AB-2061	Chen	California FAIR Plan Association: data	This bill (1) requires the California Fair Access to Insurance Requirements Plan (FAIR Plan) to post quarterly on its website, the number of policies it issued in each ZIP Code and its risk exposure; (2) removes the requirement that the FAIR Plan publish its telephone number in all general distribution telephone directories in the state.	Chapter 918
AB-2361	Pacheco	Insurance: personal vehicle sharing	This bill (1) revises the liability of a Personal Vehicle Sharing Program (PVSP) from unlimited liability to liability for bodily injury or property damage to injured third parties resulting from personal vehicle sharing in the amounts stated in the PVSP agreement, and not less than $250,000 for bodily injury or death for one person, $500,000 for bodily injury or death for all persons, and $100,000 for property damage; (2) makes these provisions inapplicable if the vehicle owner acts in concert with a shared vehicle driver who fails to return the shared vehicle pursuant to the terms of the PVSP agreement.	Chapter 601
AB-2724	Bauer-Kahan	Insurance: distressed areas	This bill (1) requires the California Department of Insurance to review and update distressed areas, on or before July 1, 2027, and yearly thereafter; (2) establishes additional requirements for public input and awareness of areas classified as distressed.	Chapter 961
SB-354	Limón	Insurance Information and Privacy Protection Act	This bill expands and updates related laws to establish standards for the collection, use, storage, disclosure, analysis, deletion, retention, or modification of personal information (PI), collectively known as “processing” and “sharing” of consumer PI by licensees, surplus line insurers, reinsurers, and their third-party service providers in the business of insurance.	Chapter 481
SB-876	Padilla	Fire and residential property insurance	This bill (1) makes various changes to fire and residential property insurance coverage and notification requirements to support	Chapter 656

			policyholders after a covered loss, and (2) enhances the ability of the Insurance Commissioner to provide related oversight and enforcement.	
SB-877	Pérez	Residential property insurance: loss estimate transparency.	This bill modifies the definition of "claim-related documents" under the California Standard Form Fire Insurance Policy to include all valuation, measurement, and loss adjustment calculations, whether preliminary or final, related to the amount of loss, covered damage, and cost of repairs. *VETO Message: "These two bills [SB 877 and SB 878] codify existing technical regulations and guidance adopted by the California Department of Insurance to clarify definitions of claim documents and specify certain timeframes for payment of claims to policyholders.* *Over the last few years, the California Department of Insurance adopted several landmark regulations, such as the Sustainable Insurance Strategy and the Intervenor and Administrative Hearing Bureau Fairness and Accountability rulemaking package, both of which signify reforms decades in the making. Once fully implemented, these new processes will greatly improve access to and availability of insurance throughout California.* *These bills, however, seek to codify portions of unrelated, existing regulations that are unnecessary at this time."*	Vetoed
SB-878	Pérez	Insurance business practices	This bill codifies regulations specifying timeframes for payment of a claim under a policy of residential property insurance and adds interest payable to the insured, if those timeframes are not met. *VETO Message: "These two bills [SB 877 and SB 878] codify existing technical regulations and guidance adopted by the California Department of Insurance to clarify definitions of claim documents and specify certain timeframes for payment of claims to policyholders.* *Over the last few years, the California Department of Insurance adopted several landmark regulations, such as the Sustainable Insurance Strategy and the Intervenor and Administrative Hearing Bureau Fairness and Accountability rulemaking package, both of which signify reforms decades in the making. Once fully implemented, these new processes will greatly improve access to and availability of insurance throughout California.*	Vetoed

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SB-1206	Committee on Insurance	Insurance: omnibus	This bill makes a number of technical and non-controversial amendments to various provisions of the Insurance Code.	Chapter 685
SB-1209	Allen	Insurance: examination of insurers	This bill (1) provides the Insurance Commissioner (Commissioner) with the authority to take action to compel insurance companies to correct violations of applicable statutes, regulations, statutory accounting principles, and other legally binding applicable rules identified in an examination report of an insurance company; (2) creates a hearing process for the Commissioner to evaluate an insurer's non-compliance with these provisions and consider imposing related penalties.	Chapter 1017
SB-1301	Allen	Residential property insurance: nonrenewals	This bill updates processes and timelines that residential property insurers must follow when an insurer does not renew such a policy, among other related provisions.	Chapter 693

JUDICIARY				
AB-501	Papan	Lawsuits, liens, and other encumbrances.	This bill (1) raises the existing penalty for filing a false lien to $15,000 from the existing $5,000, and provides that any party deemed to have fraudulent filed a lien is liable to the debtor for three times all of the court fees paid; (2) requires the Secretary of State (SOS) to notify a debtor named in a financing statement within 21 days after the financing statement is filed with the SOS; (3) authorizes a person identified as a debtor in a fraudulent financing statement to file an affidavit, under penalty of perjury, attesting as such with the filing office in which the statement was filed and (4) authorizes a person who filed the financing statement to contest the affidavit in court, as provided.	Chapter 505
AB-540	Connolly	Civil actions and attorneys	This bill (1) removes the two-day extension to procedural timelines where service is effectuated by electronic service; (2) establishes a "first look" procedure to protect sensitive medical and personal information in civil litigation, subject to stipulation of the parties; and (3) clarifies what constitutes a lawyer referral service under the State Bar Act.	Chapter 263
AB-713	Solache	Public postsecondary education: student employment	This bill prohibits California public universities, beginning January 6, 2027, from disqualifying a student for employment due to their failure to provide proof of federal employment authorization. *VETO message: "This bill prohibits California public universities, beginning January 6, 2027, from disqualifying a student from employment for failing to provide proof of federal employment authorization.* *Two years ago, I vetoed a nearly identical bill and, unfortunately, my concerns about its unintended consequences have only grown. The current federal government has shown it is quick to wreak destruction for political spectacle – attacking California's public higher education institutions and terrorizing immigrant communities, including students, with reckless disregard for consequences and a desire for chaos.* *California remains committed to economic opportunity and tuition affordability for all students, including leading efforts to support undocumented students who face growing barriers and threats under this cruel federal administration. But given the gravity of this bill's consequences – including potential criminal and civil liability for state employees – the federal courts must resolve the legality of the novel legal theory behind this legislation before we proceed. Seeking*	Vetoed

			declaratory relief in federal court would provide such clarity."	
AB-1267	Pellerin, Dixon, Menjivar, Petrie-Norris, Quirk-Silva, Wahab	Marriage: prohibition on minors	This bill repeals provisions permitting a person under the age of 18 from entering into a marriage or a domestic partnership with parental consent, thereby establishing the state's minimum marriage and domestic partnership age at 18 years.	Chapter 850
AB-1359	Ahrens	Jury service exemptions	This bill, starting January 1, 2028, streamlines and simplifies the process for a person 80 years of age or older to receive a permanent excuse from jury service.	Chapter 195
AB-1544	Krell	Court proceedings: media access	This bill prohibits a judicial officer, peace officer, or other law enforcement officer from blocking any member of the press or public from accessing a court facility that is open to the public and makes a violation of this prohibition subject to civil penalties under the Tom Bane Civil Rights Act.	Chapter 520
AB-1597	Castillo	Notary public: service fees	This bill increases the maximum amount notary publics can charge for certain services by $5.	Chapter 39
AB-1622	Blanca Rubio, Carrillo	Electrified security fences	This bill removes the January 1, 2028 sunset for provisions that prohibit local cities, counties, and cities and counties from prohibiting the installation and operation of an electrified security fence on specified industrial, manufacturing, or commercial property, or from requiring a permit or approval for such fences, except as specified, when the fence is compliant with various requirements for electrified security fences.	Chapter 129
AB-1628	Michelle Rodriguez	Child protection: safe surrender	This bill expands the safe-surrender program, through which a parent may surrender a child aged up to 72 hours at a designated safe-surrender site without incurring civil or criminal liability for child abandonment, to permit a parent to surrender a child of up to 30 days of age.	Chapter 534
AB-1640	Stefani, Lowenthal	California Restaurant Reservation AntiPiracy Act	This bill prohibits a person from selling or transferring, or facilitating the sale or transfer of, a restaurant reservation for an amount higher than the price they paid for the reservation, unless the person has a written agreement with the restaurant expressly permitting them to charge a higher amount.	Chapter 475
AB-1650	Caloza	Rental vehicles: law enforcement	This bill requires any privately owned vehicle rented by, or furnished to, any federal, state, or local law enforcement agency for use in detaining, arresting, or transporting persons suspected of violating any law to display a temporary decal displaying the agency name and logo, as specified.	Chapter 741
AB-1651	Dixon	State Bar of California: artificial	This bill requires the State Bar of California (State Bar), beginning January 1, 2028, to disclose the use of artificial intelligence-generated	Chapter 116

		intelligence	content in developing or administering State Bar examinations or study materials, as specified, for any content developed by or at the explicit direction of the State Bar.	
AB-1652	Patterson	State agencies: regulations and legislation: nondisclosure agreements	This bill (1) prohibits an elective or appointive officer of a state agency, acting in their official capacity, from entering into, or requesting that another individual enter into, a nondisclosure agreement relating to the drafting, negotiation, or discussion of a proposed regulation or legislation, except as specified; (2) provides that any nondisclosure agreement relating to the drafting, negotiation, or discussion of a proposed regulation or legislation entered into, or requested by an elective or appointive officer of a state agency acting in their official capacity after the effective date of this legislation, shall be void and unenforceable, except as provided.	Chapter 130
AB-1657	Rogers	Domestic violence: restraining orders	This bill prohibits a court from requiring a petitioner seeking an ex parte temporary restraining order under the Domestic Violence Prevention Act (DVPA) to provide notice to the party to be restrained before accepting the application for filing or issuing a decision on the application.	Chapter 368
AB-1660	Schiavo	Public guardians and public administrators	This bill (1) authorizes a court to award sanctions of no less than $1,000 per violation if a financial institution or other person fails to comply with existing requirements to provide information or surrender property of a decedent, minor, or conservatee to a public administrator or public guardian that is authorized to take possession and control of such property after receipt of service of at least 30 days written notice to comply; (2) provides that receipt of the written certification fully releases a financial institution from any liability for any act or omission of the public administrator or public guardian with respect to the property or the safe-deposit box, in addition to existing law that discharges them of finial liability; (3) revises the statutory form certificate of authority for public guardians and establishes a statutory form certificate of authority for public administrators, as provided.	Chapter 369
AB-1705	Bauer-Kahan, Dixon	Pornographic internet websites	This bill (1) specifies that the operator of a website must exercise a duty of ordinary care with respect to sexually explicit content displayed on its site; (2) requires the operator of a pornographic internet website, as defined, to obtain from its users a verification that sexually explicit material the user uploads to the site does not include a depiction of a person who was a minor at the time the material was created, who did not consent to be in the material, or who did not consent to have the material uploaded.	Chapter 890

AB-1744	Addis, Hart	Environmental advertising: sunscreen	This bill prohibits a person from representing in advertising or on the label or container of any sunscreen product sold in the state that the product is “reef safe,” “reef friendly,” “ocean safe,” “marine safe,” ocean friendly,” “marine conscious,” “reef conscious,” or a similar term or phrase likely to cause a reasonable consumer to believe that the product does not harm marine ecosystems unless the product does not contain any chemical ultraviolet filters.	Chapter 272
AB-1770	Garcia	Arbitration: health care service plans: Lindalee’s Law	This bill (1) provides that the Attorney Geneal has oversight over, and may require reports from, health care service plans to ensure that such plans that include a term requiring the parties to submit to binding arbitration to settle disputes comply with certain requirements under existing law; (2) requires, notwithstanding any other law, that an arbitration claim initiated pursuant to a health care service plan is to be conducted pursuant to the California Arbitration Act.	Chapter 545
AB-1776	Aguiar-Curry	Cartwright Act: violations	This bill adds, to the Cartwright Act, a prohibition on engaging in monopolistic or monopsonistic conduct, as specified; a violation of this measure’s provisions can be enforced only through an action brought by the Attorney General or a district attorney.	Chapter 826
AB-1801	Lee	Public agencies: approval: detention facilities	This bill clarifies the process by which a city, county, city and county, or public agency thereof must provide public notice and public opportunity to be heard before the public entity can execute or approve various documents or permits for the building or reuse of an existing building by a private corporation, contractor, or vendor to house or detain persons for civil immigration custody.	Chapter 743
AB-1817	Addis	Mobilehome parks: termination of tenancy: failure to comply with a rule or regulation	This bill requires the written notice that mobilehome park management must serve a homeowner for a termination of tenancy for failing to comply with a reasonable rule or regulation of the park to include the language of each rule or regulation for which the homeowner is alleged to be in violation, specific facts relating to the alleged violation, and any action required to adhere to the rule or regulation, and requires that this written notice be served upon the homeowner according to specified law.	Chapter 793
AB-1821	Pacheco	California Public Records Act: agency response time	This bill specifies that the number of days an agency has to make a determination on a request for records of whether the agency is in possession of the requested records and whether they will be disclosed is 10 business days, and that this 10-day period can be extended for specified unusual circumstances for 14 business days.	Chapter 899
AB-1824	Ramos	Indian children: guardianship or	This bill incorporates within the Probate Code the requirements of the Indian Child Welfare Act (25 United States Code section 1901, et seq.)	Chapter 454

		conservatorship proceedings	(ICWA) for matters in which an Indian child, as defined, may be appointed a guardian or ward by the court.	
AB-1828	Chen	County recorder: county clerks: bonds	This bill, on January 1, 2028: (1) removes the requirement that the county clerk deliver the required bond for registration as a legal document assistant, unlawful detainer assistant, process server, professional photocopier, and notary public to the county recorder for recording; (2) requires a county clerk to retain the bond for at least six years from its filing; (3) requires a county clerk to provide a registrant a copy of the filed bond; (4) requires a county clerk to retain the official bond and the oath of office for a notary public for at least ten years from its filing; (5) makes changes to the filing fee that a county clerk may charge a registrant for these services.	Chapter 275
AB-1846	Stefani	Dependency: placement of child with relative	This bill clarifies that the relative placement preference for a child who is a dependent of the juvenile court extends throughout the dependency proceeding, unless and until parental rights are terminated, as specified.	Chapter 276
AB-1857	Aguiar-Curry	Unlawfully restrictive covenants: grocery stores and supermarkets	This bill (1) makes void and unenforceable a restrictive covenant that effectively prohibits or restricts the use of property as a grocery store or supermarket, if a grocery store or supermarket previously operated on the property and has ceased operations, and an approved restrictive covenant modification document has been recorded, and provides a process by which an interested party can record a restrictive covenant modification document, as specified; (2) prohibits any person or entity from creating or recording a covenant, restriction, or condition that effectively prohibits or restricts the use of that property as a grocery store or supermarket when a grocery store or supermarket previously operated on the property or is no longer in actual operation within a commercial project or shopping center, except as specified.	Chapter 901
AB-1875	Hart	Dissolution of marriage	This bill permits a court to reduce or waive the six-month period before which a final judgment of dissolution of marriage may be entered, upon a showing of good cause, as provided.	Chapter 556
AB-1881	Ramos	California Indian Freedom Act of 2026	This bill enacts the California Indian Freedom Act of 2026 which prohibits a governmental agency from substantially burdening a California Native American tribe from exercising religious beliefs or spiritual practices on state lands unless it is in furtherance of a compelling government interest by the least restrictive means. *VETO message: "This bill would prohibit a government agency from burdening a California Native American tribe's exercise of religious*	Vetoed

			beliefs or spiritual practices on state lands, even if the burden results from a rule or general applicability, unless the agency shows that doing so is the least restrictive means of furthering a compelling government interest. This bill would also require a government agency to obtain written consent from an affected tribe before undertaking any physical change to a state land if the action may pose a risk to a sacred site. *I am sympathetic to the goals of this measure. However, this legislation's proposed framework could have far-reaching impacts on the basic operations of state government and the management of state property, and this uncertainty calls for further discussion and review. I encourage the author to continue his work to refine these* concepts, and I call on state agencies to be part of that conversation."	
AB-1908	McKinnor	Settlement agreements: victims' compensation funding	This bill applies Code of Civil Procedure Section 664.6 to specified settlement agreements resolving tort claims against a local public entity.	Chapter 907
AB-1918	Dixon	Human trafficking: body art practitioners	This bill requires body art facilities to post a specified notice regarding human trafficking and to provide specified human trafficking training to their employees and registered practitioners.	Chapter 837
AB-1930	Zbur	Abortion or gender-affirming health care services: subpoenas, discovery requests, or other requests for information	This bill seeks to bolster existing protections against the enforcement of laws of other jurisdictions that aim to punish individuals who obtain or seek to obtain abortion or gender-affirming care that is legal in California by requiring that notice be provided to the Attorney General, as provided, when being served with, or being subject to a civil, criminal, or regulatory, or legislative investigation regarding abortion or gender-affirming health care services that are legal in California, as specified.	Chapter 468
AB-1940	Calderon	Unlawful practices: discrimination: menopause	This bill expands the definition of ″sex,″ as a protected category under the Fair Employment and Housing Act, to include perimenopause, menopause, or postmenopause or medical conditions related to perimenopause, menopause, and postmenopause. *VETO message: "This bill would amend the Fair Employment and Housing Act (FEHA) to include perimenopause, menopause, postmenopause, and related medical conditions within the definition of "sex".* *I strongly support the author's goal of protecting women experiencing menopause and related conditions. For that reason, my budget proposal included improvements to prescription drug coverage for*	Vetoed

			symptoms of menopause, required plans to screen enrollees a40 and older for menopause during primary care and OB/GYN appointments, and provided professional training incentives for physicians and other healthcare professionals who specialize in menopause care. *The characteristics this bill seeks to include in the definition of sex are already covered under FEHA to the extent that menopause-related symptoms rise to the level of a medical condition or disability. Under those circumstances, current state law requires employers to provide reasonable accommodations. The approach taken by this measure may have the unintended consequence of authorizing a FEHA lawsuit for all adverse employment decisions made against a very large segment of the working population. The ensuing litigation could result in substantial General Fund impacts and cost pressures without meaningfully addressing the needs of the people the bills intended to protect."*	
AB-1950	Harabedian	Civil actions: mediation	This bill establishes a pilot program authorizing the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles to order a case into mediation, regardless of whether the amount in controversy exceeds the $75,000 limit under existing law.	Chapter 135
AB-1951	Dixon	Civil actions: filing fees: refunds	This bill modernizes court filing fee statutes.	Chapter 91
AB-1954	Ward	Municipal golf courses: reservations	This bill enacts the Protecting Access to Reservations Act, which prohibits a person or operator of a third-party golf reservation service platform from listing, advertising, promoting, selling, or transferring reservations for a golf course owned by a local agency on a third-party reservation service platform without a written agreement with the golf course operator, except as specified.	Chapter 476
AB-1957	Pacheco	Mortgages: foreclosure	This bill narrows the process by which certain eligible bidders may purchase a residential property of one to four units that was sold at a foreclosure sale by making a matching or greater bid, as specified.	Chapter 279
AB-1961	Ahrens	Civil actions: protective orders: workplace violence	This bill (1) permits an employer to seek a workplace violence restraining order on behalf of all employees at a workplace or location if harassment, unlawful violence, or a credible threat of violence is directed at that workplace or location; (2) requires the Judicial Council of California, on or before January 1, 2028, to adopt or modify the necessary forms, as needed for the courts to implement these provisions.	Chapter 910
AB-1967	Zbur	Juveniles	This bill (1) requires a social worker to make certain assessments, and a court to make certain orders, relating to applications commenced by a	Vetoed

			minor on their own behalf; (2) authorizes a nonminor to establish eligibility for foster care benefits, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would revise procedures and requirements for children and youth who wish to enter or reenter foster care.* *The intent of this bill is laudable, and I deeply appreciate the author's effort to address unacceptable delays in assistance to vulnerable young adults who find themselves in need of renewed support from the child welfare system. However, this bill's proposed changes to the eligibility standards for reentry into foster care would actually exacerbate, rather than mitigate, these delays.* *This bill would not only make it more difficult to determine if a youth meets the criteria to reenter foster care, but it would only allow reentry for youth who are receiving no support at all – a far higher bar to clear than is currently in place, and one which would turn away youth who are receiving very little support and still need foster care services.* *I encourage the Legislature and interested stakeholders to work with county welfare agencies and the California Department of Social Services to identify improvements to the foster care reentry process that will effectively promote our shared goal of seeing disadvantaged former foster youth receive the services and support that they need."*	
AB-1977	Irwin	Notaries public	This bill amends the Online Notarization Act and other statutes related to notaries public in California to resolve issues identified by the Secretary of State's office as it prepares for the rollout of remote online notarization by notaries public in this state.	Chapter 280
AB-2007	Bauer-Kahan	Youth programs: identifying information of youth	This bill requires youth-focused programs, such as extracurricular and after-school programs, to obtain parental consent before using images of a child or other protected information in their communications, marketing, educational, or training materials, as specified.	Chapter 914
AB-2039	Zbur	Attorneys	This bill seeks to enact several protections against fraud in the legal profession, including enhanced civil penalties for making unlawful solicitations of clients, regulating loans offered to clients by their attorneys, and whistleblower protections and anti-retaliation provisions for clients and employees of attorneys and law firms.	Chapter 574
AB-2042	Kalra	Civil actions: setting aside default or default judgment	This bill clarifies provisions of the law that were codified through AB 747 (Kalra, Chapter 563, Statutes of 2025).	Chapter 379

AB-2047	Bauer-Kahan	Firearms: 3-dimensional printing blocking technology	This bill (1) makes it unlawful to sell or transfer a three-dimensional printer in California that is not equipped with firearm blocking technology that meets minimum performance standards developed by the Department of Justice (DOJ); (2) requires the DOJ, beginning July 1, 2027, to check on a quarterly basis whether ASTM International has published industry standards for equipping three-dimensional printers with firearm blocking technology, and if the DOJ determines that ASTM International has published or adopted such industry standards, requires the DOJ to publish written guidance or regulations within 24 months after making that determination; (3) requires this guidance to describe minimum performance standards for three-dimensional printer firearm blocking technology before a printer can lawfully be sold or offered for sale in the state; specifies that, if the DOJ determines as of July 1, 2029 that ASTM International has not published industry standards for firearm blocking technology for three-dimensional printers, the DOJ has no further responsibility to ascertain whether ASTM International has published or adopted industry standards; exempts from its provisions printers used exclusively for the manufacturing of properties (props) in the entertainment industry or a person who distributes or causes the distribution of digital firearm manufacturing codes solely for the bona fide purpose of, among other things, developing refining and testing the functionality of a firearm blocking technology; and permits the DOJ to adopt regulations that provide for additional exceptions, as specified.	Chapter 461
AB-2076	Lowenthal	The Parent's Accountability and Child Protection Act: online marketplaces: nitrous oxide	This bill amends the Parent's Accountability and Child Protection Act (PACPA) to prohibit the use of gift cards to purchase covered products, add nitrous oxide to the list of covered products, and increases the remedies recoverable by a public prosecutor in an action for a violation of PACPA.	Chapter 920
AB-2090	Macedo	Guardianships and conservatorships: accounting exemptions	This bill raises the threshold amounts for a ward or conservatee's estate for when a court may exempt a conservator or guardianship from presenting an accounting of the estate to the court or posting a bond with the court.	Chapter 72
AB-2106	Patel	Malpractice actions: architects, engineers, or surveyors	This bill (1) expands the existing certificate of merit requirements for a cause of action alleging negligence against an architect, professional engineer, or land surveyor to also apply to landscape architects, geologists, and geophysicists; (2) requires that the person the attorney consults with to get an opinion of whether there was negligence on behalf of a design professional must be licensed in this state.	Chapter 137
AB-2113	McKinnor	Aviation: unmanned	This bill makes it unlawful to operate an unmanned aircraft within 400	Chapter 383

		aircraft systems: ticketed entertainment events and amusement parks	feet of an outdoor ticketed entertainment venue or amusement park, except as specified, and makes a violation an infraction punishable by a fine of $500.	
AB-2115	Ramos	California Native Americans: formal apology	This bill (1) states that the State of California recognizes, accepts responsibility, apologizes, and asks forgiveness for the harms and atrocities committed by the State and its representatives, directly or by sanctioning private actors, against California Native Americans; (2) requires a plaque memorializing the apology to be installed and maintained publicly and conspicuously in the State Capitol Building.	Chapter 448
AB-2125	Bennett	Groundwater basin adjudication: notice	This bill places new requirements on a plaintiff when filing a notice in a groundwater basin adjudication, including an attachment of any certified or registered mail delivery receipts received as of the date of the filing, as provided. Under the bill, if a return receipt is not received for a parcel of real property, the plaintiff is required to also include an affidavit of the person who posted the notice specifying the date, time, and physical location of each parcel of real property where the posting occurred, accompanied by a photograph depicting the posted notice.	Chapter 138
AB-2155	Aguiar-Curry	Arbitration: validity of agreements to arbitrate	This bill provides that a written agreement to submit to arbitration is not enforceable under the California Arbitration Act to the extent the agreement is not enforceable under the Federal Arbitration Act.	Chapter 46
AB-2179	Patel	Workplace violence: restraining orders	This bill (1) requires a court, beginning January 1, 2028, to permit electronic filings and remote appearances in proceedings for a workplace violence restraining order; (2) requires the Judicial Council of California to develop the necessary forms and rules to implement those requirements.	Chapter 839
AB-2199	Macedo	Statutory form power of attorney	This bill updates the statutes governing the form power of attorney to, among other things, align the form with the provisions of the Revised Uniform Fiduciary Access to Digital Assets Act and enable the naming of a successor should the original named attorney-in-fact become incapacitated.	Chapter 47
AB-2221	Irwin	Supervision of Trustees and Fundraisers for Charitable Purposes Act	This bill makes various changes to the Supervision of Trustees and Fundraisers for Charitable Purposes Act, including requiring registration, reporting, or other submissions to the Attorney General (AG) to be done through the AG's online filing service, specifying grounds for which a registration may become delinquent, and providing that if the AG does not process a filing or registration within 10 days it is deemed in good standing.	Chapter 590

AB-2262	Michelle Rodriguez	Courts: disqualification of judges	This bill (1) requires personal service of a judicial disqualification statement to take place at the courthouse where the judge is sitting, service must occur during regular business hours; (2) permits service on the judge's clerk or the designee of the clerk of the court if the judicial officer is present in the courthouse or in chambers.	Chapter 297
AB-2290	Lackey	Civil discovery: oral depositions: transcriptions	This bill permits a deposition officer to transmit a certified deposition transcript electronically to the party who noticed the deposition, provided that specified conditions are met.	Chapter 391
AB-2305	Kalra	Attorneys: corporate legal funders	This bill (1) prohibits a corporate legal funder, or an entity it controls, from entering into any contract, agreement, or arrangement with a litigation practice if the contract would constitute the unauthorized practice of law, and specifies what types of actions by a corporate legal funder constitute the unauthorized practice of law; (2) provides that these provisions are not to be construed to prohibit the practice of nonrecourse litigation finance and that the practice of nonrecourse litigation finance is not considered impermissible fee sharing if certain conditions are met.	Chapter 393
AB-2323	McKinnor	Publication: newspapers of general circulation	This bill (1) requires any public notice that is legally required to be published in a newspaper of general circulation to be published in the newspaper's print publication and on the newspaper's website or electronic newspaper available on the internet; (2) prohibits a newspaper from charging a fee or surcharge to access public notices on their internet website; however, a newspaper may continue to charge a fee or surcharge for access to other content on their internet website; (3) prohibits a newspaper from charging an additional fee or surcharge specifically for posting a public notice to the newspaper's internet website.	Chapter 113
AB-2331	Nguyen	Cemeteries: removal of remains	This bill requires a superior court to grant an application for the removal of human remains, when the required consent from a family member cannot be obtained, if the application for permission establishes good cause for the removal.	Chapter 74
AB-2393	Addis	False imprisonment: false arrest: remedies	This bill establishes an enhanced statutory damages remedy available in a civil action for false arrest or false imprisonment when the defendant engaged in specified conduct in the commission of the tort.	Chapter 602
AB-2395	Sharp-Collins	Child support: compromise of arrears program	This bill modifies the statewide Debt Collection Program through which a parent can make an offer in compromise for child support and interest owed to the state, and requires the Department of Child Support Services to implement regulations to ensure that the Debt Collection Program is uniformly applied, as specified.	Vetoed

			VETO message: "This bill modifies the statewide Debt Reduction Program (DRP), through which parents can make an offer in compromise for child support and interest owed to the state. The bill requires the Department of Child Support Services (DCSS) to implement highly specific standardized forms and procedures across all local child support agencies (LCSAs) to ensure the DRP operates uniformly throughout the state. *I appreciate the author's intent to increase access to the DRP. However, while well-intentioned, this bill adds unnecessary complexity to provide improvements that can be achieved administratively. DCSS already has full statutory authority to establish and operate a statewide DRP. To that end, DCSS is already working with local child support agencies and other stakeholders to improve the program's transparency, fairness, and accountability.* *Finally, the new complaint resolution process envisioned by this bill would require administrators to review and potentially overturn their own decisions – creating an inherent conflict of interest. These charges undermine the program's clarity and administrative integrity, and do not provide meaningful improvements for families seeking debt relief."*	
AB-2409	Valencia	Digital assets: meme coins	This bill prohibits state and local officials from issuing a meme coin, as defined, and prohibits a digital asset service provider from listing for sale on behalf of, or for purchase by, a California resident a meme coin issued on or after January 1, 2027, if the meme coin is offered by, or in partnership with, a federal public official or state or local official.	Chapter 473
AB-2529	Johnson	Civil claims: public entities and employees: declaration	This bill requires that a claim against a public entity or public employee must include a declaration that, upon information and belief, the contents of the claim are true and correct.	Chapter 618
AB-2534	Kalra	Domestic Violence Prevention Act: forced marriage	This bill adds "forced marriage," as defined, to the list of abusive conduct constituting domestic violence under the Domestic Violence Prevention Act (DVPA) and clarifies that a person may obtain a DVPA order to protect against a forced marriage.	Chapter 950
AB-2542	Patterson	Human remains: disposition	This bill prohibits the right to control the disposition of the remains of a deceased person, when the deceased person did not specifically provide for the right of control in advance, from passing to a person in the statutory order of precedence when the funeral director or cemetery authority knows either (1) that the person was subject to a restraining	Chapter 951

			order for domestic violence against the decedent, or (2) specified legal documentation establishes that granting the right of control to that person would have been contrary to the decedent's best interests.	
AB-2563	Pacheco	Sex discrimination: scope	This bill clarifies that "sex," as used within California antidiscrimination laws, includes gender, gender expression, gender identity, pregnancy and related conditions, and other specified traits or conditions.	Chapter 952
AB-2577	Connolly	Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986: settlements: attorney's fees	This bill (1) requires a court to find that a private party settlement under Proposition 65 is in the public interest and provides a public benefit before approving the settlement; (2) requires the court to find that the award of attorney's fees is appropriate under California law, in addition to the existing requirement that the fees are reasonable.	Chapter 623
AB-2596	Gipson	Mobilehome parks: federally approved housing programs: compliance with state and local laws	This bill requires a mobilehome park operator or owner, if they fail to comply with federal law or other federal regulations imposed in connection with a federally approved housing program, to ensure ongoing compliance with applicable state laws, including, but not limited to, the Mobilehome Residency Law, the Unruh Civil Rights Act, and local ordinances.	Chapter 953
AB-2599	Bryan, Bonta, Elhawary, Gipson, Jackson, McKinnor, Sharp-Collins	Slavery: corporate disclosures	This bill, upon appropriation by the Legislature, requires covered entities, as defined, with gross annual receipts of over $100 million to provide information and records relating to their past commercial activities related to slavery, as specified, to the Civil Rights Department (CRD), and for the CRD to make that information publicly available.	Chapter 954
AB-2721	Carrillo	Unfair Competition Law: hotels	This bill (1) requires an operator of a hotel with actual knowledge of a reservation by U.S. Customs and Border Protection or U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement on the premises to post a notice in a prominent and accessible place to hotel workers that discloses the possible presence of those federal officers on the premises, as specified; (2) requires an operator of a hotel with actual knowledge of a reservation by U.S. Customs and Border Protection or U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement on the premises to disclose the potential presence of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement or U.S. Customs and Border Protection during a guest's reservation upon request by a guest at the time of check-in; (3) specifies that a violation of these provisions by the operator is deemed engaging in unfair competition and shall subject the hotel to a civil penalty of $2,500 for each violation; (4) limits the liability of the hotel for a violation of these provisions to no more than $5,000 per reservation with the U.S. Customs and Border Protection or the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement.	Vetoed

			VETO message: "This bill requires a hotel operator with actual knowledge of a reservation by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection or U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement on the premises to post a notice in a prominent and accessible place to hotel workers that discloses the possible presence of those officers on the premises, and, upon request by a guest at the time of check-in, requires disclosure of this possible presence during a guest's reservation. *Recent conduct by federal agencies captured by this bill is abhorrent, and hotel employees deserve basic information about their rights should they come into contact with federal immigration officers. To that end, I signed SB 294 in 2025, and the state has greatly expanded investments and resources to help Californians, including workers, understand their rights when interacting with immigration officers.* *While the intent of the author is laudable, this bill introduces considerable consumer privacy and public safety concerns by compelling hotel operators to disclose this guest information not just to their employees, but to the public. Compelling the disclosure of guest records on demand is likely in conflict with longstanding state privacy laws, and would put hotel operators in the position of determining which law they should follow. Further, requiring this information to be shared with the public could create real public safety risks on hotel properties by encouraging demonstrations or other disruptive activity. We have seen even the most peaceful protests escalate unexpectedly, which could lead to real risk for workers, demonstrators, and other hotel guests.* *I encourage the Legislature to revisit this issue next year in a manner that avoids these unintended consequences and instead focuses on promoting safety and transparency for hotel employees."*	
AB-2781	Committee on Judiciary	Civil cases: filing fees	This bill (1) adjusts the filing fee statutes to reflect the current amounts in controversy that were enacted through SB 71 (Umberg, Chapter 861, Statutes of 2023); (2) updates Government Codes sections 70613, 70613.5, 70614, and 70621, and Code of Civil Procedure section 116.23.	Chapter 98
AB-2782	Committee on Judiciary	Judiciary omnibus	This bill makes various noncontroversial changes to existing law, including clarifying existing law, deleting obsolete statutes, modernizing certain statues, updating cross-references, and making various other	Chapter 640

			nonsubstantive changes.	
AB-2783	Committee on Judiciary	Court reporting	This bill (1) permits an applicant to satisfy the diction/transcription component of their examination for certification as a shorthand reporter by the Court Reporters Board of California through completion of a certification administered by the National Court Reporter Association; (2) extends the termination and sunset dates for the ongoing remote reporting pilot projects in specified superior courts, on an urgency basis.	Chapter 312
AB-2784	Committee on Judiciary	State Bar of California	This bill (1) requires the Board of Trustees of the California State Bar to fix the annual license fee for active licensees for 2027 in the same amount as 2026; (2) makes various other changes to the State Bar Act.	Chapter 641
AB-2789	Committee on Judiciary	Mediation: child custody and visitation	This bill authorizes a court to serve a notice of mediation in a child custody matter through specified means and requires the notice of mediation to state that, where there is a history of domestic violence, the party alleging domestic violence may request that the mediator meet with the parties separately, as specified.	Chapter 118
ACR-168	Pacheco	California Law Revision Commission: studies	This measure, requested by the California Law Revision Commission (CLRC), grants approval to the CLRC to continue its study of 14 designated topics that the Legislature previously authorized or directed the CLRC to study. Additionally, the resolution grants approval to the CLRC to study two additional topics.	Resolution Chapter 148
AJR-17	Celeste Rodriguez	The Renewing Immigration Provisions of the Immigration Act of 1929	This resolution makes various findings regarding the importance and value of immigrants to the state and declares support for the federal Registry bills as a just approach to solving the nation’s broken immigration system.	Resolution Chapter 210
SB-25	Umberg	Antitrust: premerger notification	This bill (1) requires a person who is obligated to file a notification pursuant to the federal Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976 (HSR Act) to file a copy of that form and any additional documentation, as specified, with the Attorney General (AG) if the person meets certain requirements; (2) prohibits the AG from disclosing the information received, with limited exceptions; and (3) authorizes the AG to impose a civil penalty for a violation of the filing requirement.	Chapter 3
SB-33	Cortese	Public contracts: claim resolution	This bill deletes the sunset date of a claims resolution process that enables contractors to seek public agency review of claims that arise during public works projects.	Chapter 99
SB-99	Blakespear	Military protective orders	This bill (1) authorizes a court, before issuing a protective order under the Domestic Violence Prevention Act, to consider evidence that a military protective order (MPO) has been issued against the respondent	Chapter 844

			for the same or similar conduct against a person to be protected by the proposed order; (2) requires a law enforcement officer to verify the existence of an MPO at the scene of a domestic violence incident; (3) requires a law enforcement officer who determines that a person involved in a domestic violence incident and who is in violation of a protective order, and who has had an MPO issued against them, to notify the agency that entered the MPO that the person may be in violation of the MPO; and, (4) authorizes a law enforcement agency in the state that petitions for or enforces protective orders to develop and adopt memoranda of understanding with specified military entities.	
SB-423	Gonzalez	California Public Records Act: private detention facilities	This bill provides that certain records maintained by state agencies relating to private detention facilities are disclosable under the California Public Records Act, as specified.	Chapter 751
SB-561	Blakespear	Appointment of public guardians	This bill requires the public guardian of a county (1) to acknowledge receipt of a referral for conservatorship or guardianship; (2) to complete their investigation within a reasonable period of time; and (3) to provide status updates of the investigation to the referring party upon request.	Chapter 649
SB-574	Umberg	Attorneys, arbitrators, judicial officers, and alternative resolution providers	This bill (1) governs the use of generative artificial intelligence (AI) by an attorney to assist in the practice of law; (2) prohibits an attorney from delegating the practice of law to generative AI; (3) prohibits an arbitrator from delegating any part of their decision-making process to any generative AI, as provided; (4) requires the Judicial Council to publicly revisit a specified standard of judicial administration to incorporate any necessary changes reflecting the further development of generative AI; and (5) prohibits a brief, pleading, motion, or any other paper filed in any court from containing any citations that the an attorney responsible for submitting the pleading has not personally read and verified, including any citation provided by generative AI.	Chapter 858
SB-577	Laird, Allen	Public entities	This bill makes a series of changes to relevant law to mitigate the fiscal impact of childhood sexual assault claims against public entities and to diminish the prevalence of childhood sexual abuse.	Chapter 971
SB-623	Umberg, Papan	Automobile accidents: civil actions: transportation network companies	This bill implements the terms of a successful negotiation between stakeholders of qualified ballot initiatives; the Consumer Attorneys of California and Uber Technologies, Inc. negotiated the deal. If this bill is approved by the Legislature, the proponents of the two ballot initiatives have agreed to pull their initiatives as is permitted by Elections Code Section 9604. The deadline to qualify or withdraw from the ballot is 131 days from the election. In this case, the deadline to withdraw the initiatives is June 25, 2026 for the November 3, 2026 election. Pursuant	Chapter 17

			to statute, the Secretary of State must receive the notice of removal by 5:00 PM.	
SB-694	Archuleta, Cervantes	Deceptive practices: service members and veterans	This bill (1) provides additional protections for veterans in California in connection with fees charged for assistance applying for veterans' benefits and the privacy of their information; (2) requires persons to be federally accredited before preparing, presenting, or prosecuting a veteran's claim for benefits under federal law.	Chapter 1
SB-747	Wiener, Wahab	Civil rights: deprivation of federal constitutional rights, privileges, and immunities	This bill establishes, on an urgency basis, a cause of action for the violation of a person's constitutional rights by a government official, subject to specified immunities and defenses.	Chapter 752
SB-873	Reyes, Umberg	Courthouses: privilege from civil arrest	This bill (1) prohibits a person traveling to or from, or while present at, a courthouse for any lawful activity from being subject to civil arrest, as specified; (2) specifies that a civil arrest in violation of this prohibition or the common law privilege against civil arrest constitutes the tort of false imprisonment or false arrest if the arresting person or persons knew or reasonably should have known that the person arrested was going to, remaining at, or returning from court for any lawful activity; (3) makes a person who violates these provisions or assists in their violation liable for actual damages and statutory damages of $10,000; (4) requires Judicial Council to annually prepare and publish on its website a report regarding civil arrests at courthouses pursuant to Rule 10.440 of the California Rules of Court, as specified; and (5) requires court security personnel to take specified actions when they are aware that a representative of a law enforcement agency has entered a courthouse.	Chapter 753
SB-916	Ashby	Civil actions: housing development projects	This bill provides a mechanism for a defendant in a civil action, including under the California Environmental Quality Act, challenging a project that is a student housing project, as defined, to seek an order requiring the plaintiff to furnish an undertaking as security for costs and damages that may be incurred by the defendant if the bringing of the action by the plaintiff would result in preventing or delaying the project.	Chapter 805
SB-927	Choi	Intercountry adoption finalized in a foreign country	This bill (1) permits a person of any age born in a foreign country and adopted by a U.S. citizen in another country to petition the family court for a record establishing the facts of the adoption, if the person's parents and the adoption agency that facilitated the adoption failed to timely file such a petition; and (2) permits a court to grant a petition for	Chapter 127

			readoption for a person adopted through an intercountry adoption, even if the petitioner does not have all of the adoption documentation, when certain conditions are met.	
SB-932	Hurtado	Civil proceedings: real party in interest	This bill requires the assignee of rights in a legal proceeding to identify the assignor of the rights and the original real party in interest in the proceeding in the title of the case on the first document that the assignee files in the proceeding.	Chapter 990
SB-934	Wiener	Sexual orientation or gender identity change efforts	This bill defines “sexual orientation or gender identity change efforts” (SOGICE) within the Business and Professions Code and prohibits a mental health provider from engaging in SOCICE with a patient under 18 years of age under any circumstances.	Chapter 469
SB-942	Caballero	Civil detainees	This bill (1) creates the Civil Detainees’ Bill of Rights Act of 2026 to provide that all persons housed or detained for purposes of civil immigration proceedings in California at any state, county, local, or private locked detention facility have the legal rights and responsibilities guaranteed all other persons by the United States Constitution and federal law and the California Constitution and state law, unless specifically limited by federal or state law or regulations; (2) specifies that all persons housed or detained for purposes of civil immigration proceedings in California have specified rights, (3) specifies that these rights shall be observed and protected by an operator of any facility in California in which the individuals are housed or civilly detained, and (4) specifies that the Attorney General may bring a civil action for injunctive and other appropriate declaratory or equitable relief to protect these rights, and may seek a civil penalty of no more than $2,500 per violation.	Chapter 755
SB-957	Pérez	Civil detention facilities	This bill establishes the Protecting Vulnerable Immigrant Detainees Model Act, which requires the Attorney General to submit a report to the Legislature detailing a proposed oversight plan for private civil detention facilities on or before December 31, 2027.	Chapter 756
SB-988	Grayson	California Motor Vehicle Glass Act	This bill establishes the California Motor Vehicle Glass Act to provide consumer protections in connection with the repair or replacement of damaged motor vehicle glass by a motor vehicle glass repair shop.	Chapter 666
SB-994	Cabaldon	Local agencies:	This bill prohibits a local government official acting in their official	Chapter 669

		nondisclosure agreements	capacity from entering into, or requesting that another individual enter into, a nondisclosure agreement relating to public business that precludes their ability to share information with fellow local government officials serving on the same council, board, commission, district, or agency, as specified.	
SB-1078	Laird	Gift certificates: cash redemption	This bill permits a business to use gift cards that state an incorrect gift card cash redemption amount until December 31, 2028, provided that the gift cards were printed or manufactured before the April 1, 2026, increase in the redemption amount and certain other conditions are met.	Chapter 420
SB-1093	Allen	Mobilehome parks: disaster assistance	This bill (1) requires the management of a mobilehome park that was damaged or destroyed by a disaster to provide regular status updates to residents of the park, as specified; (2) prohibits park management from restricting residents access to the park during regular business hours to collect belongings or inspect the damage to their mobilehome more than seven days after evacuation orders have been lifted or downgraded; (3) limits park management from distributing a waiver of liability in order to access the park, as specified; (4) requires park management to conduct specified evaluations regarding the costs and potential resources for rebuilding the park when pursuing a cessation, closure, or change of use of the park due to a disaster, and to provide documentation of those evaluations; (5) prohibits the approval of such a change of use, the issuance of a permit to operate, or any local permits or entitlements, unless the park has complied with these evaluation requirements; (6) permits a jurisdiction with enforcement power to require debris removal, soil sampling, and testing, as specified, if the park is damaged or destroyed by a disaster that results in units being rendered inaccessible; and (7) permits a resident organization or any displaced resident of a mobilehome park damaged or destroyed by a disaster to bring a civil action for a park's failure to comply with the bill's requirements, as specified.	Chapter 775
SB-1100	Smallwood-Cuevas	Grand juries: final reports	This bill modifies the timeframe in which a clerk of the court must forward a civil grand jury report or related responses to the State Archives, from immediately upon completion to on an annual basis.	Chapter 153
SB-1129	Caballero	State Bar of California: community justice worker program	This bill requires the State Bar, after it solicits public comment on the Proposed California Rules of Court Rule 9.45.1 to establish a Community Justice Worker program, as required by Administrative Order 2026-06-17-01 of the Supreme Court of California, to transmit to the Assembly and Senate Committees on Judiciary a report specifying any statutory changes the State Bar believes are necessary to	Chapter 678

			implement the California Community Justice Worker Program at the time it resubmits the proposal to the Supreme Court of California.	
SB-1159	Cabaldon	Artificial intelligence: transparency and governance	This bill provides that for the purposes of the California Public Records Act, the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act, the Ralph M. Brown Act, the California Environmental Quality Act, the Administrative Procedure Act, the Legislative Open Records Act, and the California Coastal Act of 1976, the terms “person,” “interested person,” “participant,” “member of the public,” as applicable, and any other similar terms under each act referring to those who may engage with governmental agencies, do not include artificial intelligence (AI) systems, autonomous agents, robots, or other nonhuman entities, whether physical or digital.	Chapter 863
SB-1160	Durazo	Judicial Council: eviction data reporting.	This bill (1) requires the Judicial Council, by July 1, 2032, to assess the timeline by which each county court will have the ability to submit specified data points to the Judicial Council for unlawful detainer cases utilizing an automated data collection system; (2) requires the data to be reported by identified county court systems beginning on January 1, 2033, and by all county court systems beginning on January 1, 2034, as specified; and (3) makes implementation contingent upon appropriation of sufficient funding by the Legislature in the annual Budget Act or other statute for that purpose.	Chapter 681
SB-1192	Rubio	Domestic violence: Reclaim Act	This bill establishes the Reclaim Act, which sets forth rights for a victim of domestic violence, as defined, in civil cases and establishes a framework through which a victim of domestic violence can be protected from litigation abuse in civil, family, and small claims courts.	Chapter 847
SB-1194	Caballero	Immigration Legal Fellowship Project	This bill establishes the Immigration Legal Fellowship Project within the Department of Social Services for the purpose of expanding access to high-quality immigration legal services, including, but not limited to, removal defense, in rural and underserved regions of California. *VETO Message: “This bill establishes the Immigration Legal Fellowship Project (ILFP) within the California Department of Social Services (CDSS).* *I share the author's commitment to ensure California maintains the capacity to provide legal representation for vulnerable immigrant communities as arrests and detentions rise. To that end, this year's budget doubled the state funding provided to immigration-related legal services - allocating nearly $150 million dollars dedicated to this important work - and included $7.5 million for ILFP, the very project envisioned by this bill. This allocation also includes the flexibility to fund*	Vetoed

			additional fellows to meet regional needs and provides $34.3 million in direct allocations to nonprofit organizations that provide immigration services. As such, this bill, which creates an unfunded program on top of this work, is duplicative and unnecessary."	
SB-1237	Blakespear	Civil Rights Department	This bill strengthens the Equal Pay Act by increasing penalties for employer noncompliance and requiring the Civil Rights Department to publish specified information.	Chapter 1019
SB-1242	Choi	Community Assistance, Recovery, and Empowerment (CARE) Court Program	This bill permits an original petitioner to provide specified information regarding a respondent to the respondent's Community Assistance, Recovery, and Empowerment (CARE) team and court, and requires the CARE team to receive, review, document, and consider useful information, as specified.	Chapter 687
SB-1244	Allen	Public Agency Benefits Intermediary Compensation Disclosure Act	This bill (1) establishes disclosure requirements for brokers, agents, consultants, advisors, and other service providers that provide brokerage services or consulting services to California public agencies in connection with health care employee benefits; (2) regardless of whether the covered service provider is domiciled, headquartered, or maintains a principal place of business within or outside of this state.	Chapter 1020
SB-1256	Jones	Subdivision Map Act: action or proceeding	This bill bars an action or proceeding under the Subdivision Map Act when a substantially similar claim or issue was raised in a prior California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) action against the same defendant when that CEQA action has been fully adjudicated and the project that is the subject of the CEQA action has been approved by the lead agency for projects that meet specified criteria.	Chapter 1024
SB-1264	Valladares	Probate: notice of death for child support obligations	This bill (1) requires a general representative or estate attorney who has actual knowledge that a child of the decedent, who is an heir or a beneficiary of the estate, has a child support obligation under a court order of competent jurisdiction to report this fact to the Director of the Department of Child Support Services within 90 days after the date letters are first issued to a general personal representative; (2) specifies that it does not impose a duty on a personal representative or estate attorney to investigate whether or not an heir or beneficiary of the decedent is subject to a child support order.	Chapter 427
SB-1288	Laird	Property: nonprobate transfer of ownership	This bill (1) seeks to establish a streamlined process under the Uniform Transfer-on-Death Security Registration Act for a nonprofit corporation, a charitable trust, or an entity exempt from federal taxation pursuant to	Chapter 691

			Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; (2) requires a registering entity upon receipt of information establishing knowledge of death of all owners of the security to initiate its beneficiary notification process; make a reasonable and good-faith effort to notify each named beneficiary; (3) specifies what documentation establishes knowledge of death and legal identity of a nonprofit corporation, a charitable trust, or an entity exempt from federal taxation; and (5) prohibits a registering entity from requiring a beneficiary to open an account to receive a security or from providing personal information.	
SB-1296	Durazo	Real property: rentals: pet policy	This bill (1) requires a landlord or their agent to have a written pet policy or pet addendum and provide its pet policy or pet addendum on the property's website, in digital advertisements, and in information provided to a residential rental search engine; (2) requires that a landlord of their agent provide a written copy of the pet policy or pet addendum with any rental application form; (3) requires that the pet policy or pet addendum include specified information; and (4) makes various other requirements and provisions regarding these requirements.	Chapter 1025
SB-1344	Cabaldon	Civil actions: housing development projects	This bill (1) provides a mechanism for a defendant in a civil action, including under the California Environmental Quality Act, challenging a project that is a priority care development project, as defined, to seek an order requiring the plaintiff to furnish an undertaking as security for costs and damages that may be incurred by the defendant if the bringing of the action by the plaintiff would result in preventing or delaying the project; (2) raises the amount the undertaking can be to no more than $1,000,0000; (3) creates a special motion to strike a challenge to the approval or permitting of a priority care development project modeled after California's anti-Strategic Lawsuit against Public Participation statute.	Chapter 811
SB-1364	Menjivar	Child custody	This bill modifies various laws establishing when a parent may be awarded custody of their child, when a parent-child relationship cannot be legally established, and when a parent is deemed unfit to parent their child, in circumstances where the person is shown, by clear and convincing evidence, to have committed an act of sexual assault that resulted in the child's conception, as specified.	Chapter 848
SB-1374	Niello	Restraining orders: educational institutions	This bill authorizes a chief administrative officer of a postsecondary educational institution, or a designated officer or employee, to seek a temporary restraining order and an order after hearing on behalf of the institution in order to maintain order on the school campus or facility which is subject to unlawful violence or a credible threat of violence	Chapter 705

			directed towards the postsecondary educational institution.	
SB-1399	Durazo	Locked detention facilities: civil immigration: reviews	This bill removes the July 1, 2027, sunset date from the statute permitting the Attorney General to engage in reviews of local, county, or private locked detention facilities in which noncitizens are housed for immigration purposes in California.	Chapter 759
SB-1405	Smallwood-Cuevas	Unclaimed personal property: employee benefit plan distributions	This bill (1) makes changes to the Unclaimed Property Law's provisions relating to the escheat of employee plan distributions to allow the escheat of forfeited distributions where the employee plan has reversed the forfeiture; and (2) permits the Controller to enter California into a multistate collaborative agreement for ensuring the delivery of escheated employee plan distributions.	Chapter 711
SB-1433	Committee on Judiciary	Maintenance of the codes	This is the annual maintenance of the codes bill that is sponsored by the Office of Legislative Counsel to make nonsubstantive changes to various codes. A condition for inclusion in the annual code maintenance bill is that the change be nonsubstantive.	Chapter 57
SCR-89	Smallwood-Cuevas	Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion	This resolution affirms the Legislature's commitment to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) principles at a time when DEI efforts and programs are under attack.	Resolution Chapter 159
SCR-124	Wiener	Transportation access: persons with epilepsy	This resolution is supportive of those with epilepsy and finding solutions to issues faced by those with epilepsy.	Resolution Chapter 153
SJR-8	Arreguín	The Renewing Immigration Provisions of the Immigration Act of 1929	This resolution (1) makes various findings regarding the importance and value of immigrants to the state, and (2) declares support for the federal Registry bills as a just approach to solving the nation's broken immigration system.	Resolution Chapter 183

LABOR, PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT & RETIREMENT				
AB-605	Muratsuchi	Employment: refineries: task force	This bill establishes the Refinery Safe Staffing Task Force (Task Force) to develop potential methods and strategies for ensuring maximum employee retention at refineries, during, and especially in the time period preceding, a refinery closure, and for addressing employment dislocations associated with oil, gas, and related industries, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would establish the Refinery Safe Staffing Task Force, composed of employer and employee organization representatives, to report to the Legislature by June 1, 2029, on strategies for employee retention prior to refinery closures.* *I support the author's intent to identify strategies to protect and support workers displaced by refinery closures, and the state needs a real, long-term plan. This bill, however, establishes a task force supported by staff from the Division of Occupational Safety and Health's Process Safety Management Unit, which primarily inspects refineries and chemical plants that handle large quantities of toxic and flammable materials. This Unit is also charged with enforcing health and safety standards intended to prevent catastrophic explosions, fires, and releases of dangerous chemicals.* *I am concerned that diverting these specialized inspectors to support the task force envisioned by this bill—without any identified resources—will diminish their ability to focus on holding refineries accountable for meeting required health and safety standards, potentially putting refinery workers at greater risk."*	Vetoed
AB-889	Hadwick, Chen, Flora	Prevailing wage: per diem wages	This bill makes several changes to the annualization requirement for fringe benefits on both public and private construction projects. AB 889 (1) requires employers to annualize all employer payments not made directly to the worker, except as specified; (2) voids any exemptions to the annualization requirement issued by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations prior to January 1, 2026 and revokes the Director's ability to issue exemptions in the future; (3) requires employers to, upon request of the Labor Commissioner, produce records sufficient to verify that they adhered to the annualization requirement.	Chapter 626
AB-1054	Gipson	Public employees' retirement: deferred retirement option	This bill establishes a Deferred Retirement Option Program (DROP) for participating State Bargaining Unit (BU) 5 patrol officers and State BU 8 state peace officers/ firefighters, and their associated supervisors and	Vetoed

		program: public employee health benefits	managers, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would establish the [DROP] framework for BU 5 patrol officers and BU 8 state peace officers and firefighters, as well as their associated supervisors and managers.* *There may be merit to the creation of DROP initiative to help address staffing challenges. However, a DROP could create significant long-term fiscal and administrative pressures on departments by altering employee tenures and retirement costs. Both the design and establishment of a DROP are more appropriately handled through the collective bargaining process."*	
AB-1198	Haney	Public works: prevailing wages	This bill requires updated prevailing wage rates, as determined by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations, to apply to any public works contract that is awarded or for which notice to bidders is published after July 1, 2027, if the awarded value of the prime contract is $35 million or greater. Contracts for affordable housing development projects are exempt from this requirement, as specified.	Chapter 513
AB-1331	Elhawary	Workplace surveillance	This bill prohibits an employer, both public and private, from using a workplace surveillance tool to monitor or surveil employees in a bathroom located in the workplace.	Chapter 851
AB-1383	McKinnor	Public employees' retirement benefits	This bill (1) increases the Public Employees' Pension Reform Act of 2013 (PEPRA) pensionable compensation caps for all PEPRA members – miscellaneous and safety, as specified; (2) freezes existing PEPRA safety formulas to apply only to service from January 1, 2013, to December 31, 2026; (3) provides new safety formulas for service from 1/1/27; (4) requires public employers to raise their PEPRA firefighter and peace officer safety pension benefit formulas to this bill's new formulas effective January 1, 2027, to give at age 55 what their PEPRA formula gives at age 57 unless the parties bargain for a higher or lower formula, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would modify the California Public Employees' Pension Reform Act (PEPRA) to prospectively establish a new pensionable compensation limit for all members and reduce the benefit age factor to 55 for safety members. This bill would also authorize a new safety formula that could be agreed to in the collective bargaining process.* *This measure would partially reverse some of PEPRA's reforms and significantly increase state and local government costs. Moreover, by*	Vetoed

			widening the retirement benefit gap between safety members and non-safety members, this measure invites future changes that would expose our retirement system to additional risk. *PEPRA was a necessary reform born of a crisis exacerbated by past policy decisions. I still recall – before PEPRA's passage in 2012 – the alarming forecasts, the fierce criticism of public employees, and the growing pressure to eliminate defined benefit plans altogether. This is an era of California history I do not want to repeat. I fear that undoing PEPRA's reforms, even partially, risks us doing exactly that."*	
AB-1439	Garcia	Public retirement systems: development projects: labor standards	This bill requests the University of California, Berkeley (UCB), Labor Center to study California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS)'s and California State Teachers' Retirement System (CalSTRS)'s portfolio-funded real estate and infrastructure development projects to analyze the extent of their labor standards protections and requests CalPERS and CalSTRS to provide UCB Labor Center relevant data, as specified.	Chapter 365
AB-1601	Rogers	County employees' retirement: cost-of-living adjustments	This bill authorizes the Sonoma County board of supervisors greater flexibility to provide annual and unrestricted cost-of-living adjustments to the retirement allowances, optional death allowances, or annual death allowances payable by the Sonoma County Employees' Retirement System.	Chapter 530
AB-1619	Valencia	Public employees' retirement: administration	This bill (1) increases the compensation for specified board members of the Public Employees' Retirement System and the State Teachers' Retirement System from $100 to $320; and (2) authorizes boards of supervisors in counties operating a retirement system under the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 to adopt an identical increase for specified board members.	Chapter 533
AB-1683	Committee on Insurance	Workers' compensation: prepaid cards	This bill removes the January 1, 2027, sunset date for the pilot program authorizing employers to deposit workers' compensation payments in a prepaid card account for employees, making the program permanent.	Chapter 59
AB-1697	Kalra	Employment contracts: stay-or-pay provisions: contract date	This bill (1) delays for one year, until January 1, 2027, the effective date of AB 692 (Kalra, Chapter 703, Statutes of 2025) which prohibits an employment contract from including any provisions that require a worker to assume a debt if their employment concludes before the end of the contract's term; (2) establishes some exemptions to the prohibitions adopted with AB 692 for certain bonuses, advanced paid time off payments, and certain contracts in the financial securities and insurance industries that meet specified criteria.	Chapter 889

AB-1729	Lee	State employment: telework programs	This bill (1) amends and renames the existing State Employee Telecommuting Program; (2) requires state agencies to evaluate their (now named) telework programs every 10 years, as specified; (3) requires state agencies to provide a detailed, written justification to CalHR and to the agency's employees if the agency requires its employees to report to a workplace; (4) requires the Department of General Services to establish a telework dashboard displaying the cost benefits of state telework programs. *VETO message: "This bill would require a state agency to provide a detailed written justification to the agency's employees if the agency's unique operational needs and programmatic mission require employees to report to the workplace. This measure would also require each state agency to decennially update its telework program.* *I deeply admire our state workforce's dedication to public service and all that they achieve on behalf of the people of California. While I fundamentally believe in-person collaboration is an essential part of a productive and effective workplace, the state's existing telework policy includes a process for departments to consider exemptions on a case-by-case basis. This measure, by limiting departmental flexibility and encouraging telework to be the default work arrangement, takes the state's telework policy in the wrong direction."*	Vetoed
AB-1803	Lowenthal, Zbur	Employment: sexual harassment training and education: anti-hate speech training	This bill requires employers, beginning January 1, 2028, to include anti-hate speech training as a component of the currently required sexual harassment prevention training for employees.	Chapter 547
AB-1818	Ortega	California State University: employer-employee relations: meeting and conferring	This bill shifts the determinations from the California State University (CSU) to Public Employment Retirement Board, of whether the state has funded or acted on changes to law necessary to implement a memorandum of agreement (MOU) between CSU and its employee unions. Under current law, when CSU determines that the state has not made such financing or legislative changes, it must send the MOU back to the bargaining parties for renegotiation.	Chapter 898
AB-1844	Pacheco	Judges' Retirement System II: beneficiaries	This bill allows a judge in the Judges' Retirement System II (JRS II) who retires on or after January 1, 2027, and elects specified optional retirement payment plans to designate a beneficiary other than their spouse to receive continuing retirement benefits after the judge's death, subject to the community property rights of the judge's spouse.	Chapter 553
AB-1980	Caloza	Labor:	This bill directs the Department of Industrial Relations, upon	Chapter 566

		apprenticeship: Equal Representation in Construction Apprenticeships Grant Program	appropriation by the Legislature, to establish the Equal Representation in Construction Apprenticeships Grant Program (ERiCA Grant Program) to, among other things, provide women, nonbinary individuals, and underrepresented populations with opportunities to train for a construction career.	
AB-2054	Gipson	Family temporary disability insurance program: covered active duty	This bill expands the definition of “covered active duty” for purposes of eligibility for Paid Family Leave benefits to include duty during training, domestic deployments, and, for reservists, including members of the National Guard, calls to state active duty.	Chapter 729
AB-2078	Rogers	Employees: meal periods: stationary engineers	This bill extends an existing exemption from the meal period requirements of existing law to an employee who performs building maintenance work as a stationary engineer, as defined, that is covered by a valid collective bargaining agreement that meets specified conditions.	Chapter 287
AB-2120	Solache	School district employees: merit system	This bill (1) extends until January 1, 2031, the authority for Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) to use an alternative merit hiring process for specified classified positions requiring specialized skills; (2) authorizes the district to retain certain employees hired through that process during layoffs without regard to seniority when necessary to preserve those specialized qualifications; (3) requires LAUSD to report to the Legislature on its use of these exemptions.	Chapter 289
AB-2129	Flora	State employees: compensation: firefighters	This bill requires the state to bargain in good faith with Department of Forestry and Fire Protection Bargaining Unit 8 (BU-8) firefighters to reach a competitive range within 15% of the average salary for corresponding ranks in 20 California fire departments agreed to by the exclusive bargaining representative for BU-8 and the Department of Human Resources.	Chapter 581
AB-2142	Garcia	School districts: community college districts: short-term employees: classified service	This bill establishes a rebuttable presumption for when a "short-term employee" is considered a classified employee for services rendered to a K-12 or community college district. *VETO message: “This bill creates a rebuttable presumption that a school district or community college district must replace a short-term employee position with a position in the classified service if specified conditions are met.* *I support the author's goal of ensuring "short-term" employees are not hired for multiple years without providing them the benefits of permanent employment. However, by establishing a confusing*	Vetoed

			calculation of thresholds and service days in statute, combined with a complex legal standard, this bill introduces significant implementation challenges for school and college officials. Further, this bill creates hundreds of millions of dollars in additional cost pressures and should be considered within the broader context of the annual state budget process. *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant cost pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	
AB-2150	Haney	Emergencies: personnel: training requirements: opioid overdose reversals	This bill requires any employer operating in this state that requires cardiopulmonary resuscitation certification training of its employees to also require those employees to take a separate online video module training on the use of naloxone, approved by the Emergency Medical Services Authority, as specified, to increase the rate of opioid overdose reversals.	Chapter 384
AB-2157	Connolly, Bryan	Workforce development: Displaced Oil and Gas Worker Pilot Program: extension	This bill removes the July 1, 2027, sunset date for the Displaced Oil and Gas Worker Pilot Program, making the program permanent.	Chapter 385
AB-2227	Connolly	Farm labor contractors: surety bonds	This bill (1) increases the amount of a surety bond that a farm labor contractor (FLC) is required to deposit to the Labor Commissioner in order to obtain a FLC license, as specified; (2) requires the Labor Commissioner to include the bond information on the public FLC license database, as specified, and disclose information about the availability of the bond and the process to access the bond to any worker that has filed a claim against an FLC.	Chapter 294
AB-2292	Ward	Disability benefits: certificates	This bill prohibits a physician or practitioner from charging an administrative fee to complete forms required to certify eligibility for paid family or medical leave, but specifies that this does not prohibit a physician or practitioner from billing for medical services provided in connection with an examination or collecting an applicable copayment or deductible, as specified.	Chapter 734
AB-2321	Ortega	Occupational safety	This bill (1) strengthens workplace safety protections by revising case	Chapter 936

		and health: investigations	investigation, review and referral procedures for the Division of Occupational Safety and Health (Cal/OSHA) and its Bureau of Investigations to follow when responding to workplace injuries or fatalities; (2) revises procedures for case referral to prosecuting authorities; (3) imposes misdemeanor penalties for interfering with a Cal/OSHA investigation.	
AB-2367	Kalra	State employment: reporting: health facilities	This bill requires the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, the State Department of Developmental Services, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and the State Department of State Hospitals to provide, on a quarterly basis, specified staffing information for all their state-run health facilities. *VETO message: "This bill would require the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, the State Department of Development Services, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and the State Department of Hospitals to provide specified staffing information for state-run health facilities. Required information would include data on vacancies, overtime, contracts, and the number of times each facility fell short of a required staffing minimum.* *I appreciate the author's goal to give the public and state employees more information about the hiring and retention challenges facing state-run health facilities. However, this measure would create substantial operational and technological burdens for affected departments by requiring the creation of more complex reporting structures than currently exist, resulting in millions of dollars in new General Fund costs."*	Vetoed
AB-2417	Zbur	State Teachers' Retirement System: community colleges: part-time faculty	This bill requires a community college district to provide temporary faculty employees the option to participate in social security, the CalSTRS defined benefit program, the CalSTRS Cash Balance Benefit program, if offered, or the CalPERS defined benefit program, and requires the California Community College (CCC) Chancellor's Office to work with CalSTRS to develop specified information materials on retirement programs opportunities for the CCC temporary faculty.	Chapter 604
AB-2495	Kalra	Unlawful immigration-related practices	This bill expands existing unfair immigration-related practices anti-retaliation protections to: (1) additionally prohibit an employer from preventing a person from exercising any right protected under existing laws; (2) prohibit an employer from dissuading an employee from engaging in conduct that the employee has a legal right to engage in or abstain from, as specified; (3) makes an employer or other person who	Chapter 748

			violates these provisions liable for a civil penalty of up to $10,000 per employee or person for each violation.	
AB-2519	McKinnor	State Teachers' Retirement System: positions subject to membership	This bill makes a technical correction to preserve specified public charter school positions' membership in the California State Teachers' Retirement System that Assembly Bill 1997 (McKinnor, Chapter 690, Statutes of 2024) inadvertently eliminated.	Chapter 947
AB-2634	Zbur	Workforce development: High road training partnerships: scoring preference	This bill requires the California Workforce Development Board to provide a scoring preference to an applicant that is a bona fide labor-management cooperation committee, as defined, when awarding grants for a high road training partnership program or any successor program, as specified.	Chapter 632
AB-2646	Krell	Employment: minimum wages: agricultural workers	This bill (1) establishes the minimum hourly wage for an approved agricultural employee and corresponding employee, as defined, to be $19.75 per hour; (2) requires, beginning on January 1, 2027, and each January 1 thereafter, the minimum wage to be adjusted by an amount equal to the cost-of-living adjustment for social security benefits for that year as published by the Social Security Administration based on changes in the United States Consumer Price Index, as specified.	Chapter 956
AB-2656	Petrie-Norris	Public employees: notice: artificial intelligence performing service within scope of work	This bill requires certain public employers to provide a recognized employee organization with no less than 45 days' written notice before developing, purchasing, or requiring the use of any generative artificial intelligence to perform a service that is within the scope of work of the job classification represented by the recognized employee organization. *VETO message: "This bill would require public employers to provide a recognized employee organization with at least 45 days' written notice before developing, purchasing, or requiring the use of any [GenAI] to perform a service that is within the scope of work of the job classification represented by the recognized employee organization.* *I believe that employees should be made aware when employers introduce new technologies that significantly impact them. However, this measure would impose redundant administrative layers on public agencies and slow the deployment of even the most innocuous tools. Moreover, this issue is best resolved through the collective bargaining process, which allows employees and employers to tailor rules appropriate for their workplace."*	Vetoed
AB-2682	Berman, Wicks	Transportation network company	This bill authorizes any charging party, respondent, or intervenor aggrieved by a final decision or order of the Public Employment	Chapter 634

		drivers: labor relations: appeals	Relations Board (PERB) in an unfair practice case under the Transportation Network Company Drivers Labor Relations Act the right to appeal PERB decisions, as specified.	
AB-2780	Committee on Public Employment and Retirement	Public employees' retirement	This bill is the annual public employment and retirement housekeeping bill that makes various minor, technical, and conforming changes to provisions of the Education Code and Government Code governing the California State Teachers' Retirement System, the California Public Employees' Retirement System, the California Department of Human Resources, and the County Employees Retirement Law.	Chapter 221
SB-909	Smallwood-Cuevas	Public works	This bill seeks to increase public works enforcement by (1) authorizing the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations to establish and adjust contractor registration and renewal fees of up to $1000; (2) increasing penalties for specified public works violations; (3) depositing all civil penalties collected by the Labor Commissioner (LC) related to public works enforcement into the State Public Works Enforcement Fund (Fund); 4) depositing all penalties received by the LC related to violations of skilled and trained workforce requirements into the Fund; and 5) authorizing moneys in the Fund to be used to ensure sufficient staffing levels in the LC's Office for public works enforcement.	Chapter 660
SB-939	Laird	Public employees' retirement: service credit: payments	This bill repeals a payment option for a member of the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) to finance the balance due on a purchase of additional service credit through a permanent actuarial equivalent reduction to their pension allowance effective January 1, 2028. Thereafter, any outstanding balance on the service credit purchase must be paid in full at the time of retirement (or death of the member). Otherwise, CalPERS must reduce the service credit in proportion to the outstanding balance.	Chapter 110
SB-947	McNerney	Employment: automated decision systems	This bill (1) prohibits an employer from using an automated decision system (ADS) that does certain functions and limits the purposes and manner in which an ADS may be used to make disciplinary or termination decisions; (2) requires an employer to provide a written ADS postuse notice, as specified; (3) includes worker anti-retaliation provisions for the exercise of these rights; (4) authorize enforcement through the Labor Commissioner or authorized public prosecutor; and (5) prescribes penalties and remedies for violations.	Chapter 859

SB-951	Reyes	Employment: technological displacement: notice	This bill (1) amends the California Workers Adjustment and Retraining Act to require employers to provide written notice with specified information to employees and certain government entities, as specified, if the mass layoff, relocation, or termination is caused in whole or in substantial part by an artificial intelligence system or other automated technology replacing or automating employment positions; (2) requires the Employment Development Department (EDD) to publish a summary of notices received, as specified; and (3) requires EDD to submit to the Legislature a report on artificial intelligence's effects on business hiring practices, including its impact on industries and occupations as the state and regional level, as specified.	Chapter 860
SB-1024	Menjivar	Firefighter postpartum and recovery leave	This bill requires a fire department to provide a paid leave of absence of up to 26 weeks to a requesting firefighter who is disabled by pregnancy, childbirth, or a related medical condition.	Chapter 419
SB-1038	Laird	The Public Employees' Retirement System	This bill requires the California Public Employees' Retirement System to provide notice to the subject of an audit and require audited employers to provide notice to affected members' unions, as specified.	Chapter 152
SB-1046	Blakespear, Padilla	Occupational safety: transboundary pollution	This bill requires the Division of Occupational Safety and Health, on or before January 1, 2030, to propose to the Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board a standard that protects the health and safety of employees who risk high or prolonged exposure to transboundary pollution in outdoor occupational environments, as specified.	Chapter 672
SB-1059	Archuleta	Employment Training Panel	This bill (1) requires the Employment Training Panel (ETP) to authorize and encourage the use of electronic systems for recordkeeping, as specified, adopt specified recordkeeping and training administration standards, and adopt or amend regulations and guidance as necessary; and (2) prohibits structured onsite training from being considered an eligible training delivery methodology for purposes of reimbursement or approval under the ETP program *VETO Message: "This bill would require the Employment Training Panel (ETP) to authorize and encourage the use of electronic recordkeeping systems. This bill also would require ETP to adopt specified recordkeeping and training administration standards.* *While I support efforts to modernize state government programs, the recordkeeping requirements for ETP contracts would be more*	Vetoed

			appropriately addressed under existing regulatory authority. The rulemaking process will provide all employers, contractors, stakeholders, and other affected parties an opportunity to participate and provide input directly to the ETP. This process ensures that ETP considers the effectiveness of changes, as well as the costs of implementation for both the state and employers. *I am directing ETP to consider new requirements consistent with the goals of this legislation that are clear, concise, and consistent with other program priorities and requirements."*	
SB-1149	Durazo	Employees: bereavement leave	This bill adds a "designated person," defined as any individual related by blood or whose association with the employee is the equivalent of a family relationship, to the list of individuals for whom an employee may take up to five days of bereavement leave upon the death of such family member.	Chapter 679
SB-1166	Arreguín	Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District: employee relations	This bill transfers jurisdiction for unfair labor practice complaints involving the Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District from the court system to the Public Employment Relations Board.	Chapter 422
SB-1227	Durazo	Department of Industrial Relations: apprenticeship pilot program	This bill requires the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) and the Department of Human Resources to partner with their respective bargaining units to design and develop an apprenticeship program, as specified, addressing DIR's staffing challenges for filling civil service classification positions.	Chapter 326
SB-1316	Smallwood-Cuevas	Employment	This bill strengthens the Labor Commissioner's (LC) ability to enforce claims of wage theft by (1) authorizing the renewal of a lien on real property for wage theft obligations for an additional 10 years before its expiration; (2) limiting how employers can use books, documents, or records that the employer failed to provide to the LC within specified timelines, as specified; and (3) applying these late-records rule provision of books, documents, or records to contractors or subcontractors in public works projects.	Chapter 157
SB-1444	Committee on Labor, Public Employment and Retirement	Employment	This omnibus bill makes statutory updates to improve efficiency, clarity, and modernization across several state programs. This bill: (1) grants an additional 30 days to Public Employees' Retirement System members to make post-retirement decisions, as specified; (2) streamlines the Labor Commissioner wage claims processes to allow for electronic communication; (3) consolidates duplicative Employment Development Department (EDD) reports and shortens EDD's automation planning horizon to account for evolving technologies; (4)	Chapter 162

			removes outdated firefighter training references in specified workers' compensation firefighter presumptions; and (5) makes other technical clarifying changes.	

LOCAL GOVERNMENT				
AB-817	Mark González	Cold storage facilities	This bill prohibits a city or county from approving a building permit for a cold storage facility unless the owner or operator of the facility establishes and maintains a contingency fund and excludes from gross income settlement for claims relating to the 2026 Boyle Heights fire incident, as specified.	Chapter 493
AB-912	Wilson	Vallejo Flood and Wastewater District: trustees	This bill makes changes to the board composition and compensation of the enabling act of Vallejo Flood and Wastewater district.	Chapter 509
AB-1112	Wallis	Tax Equity Allocation	This bill repeals the requirement for Riverside County to reduce the amount of property taxes distributed to the City of Rancho Mirage due to the creation of a community services district.	Chapter 165
AB-1156	Wicks	Williamson Act contracts: cancellation fees: photovoltaic solar facilities	This bill allows additional Williamson Act cancellations that facilitate the development of a solar facility located within a critically-overdrafted basin or subbasin to qualify for reduced or eliminated cancellation fees provided they include a community-benefits agreement.	Chapter 875
AB-1457	Bryan	General plan: environmental justice element: disadvantaged communities	This bill requires cities and counties to adopt an environmental justice element, or related policies, goals, and objectives, on or before June 30, 2031, and requires certain community engagement procedures.	Chapter 517
AB-1578	Jackson	State agency officials: training on responding to hate: local agency officials: anti-hate speech training	This bill requires state and local officials to complete anti-hate speech training as part of existing sexual harassment prevention training, as specified.	Chapter 526
AB-1621	Wilson	Planning and Zoning Law: postentitlement phase permits: Housing Accountability Act	This bill makes numerous changes to the postentitlement permit review process.	Chapter 780
AB-1658	Kalra	Local Agency Public Construction Act: change orders: County of Los Angeles: County of	This bill repeals the sunset date and cap on the number of eligible projects for the Counties of Los Angeles and Santa Clara to use higher change order limits for specified contracts.	Chapter 41

		Santa Clara		
AB-1679	Mark González, Wicks	Local pop-up small business program	This bill requires cities and counties to allow pop-up small businesses to operate on a temporary basis.	Chapter 825
AB-1693	Zbur	Accelerated retailer building plan approval: tenant improvements	This bill requires a local building or permitting department to allow an applicant to have a qualified professional certifier self-certify plans for a tenant improvement relating to a retailer, as specified.	Chapter 827
AB-1712	Pacheco	City of Santa Fe Springs: sale of water utility property	This bill allows the City of Santa Fe Springs to sell its water utility without voter approval under specified circumstances.	Chapter 371
AB-1738	Carrillo	State Housing Law: remote inspections	This bill requires cities and counties to offer a homeowner or contractor the option of a remote virtual inspection for specified projects in single- or two-family dwelling units.	Chapter 271
AB-1768	Bryan	Transactions and use taxes: Counties of Contra Costa and Los Angeles	This bill allows the counties of Contra Costa and Los Angeles to impose a district tax, by ordinance, of up to 0.625% and 0.5%, respectively, even if it exceeds the 2% cap.	Chapter 11
AB-1786	Harabedian	Public contracts: best value construction contracting for counties, cities, and the San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments	This bill (1) extends the best-value contracting pilot program to include cities and the San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments; (2) reduces the dollar threshold for projects to qualify, (3) extends the sunset date to January 1, 2032.	Chapter 202
AB-1820	Schiavo	Electric vehicle charging stations: permit fees	This bill prohibits, until January 1, 2036, a city or county from charging a permit fee for an EV charging station for a multifamily dwelling that exceeds a specified amount.	Chapter 348
AB-1834	Patel	Subdivisions: tentative and final map: exceptions	This bill exempts certain land zoned for mixed-use development from the requirement to have a tentative and final map for subdivisions of five or more parcels.	Chapter 43
AB-1838	Berman	Public contracts: local agencies: responsive bidders	This bill requires a contractor submitting a bid to a local agency to fully disclose any history of wage and hour violations and provide supporting documentation.	Chapter 551
AB-1945	Hadwick	Municipal utility districts: prepay option: termination of service	This bill authorizes a municipal utility district providing electrical service to fewer than 100,000 residential customers to offer a prepay option for electrical service.	Chapter 278
AB-1976	Wicks	Streets and highways: pedestrian	This bill exempts the development of pedestrian malls from the California Environmental Quality Act and limits cities' and counties'	Chapter 565

		and bicycle facilities	ability to deny or delay pedestrian and bicycle safety improvements, among other provisions.	
AB-1997	Lee	Land use: housing development approvals: timelines and processes	This bill expedites the timeline for approval or disapproval of certain affordable housing development projects. *VETO message: "This bill would require a public agency serving as the lead agency or a development project to approve or disapprove a housing development within 30 days after certifying an environmental impact report (EIR). This expedited process applies if at least 90% of the project's units are affordable to very low- or extremely low-income households and the development is seeking public financing. If the lead agency fails to act within this 30-day period, the project may be deemed approved.* *I strongly support accelerating affordable housing production. My administration and the Legislature have enacted comprehensive reforms providing qualifying housing projects with ministerial approval, CEQA exemptions and judicial streamlining, and accelerated entitlement and permitting timelines. However, this bill creates further statutory ambiguity by failing to clarify how its deadline applies to subsequent project approvals that rely on a program, master, or staged EIR. Although the broader EIR may already be certified, a subsequent project may still require additional project-specific environmental review. The bill does not clearly establish whether the regulatory clock begins upon certification of the broader EIR or after that additional project-specific review is complete. Shortening the deadline without resolving this question would create additional uncertainty for public agencies responsible for implementing the law.* *This risk is difficult to justify given the measure's limited reach. The bill applies exclusively to a narrow subset of projects — those with at least 90% of units affordable to very low- or extremely low-income households and requiring a full approve or deny the project from 60 to 30 days. Deeply affordable housing developments typically depend on multiple sources of public funding, often with their own requirements and deadlines; they need a high degree of regulatory certainty to assemble and retain financing. Moreover, most already use existing regulatory pathway that streamline or entirely bypass this review altogether. Therefore, this narrow potential benefit does not outweigh the risk that projects could be inadvertently denied or deemed approved*	Vetoed

			based on unclear requirements and compressed timelines. *Effective housing policy should provide clear, workable rules that move projects forward — not jam public agencies into making consequential decisions under uncertain statutory requirements. Unfortunately, this bill does not meet that standard."*	
AB-2110	Johnson	Workforce Housing Enhanced Infrastructure Financing Act	This bill creates Workforce Housing Enhanced Infrastructure Financing Districts.	Chapter 381
AB-2134	Addis	City council members: absences without permission	This bill allows a city to establish a process for parental leave and prohibits parental leave from counting toward allowed absences for a city council member.	Chapter 123
AB-2180	Ward	Local government: Proposition 218 Omnibus Implementation Act: proportional cost of service	This bill allows local agencies, for the purpose of calculating property-related fees and charges to comply with Proposition 218, to demonstrate the proportional cost of service to the parcel with any method that reasonably allocates the cost of providing service to all parcels.	Chapter 587
AB-2224	Hadwick	County recorders: fees	This bill makes various changes to recording fees and requires county recorders to implement an electronic recording system by January 1, 2028.	Chapter 292
AB-2308	Haney	Redevelopment: successor agency debt: City and County of San Francisco.	This bill allows the successor agency to the former San Francisco redevelopment agency to extend its authority to issue bonds to finance the Transbay Program.	Chapter 932
AB-2397	Ta	Local government: community facilities districts: financing	This bill creates a subset of community facilities districts called critical housing infrastructure districts (CHIDs), and prohibits a local agency from taking specified actions with respect to a CHID.	Chapter 938
AB-2418	Mark González	Local building permits: nonresidential private permitting review	This bill allows, until January 1, 2032, an applicant for a nonresidential building permit for a tenant improvement to hire a private plan checker to review their application if they experience an excessive delay in review of their permit.	Chapter 828
AB-2433	Alvarez	Housing development: density bonus	This bill makes various changes to density bonus law.	Chapter 800
AB-2512	Valencia	Surplus Land Act: exemption: Angel Stadium	This bill requires materials related to an exemption from the Surplus Land Act for Angels Stadium to refer to the Anaheim Angels.	Chapter 142

AB-2568	Johnson	Water district directors: compensation	This bill authorizes, until January 1, 2032, certain water districts to compensate board members for up to 15 days a month.	Chapter 621
AB-2605	Arambula	State Public Defender: county public defenders: data collection	This bill requires county boards of supervisors to collect data on public defenders and submit that data to the State Public Defender.	Chapter 629
AB-2640	Hadwick	Commission on State Mandates: state mandates	This bill authorizes local agencies to request to offset any reimbursement adjustments resulting from audits by the State Controller's Office from any unpaid reimbursement claims.	Chapter 307
AB-2728	Soria	Groundwater: de minimis extractors: fees: exemption	This bill allows a local government, including a groundwater sustainability agency, that imposes a fee, levy, charge, or exaction for groundwater monitoring or management to exempt de minimis extractors.	Chapter 963
ACA-21	Rivas	Withdrawal of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 13 of the 2023–24 Regular Session	This measure directs the Secretary of State to withdraw ACA 13 (Ward, 2023) from the November 3, 2026, ballot.	Resolution Chapter 131
ACA-22	Wicks	Local taxes: limitation	This constitutional amendment prohibits local governments, or their voters via the initiative power, from imposing special taxes unless and until the tax receives 2/3 voter approval.	Resolution Chapter 132
SB-226	Cabaldon	Infrastructure revitalization financing districts	This bill allows infrastructure revitalization financing districts to finance entertainment and sports facilities.	Chapter 965
SB-799	Allen	Joint powers authorities: South Bay Regional Housing Trust	This bill allows the South Bay Regional Housing Trust board of directors to appoint alternates and makes other changes.	Chapter 980
SB-802	Ashby	Housing finance and development: Sacramento Regional Housing and Homelessness Joint Powers Authority Act	This bill enacts the Sacramento Regional Housing and Homelessness Joint Powers Authority Act, which requires the County of Sacramento and five cities to form a joint powers authority to cover housing and homelessness.	Chapter 417
SB-908	Wiener	Residential windows: retrofitting: residential window replacement	This bill prohibits a city or county from imposing conditions on replacement windows, or windows in a new development in the City and County of San Francisco, as specified, and limits the installation	Chapter 787

		projects: California Building Code compliance	and aesthetic restrictions that a homeowners' association may impose on an owner of a separate interest's residential window replacement project, as specified.	
SB-922	Laird	Vehicles: local agency charges: use of streets or highways	This bill allows local agencies to impose taxes, permit fees, or other charges for the privilege of using its streets or highways to recover costs for street repair and public services.	Chapter 148
SB-935	Choi	Local agency design-build projects: authorization	This bill repeals the sunset date of January 1, 2031, on provisions of law authorizing local agencies to use the design-build contracting method.	Chapter 102
SB-983	Weber Pierson	San Diego Unified Port District: job order contracting: pilot program	This bill authorizes the San Diego Port District to use the Job Order Contracting method.	Chapter 993
SB-992	Niello	County auditors: special districts: annual audit exceptions	This bill increases the annual revenue threshold for special districts to substitute alternative financial oversight mechanisms for an annual audit and makes other changes.	Chapter 150
SB-1005	Caballero	Local agency: payment: rounding amount	This bill allows local agencies to round payments or refunds made wholly or partly in cash to the nearest five cents if that agency passes a resolution by majority vote.	Chapter 321
SB-1014	Grayson	Development projects: preliminary estimate of required improvements: onsite and offsite improvements	This bill allows development proponents to request and receive additional information on offsite and onsite improvements at the preliminary application phase, and when processing post-entitlement permits.	Chapter 806
SB-1036	Grayson	Mitigation Fee Act	This bill requires that, if a development demolishes or changes an existing use, the local agency has to offset the fee amount to account for the demolition or change so that the fee amount is attributable only to the development's incremental impact on public facilities or services.	Chapter 54
SB-1055	Laird	Pajaro Regional Flood Management Agency: contracts	This bill allows the Pajaro Regional Flood Management Agency to use specified procurement methods for flood projects.	Chapter 176
SB-1080	Valladares	County clerks: certification of records: signature	This bill allows a county clerk to use a printed, stamped, or digital signature in certifying to a record.	Chapter 12
SB-1115	Grove	Public cemetery districts: board of	This bill allows a public cemetery district in Tulare County or the County of Tulare Board of Supervisors to remove a trustee.	Chapter 227

		trustees: County of Tulare		
SB-1126	Choi	Local agencies: financial postings	This bill requires local agencies to post financial statements to their website within 30 days of the reports being completed.	Chapter 119
SB-1169	Grayson	Subdivision Map Act: tentative maps: expiration dates	This bill extends the life of tentative maps under the Subdivision Map Act.	Chapter 423
SB-1170	Durazo	Joint powers agreements: nonprofit housing developers	This bill allows nonprofit housing developers to join risk pooling joint powers authorities.	Chapter 810
SB-1172	Hurtado	Bradley-Burns Uniform Local Sales and Use Tax Law: tax sharing agreements	This bill prohibits a person from paying compensation to a consultant with respect to a tax sharing agreement that exceeds either 5% of total revenues or $250,000.	Chapter 1013
SB-1187	Durazo	Open meetings	This bill repeals language access requirements for local government meetings.	Chapter 324
SB-1193	Wahab	Discretionary funds: County of Alameda	This bill places limitations on the use of discretionary funds by members of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.	Chapter 155
SB-1272	Menjivar	Local ordinances: administrative fines or penalties	This bill specifies that the reasonable period of time to correct or otherwise remedy a violation of building or zoning codes, as specified, to be no less than 6 months if certain conditions are met. *VETO Message: "This bill would specify that the reasonable period of time to correct a violation related to building, plumbing, electrical, or other similar structural or zoning issues that do not create an immediate danger to health or safety is no less than six months. This measure would also require a local agency to extend this period by another six months upon a showing of a good-faith effort to correct or remedy the violation.* *I am sympathetic to the author's goal of giving new property owners ample time to fix problems undisclosed by the sellers. However, local officials should retain discretion in how they carry out code enforcement. This measure would tie their hands with a one-size-fits-all approach, leading to increased local government costs and unnecessary delays."*	Vetoed

SB-1274	Archuleta	Industrial cities	This bill defines the term industrial cities.	Chapter 231
SB-1283	Ashby	Electric vehicle charging stations: installation: permits	This bill expands the requirements for cities and counties to streamline electric vehicle (EV) charger permitting.	Chapter 347
SB-1367	Cervantes	Planning and zoning: detention facilities	This bill prohibits cities and counties from approving new private detention facilities.	Chapter 758
SB-1371	Durazo	Solid waste handling services: labor dispute	This bill prohibits a city or county from entering into or amending a solid waste hauling agreement if it excuses the service provider from performing its duties in the event of a labor dispute.	Chapter 704
SB-1379	Cervantes	County of Riverside: separation of county offices: in-custody reports	This bill requires the Riverside County Board of Supervisors to separate its sheriff and coroner offices, abolish the coroner office, transfer the coroner functions to an office of medical examiner, report specified information on in-custody deaths on the county's website, and notify the next of kin of the cause of death of an in-custody death within 72 hours of the determination.	Chapter 1031
SB-1400	Arreguín	Alameda Health System: hospital authority	This bill revises provisions of law that established the Alameda Health System hospital authority to permit the AHS governing board to consist entirely of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors, or to include any number of the members of the Board of Supervisors or county officers or employees appointed to represent the interests of the county.	Chapter 710
SB-1423	Stern	Regional planning: standardized spatial planning datasets	This bill requires the Governor's Office of Land Use and Climate Innovation to create a consolidated online platform to make publicly available statewide standardized spatial planning datasets for use in local planning.	Chapter 1039
SB-1438	Committee on Local Government	Local government: investments and deposits	This bill makes various changes to local government investment laws.	Chapter 715
SB-1439	Committee on Local Government	Local government: omnibus bill	This bill proposes minor changes to state laws governing local governments' powers and duties.	Chapter 716
SB-1440	Committee on Local Government	Validations	This bill validates the organization, boundaries, acts, and bonds of state and local agencies.	Chapter 13
SB-1441	Committee on Local Government	Validations	This bill validates the organization, boundaries, acts, and bonds of state and local agencies.	Chapter 14
SB-1442	Committee on Local Government	Validations	This bill validates the organization, boundaries, acts, and bonds of state and local agencies.	Chapter 15
SJR-11	Cervantes	The City of Eastvale: ZIP Code	This joint resolution urges Congress and the President to authorize the granting of a new and independent ZIP Code to the City of Eastvale in Riverside County.	Resolution Chapter 98

SB-328	Grayson	California Environmental Quality Act: exempt surplus land	This bill exempts from the Surplus Land Act and streamlines environmental review for the Concord Community Reuse Project at the Concord Naval Weapons Station.	Chapter 785
SB-594	Padilla	Short-Term Rental Facilitator Act of 2026	This bill enacts the Short-Term Rental Facilitator Act of 2026, which permits Indian tribes to require short-term rental facilitators to provide specified information on short-term rentals in their jurisdiction.	Chapter 456
SB-677	Wiener	Housing financing: joint powers agreements: bond approvals: subdivisions: tentative and final maps: appeals	This bill (1) prohibits an interested person from appealing a parcel map for a housing development project on an urban infill site, and (2) authorizes the State Treasurer to provide specified approvals for tax-exempt private activity bonds under specified circumstances.	Chapter 974
SB-716	Durazo	Local government: ordinances: penalties for violation: nonresidential structures	This bill increases fines for violations of ordinances that pose a threat to health or safety for non-residential structures of 20,000 square feet or greater.	Chapter 494

MILITARY & VETERANS AFFAIRS				
AB-264	Carrillo	Veterans: benefits	This bill eliminates the prohibition on a child of a veteran, an unmarried surviving spouse of a veteran, or spouse of a disabled veteran from receiving a tuition waiver from the state while also accessing other state of federal educational benefits. *VETO message: ""While I support the author's goal of expanding access to higher education for dependents of veterans, this bill would result in General Fund ongoing costs in the millions of dollars annually and should be considered as part of the annual budget process.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	Vetoed
AB-2219	Schiavo	Veterans	This bill modernizes and standardizes the county veterans service officer program by requiring timely vacancy appointments, California Department of Veterans Affairs accreditation and training standards, improved data collection, a statewide work queue, a service capacity and performance framework, and a statewide digital survey to measure veteran feedback on County Veteran Service Officer services	Chapter 728
SB-1354	Archuleta	The military: defense of the state	This bill (1) prohibits military personnel of another state, territory, or district from entering, or causing something to enter, California to perform military duty or law enforcement functions for another state without the permission of the Governor; (2) exempts personnel acting under federal Title 10 authority, specified military compacts entered into before January 1, 2027, and educational courses or training exercises involving out-of-state military personnel taking place in California; and (3) allows the Governor to delegate approval authority to the Adjutant General.	Chapter 329
SJR-14	Cabaldon	World War II Nurses Congressional Gold Medal Act	This resolution urges California's Congressional delegation to support federal legislation awarding the Congressional Gold Medal to the members of the United States Army Nurse Corps and Navy Nurse Corps who served during World War II.	Chapter 167

SJR-17	Choi	Korean American veterans	This resolution urges Congress and President of the United States to permit states to extend burial and memorial benefits in state veterans cemeteries to Republic of Korea veterans who served in the Vietnam War and subsequently became United States citizens.	Resolution Chapter 168

NATURAL RESOURCES & WATER				
AB-35	Alvarez	Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention, Drought Preparedness, and Clean Air Bond Act of 2024: Administrative Procedure Act: exemption: program guidelines and selection criteria	This bill exempts the Safe Drinking Water, Wildfire Prevention, Drought Preparedness, and Clean Air Bond Act of 2024, approved by the voters as Proposition 4, from the Administrative Procedures Act, as provided.	Chapter 89
AB-442	Hadwick	Z'berg-Nejedly Forest Practice Act of 1973: working forest management plans: nonindustrial timber management plans	This bill makes changes to the areas eligible for timber harvest under a Working Forest Management Plan or a Nonindustrial Timber Management Plan.	Chapter 504
AB-550	Petrie-Norris	The California Endangered Species Act: take of species proposed for listing: renewable electrical generation facilities	This bill (1) authorizes the California Department of Fish and Wildlife to include a species proposed for listing, as defined, in an incidental take permit (ITP) for an endangered, threatened, and candidate species under the California Endangered Species Act (CESA); and (2) provides that if a species proposed for listing becomes a candidate or listed species pursuant to CESA is a covered species under an ITP for a renewable energy generation facility than no additional permitting or authorization is required for take of that species, among other provisions, as provided.	Chapter 357
AB-706	Aguiar-Curry	Forest Organic Residue, Energy, and Safety Transformation (FOREST) and Wildfire Prevention Fund Act	This bill authorizes, upon appropriation, the establishment of the Forest Organic Residue Energy and Safety Transformation (FOREST) program to maintain and expand biomass power generation in the state.	Chapter 869
AB-982	Carrillo	Mining: The Surface Mining and Reclamation Act of 1975: mining operations status: idle reserve mine status	This bill creates an "Idle Reserve Mine Status" of up to 10 years length for idle construction aggregate mines, and sunsets on January 1, 2032, among other provisions, as provided.	Chapter 873

AB-1448	Hart	Coastal resources: California Coastal Sanctuary: tidelands and submerged lands: oil and gas development	This bill (1) modifies existing requirements for the transfer, assignment or modification of leases for oil and gas-related infrastructure upon tidelands and submerged lands within state waters associated with Pacific Outer Continental Shelf leases; (2) prohibits leases and oil- and gas-related infrastructure located upon tidelands and submerged lands from being used to support Pacific Outer Continental Shelf leases issued after January 1, 2026; (3) requires the State Lands Commission to consider additional explicit factors when determining whether to approve a proposed lease assignment, renewal, modification, or amendment; (4) limits the exception authorizing new oil- and gas-leasing on state tide and submerged lands within the California Coastal Sanctuary if state oil deposits are being drained from producing wells on federal lands to those areas not in the state's marine protected areas or national marine sanctuaries, as provided.	Chapter 812
AB-1592	Ramos	California Indian Heritage Center support organization	This bill authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation to enter into an agreement with the California Indian Heritage Center support organization and requires the agreement to meet certain requirements.	Chapter 451
AB-1661	Bryan	Oil and gas: low-production wells: Baldwin Hills Conservancy: Equitable Community Repair and Reinvestment Account: health impacts	This bill (1) expands the uses of the Equitable Community Repair and Reinvestment Account; (2) requires direct cash assistance to be made available to certain families living within 2-1/2 miles of the identified low production oil or gas wells located in the Inglewood Oil Field in Los Angeles County, as provided.	Chapter 539
AB-1663	Wallis	Western Joshua Tree Conservation Act: removal: trimming	This bill (1) authorizes the agent of a property owner to seek a permit under the Western Joshua Tree Conservation Act, and (2) removes the permit application requirement that a signed attestation or certification of dead western Joshua trees be submitted, among other provisions, as provided.	Chapter 813
AB-1666	Rogers	Forest management: biomass innovation parks: wood products	This bill enacts the Biomass Innovation Parks Act, which would establish the Biomass Innovation Parks Grants and Financing Program, to be administered by the California Natural Resources Agency. *VETO message: "I thank the author for his commitment to advancing the use of wood biomass to improve forest health and build wildfire resilience. In partnership with the Legislature, my administration allocated $50 million from the Climate Bond to the Department of Conservation to develop a program to fund the development of large-*	Vetoed

			scale biomass facilities and identify opportunities to accelerate the utilization of wood waste biomass. *The program proposed in this measure would require additional resources not included in this year's budget. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget."*	
AB-1699	Rogers	Good Fire Act: Prescribed Fire Liability Pilot Program: burn bosses: California Environmental Quality Act	This bill establishes the Good Fire Act, which indefinitely extends the Prescribed Fire Liability Program, and makes changes to the program and other relevant laws to advance the implementation of prescribed fire throughout the state.	Chapter 761
AB-1722	Hadwick	California Endangered Species Act: take prohibition: self-defense	This bill prohibits the imposition of a civil, administrative, or criminal penalty for a violation of the take prohibition for listed and candidate species under the California Endangered Species Act if the defendant used necessary and reasonable force to protect themselves, a member of their family, or any other individual from immediate bodily harm, as provided, among other provisions. *VETO message: "This bill would prohibit the imposition of civil or criminal penalties on an individual who 'takes' a species listed, or a candidate for listing, under [CESA] if the individual acted in self-defense or in defense of another individual to protect against immediate bodily harm.* *Defending oneself from immediate bodily harm is a fundamental right. California law already protects against penalties for taking endangered species if the take occurred to protect oneself or another person. This bill duplicates these protections while creating confusion about the applicable standard for invoking this type of defense."*	Vetoed
AB-1740	Zbur	Coastal resources: local coastal program: coastal development permits: City of Santa Monica	This bill (1) requires the City of Santa Monica (City) to submit a complete proposed local coastal program to the California Coastal Commission (commission) by January 1, 2029' (2) requires the commission to act on the proposal within six months, as provided; (3) requires accelerated permitting for the conversion of certain roadways to active transportation uses in the coastal zone, as specified.	Chapter 892
AB-1802	Stefani	Land use: mitigation	This bill (1) removes the sunset on the ability of a governmental agency,	Chapter 274

		lands: endowments	nonprofit organization, or a special district that manages mitigation lands to also hold and manage the endowments established for long-term stewardship of those lands; and (2) requires the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) to compile a summary of the status of endowments subject to CDFW's jurisdiction every five years, as provided.	
AB-1804	Hart	State parks: parks passes: libraries	This bill authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation to work with the California State Library and individual library systems to provide passes to state park units.	Chapter 815
AB-1808	Carrillo	Western Joshua Tree Conservation Act: industrial projects and commercial projects: single-family residences: public works projects	This bill (1) authorizes the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) to delegate to a city permitting authority under the Western Joshua Tree Conservation Act for commercial and industrial projects to take up to 40 western Joshua trees; (2) further authorizes CDFW to authorize, without fees or other mitigation the removal or trimming of up to 10 western Joshua trees by the owner of a single family residence or up to 40 western Joshua trees for a public works project where certain criteria are met; (3) waives the California Environmental Quality Act for these single-family home projects until CDFW certifies a programmatic environmental impact report; among other provisions, as provided.	Chapter 816
AB-1873	Bennett	County of Ventura: fire suppression: backup energy source	This bill (1) revises existing requirements, set to take effect July 1, 2030, for Ventura County water suppliers to extend the time for mobile or mutual aid backup energy sources to come online from 60 minutes to 90 minutes after a loss of power; (2) requires water suppliers to notify the Ventura County Office of Emergency Services if that backup power is not available within 90 minutes; (3) sets a July 1, 2027, deadline to develop an emergency preparedness plan; (4) adds a new assessment item to the existing post-fire reporting requirements.	Chapter 168
AB-1891	Connolly	Forestry: Beneficial Fire Capacity Program	This bill requires the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE) to allocate at least 10% of the funding appropriated to CAL FIRE for local assistance and other grant programs where prescribed or beneficial fire is an eligible activity, to expand training, organizational capacity, and support for community-led beneficial fire programs, and requires at least 25% of that allocation be awarded to California Native American tribes or tribally led or indigenous-led organizations. *VETO message: "This bill would require CAL FIRE to dedicate a specified percentage of all grant funding appropriated to the Department to beneficial fire activities.*	Vetoed

			The state has nearly doubled the amount of prescribed burn treatments since 2021, treating roughly 200,000 acres annually. While I share the author's goal to increase the pace and scale of prescribed fire projects, this bill limits CAL FIRE's ability to prioritize limited state resources toward the projects and communities facing the greatest wildfire risks. *Funding decisions of this nature should be considered within the annual budget process, where they can be evaluated alongside the state's broader wildfire resilience priorities and considered among available resources."*	
AB-1894	Blanca Rubio	Fish and wildlife: invasive mussels: imported water	This bill prevents a public agency from prohibiting groundwater replenishment due to invasive mussels unless there is substantial, documented evidence of a proven health and safety risk as a result of the invasive mussels. *VETO message: "This bill would prohibit a public agency from denying imported water for groundwater replenishment due to the presence of an invasive mussel.* *In response to the detection of golden mussels in October 2024, my administration immediately began working with managers of uninfested and infested waters to support the implementation of invasive mussel prevention and containment programs. This work is critical to ensure that water managers are prepared to respond to the ongoing threat these species pose.* *While I appreciate the author's intent, I am concerned by this bill's 'one-size-fits-all' approach prohibiting the denial of local water deliveries. This could have serious, unintended consequences for water managers statewide, especially as the challenges associated with invasive mussels continue to evolve."*	Vetoed
AB-1912	Hadwick	Deer: archery season: concealed firearms	This bill authorizes a hunter to carry a firearm during the archery-only hunting season for deer.	Chapter 132
AB-1960	Bennett	Wildfire Prevention Grants Program: wildfire mitigation validation	This bill (1) requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (the Department), in consultation with the State Fire Marshal's Wildfire Mitigation Advisory Committee, to establish a wildfire mitigation validation program to provide voluntary official recognition to a community that achieves progress toward community-scale wildfire preparedness and mitigations; (2) authorizes the Department of	Chapter 764

			Forestry and Fire Protection to disburse funds appropriated for the Wildfire Prevention Grants Program to identified communities that partner with fire safe councils to use for activities related to hazardous fuel reduction, wildfire prevention planning, and wildfire prevention education; (3) requires the Department, commencing with the 2028-29 fiscal year, to prioritize disadvantaged cohesive fire communities.	
AB-1987	Aguiar-Curry, Hadwick	Department-managed lands: wildlife areas: hunting	This bill (1) creates the Waterfowl Management Areas Operations and Management Fund (fund) and requires moneys in the fund, upon appropriation, to be expended by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife for the operation and maintenance of certain wildlife areas; (2) requires all revenues generated from the sale of waterfowl hunting reservation applications and certain wildlife area entry passes to be deposited in the created fund; (3) requires account funds to be used to augment and not replace current spending levels for the operation and maintenance of Type A and Type B wildlife areas, among other provisions, as provided.	Chapter 913
AB-2032	Ransom	Fish and wildlife: invasive mussels: golden mussels	This bill (1) exempts a public or private agency that operates a water supply system from certain California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) invasive mussel permitting requirements until an invasive mussel control plan is submitted, approved, or denied, as applicable, requires at least quarterly updating of an online map of invasive mussel observations by CDFW; and (2) requires the California Department of Food and Agriculture and the State Water Resources Control Board to quickly and efficiently respond to the threat of golden mussels, among other provisions, as provided.	Chapter 817
AB-2045	Connolly	Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Act	This bill extends the sunset on and makes additional changes to the Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Act that provides for streamlined permitting for small restoration projects at the California Department of Fish and Wildlife, as provided.	Chapter 818
AB-2051	Wicks	Public resources: coastal resources: Coastal Resilience Permitting Working Group	This bill (1) authorizes the California Coastal Commission (Coastal Commission) to retroactively extend for up to five years any time limitation established for a local government to act on the Coastal Commission's suggested modifications to a land use plan amendment that would authorize approval of a 100% affordable housing development which otherwise expired, as provided; (2) requires the Secretary of the California Natural Resources Agency to convene a Coastal Resilience Permitting Working Group to develop a Coastal Resilience Permitting Roadmap by July 1, 2028 with recommendations for process improvements and legislative reforms to enable efficient environmental permitting of coastal resilience projects statewide, as	Chapter 575

			provided.	
AB-2075	Bennett	Forestry: safety requirements: fire equipment: internal combustion engines	This bill amends the requirements regarding the availability of fire suppression tools near a person using devices which may spark a wildfire on specified lands during a time of year when burning permits are required.	Chapter 766
AB-2207	Hadwick	Hunting tags: transfer: youth program	This bill requires the California Fish and Game Commission to establish a hunting tag transfer program for pronghorn antelope, elk, deer, bear, or bighorn sheep tags from a parent, grandparent, or legal guardian to a youth, as provided.	Chapter 589
AB-2218	Kalra	Water policy: California Native American tribes	This bill declares it is statewide policy to recognize and address the wrongs inflicted upon California Native American tribes regarding access to, and control over, water by state-sanctioned acts of termination, removal, and assimilation, and directs relevant state agencies to take steps to implement this policy. *VETO message: "This bill would establish a state policy to recognize and address the inequities inflicted upon all California Native American tribes regarding access to, and control over, water by state-sanctioned actions of termination, removal, and assimilation, and would require several state agencies to take a series of steps to implement this policy. The bill would also require disputes between a tribe and an agency over implementation of the policy to be brought before the Governor's Office of Tribal Affairs for mediation before the agency action is challenged in court.* *I have long recognized the historical harms perpetrated against Native peoples and tribal governments in California, and my administration has worked tirelessly to address them. Under my administration, state agencies are directed to foster respectful, government-to-government dialogue with tribes above and beyond what existing law requires. For example, the Department of Water Resources convened a tribal advisory committee to ensure tribal perspectives are incorporated into updates to the California Water Plan. The State Water Resources Control Board also expressly incorporated Tribal Beneficial Uses into its long-term planning, which involves extensive engagement and collaboration with tribal nations to protect water resources important to tribes.* *I also recognize, however, that California must streamline its water policies to protect our water supply from the reality of climate change. I*	Vetoed

			am concerned this bill would undermine that imperative – adding new layers of process to duplicate work that my Administration already priorities. I am further concerned that the bill is not sufficiently clear about how its new policy should be implemented – or whether such implementation would disrupt important regulations, policies, permits, and grant criteria already moving forward. Adding new sources of uncertainty will delay our urgent fight to secure Californians' water supplies."	
AB-2312	Ávila Farías	State property: tidelands transfer: City of Martinez: leases	This bill authorizes the City of Martinez to lease certain city trust lands for up to 66 years, or for a longer term if authorized by the State Lands Commission (commission) if the commission finds that a longer lease is in the best interest of the state.	Chapter 394
AB-2469	Papan	Data centers: water use disclosures	This bill imposes requirements on cities and counties to meet before they can issue permits to proposed data center projects.	Chapter 436
AB-2483	Elhawary	Wildland firefighters: Formerly Incarcerated Firefighter Certification and Employment Program	This bill requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to implement a standardized process to ensure that all eligible individuals in the Conservation Camp program receive official written certification reflective of the training they've received, and award hiring preference under Fire Fighter I Category Placement 2 to qualified formerly incarcerated individuals.	Chapter 612
AB-2494	Rogers	State forests: forest management	This bill redefines "management" for the purposes of managing the Demonstration State Forest system and further establishes the goals, appropriate forestry techniques, research efforts, and other activities allowable on the demonstration forests pursuant to the definition of "management." *VETO message: "This bill would significantly revise the state's management policies for the [DSFs] and establish new goals, forestry techniques, research efforts, and other activities allowable on the DSFs. For 80 years, [CAL FIRE's] DSFs have served s living laboratories for research, recreation, and the demonstration of sustainable forest management.* *My administration, in partnership with the Legislature, has made historic investments to accelerate the pace and scale of science-based forest management to improve forest health, enhance wildfire resilience, and mitigate climate change. Though small in size, DSFs produce cutting-edge strategies that inform forest management on public and private lands across California – work that is critical to achieving our goals.*	Vetoed

			By narrowing the management of these forests to a limited set of pubic benefits, this bill risks the State's ability to fully demonstrate the best science-based practices. At a time when California is racing to keep pace with a rapidly changing climate, we cannot afford to lose the flexibility needed to safeguard our forests for future generations."	
AB-2513	Petrie-Norris	Wildfire: Regional Forest and Fire Capacity Program: local assistance grant program: regional landscape grants	This bill expands the kinds of activities eligible for funding from the Wildlife Conservation Board and Regional Forest Fire Capacity Program to address ecosystem specific concerns in Southern California.	Chapter 768
AB-2619	Papan	Water resources: data centers	This bill imposes new requirements on data centers that apply for business licenses.	Chapter 437
AB-2734	Hart	Vehicles: special interest license plates	This bill re-directs funds raised through the sale and renewal of two special interest license plates.	Chapter 407
AB-2739	Soria	Water: affordability and system stabilization	This bill establishes the Water Affordability and System Stabilization Trust as a charitable trust to fund the Community Water Affordability Program administered by the Department of Water Resources and the Water Rate Affordability Assistance Fund administered by the State Water Resources Control Board. *VETO message: "This bill establishes the [Trust Fund] to theoretically generate ongoing funding for two programs – one to provide water rate assistance and another to provide infrastructure grants for community water systems.* *Ensuring access to safe and affordable drinking water in California has been a top priority of my Administration over the last eight years. We have made tremendous progress in bringing clean, affordable drinking water to California's most disadvantaged communities – over one million people who lacked this most basic need now have it thanks to this work. That said, much more work remains, and I deeply appreciate the intent behind this proposal. But by creating a permanent program without identifying a sustainable, ongoing funding source, this bill – as well as SB 1125 – misses the mark. I encourage the Legislature to revisit this issue next year as part of the annual budget process, in order to balance the funding needed to support a proposal of this nature with other fiscal considerations."*	Vetoed
AB-2770	Alvarez	State Property: San	This bill requires the Department of Parks and Recreation to quitclaim,	Vetoed

		Pasqual Battlefield State Park	forthwith, the state-owned land in the San Pasqual Battlefield State Historic Park. *VETO message: "This bill would require the state to quitclaim the state-owned land within [SPB State Park].* *Under my administration, [State Parks] has worked with tribal governments to foster government-to-government coordination and co-management of natural lands within California tribes' ancestral lands. Such arrangements now cover more than half of State Parks land. Additionally, my administration has facilitated the return of over 100,000 acres of land to tribes.* *While I share the author's goal of further advancing ancestral land return, I am mindful of the need to approach that important work systematically — by building processes that are transparent and fair to all interested parties. I am concerned that piecemeal measures, like this bill, could undermine those values."*	
AB-2787	Committee on Water, Parks, and Wildlife	Water, parks, and wildlife: omnibus bill	This bill (1) clarifies requirements for the California Department of Water Resources to review and re-prioritize groundwater basins when their boundaries change; (2) exempts, for either of the lakes located on the California-Nevada border, recreational boaters meeting certain Nevada requirements for aquatic invasive species prevention from citations for violating California requirements for invasive mussel infestation prevention.	Chapter 222
AB-2791	Committee on Natural Resources	Public resources	This bill (1) removes a duplicative requirement that a Registered Professional Forester mark, or supervises the marking of, all trees to be felled as part of the Forest Resilience Exemption; (2) removes archaic references to "state colleges" in the Coastal Act; (3) defines a "nonprofit organization" for the purposes of the Coastal Act.	Chapter 60
ACR-107	Bauer-Kahan	The Diablo Range	This resolution (1) recognizes the importance of the Diablo Range as a unique landscape deserving of amplified consideration; (2) commends the Natural Resources Agency and its departments, organizational stakeholders, and individuals across the state in their collective efforts to elevate awareness involving the benefits and values of the Diablo Range.	Resolution Chapter 185
AJR-9	Wallis	National parks: federal funding	This resolution urges the President and Congress to restore full and consistent funding and staffing for the National Park Service and support two specific pieces of legislation. It also makes findings regarding the iconic nature of the state's national parks, the popularity	Resolution Chapter 209

			of these parks, and the impact reducing the National Park Service workforce will have on the local economy, National Park Service employees, and park visitors.	
SB-599	Caballero	Atmospheric rivers: research: forecasting methods: experimental tools	This bill requires the Department of Water Resources, when researching, developing, and implementing novel forecasting methods pursuant to a certain atmospheric rivers research program, to also include the use of experimental tools that produce seasonal and subseasonal atmospheric river forecasts.	Chapter 650
SB-832	Allen	Upper Los Angeles River and Tributaries Working Group: membership: revitalization plan	This bill (1) adds an additional member to the Upper Los Angeles River and Tributaries Working Group, for a total of no more than 25 appointed representatives; (2) requires the working group to meet at least once each year to evaluate and report on implementation of the revitalization plan to the conservancy, and propose amendments to the revitalization plan to the conservancy for adoption.	Chapter 983
SB-894	Allen	Wildfire resiliency: financial assistance	This bill establishes the California Wildfire Resilience Loan Program and requires the California Alternative Energy and Advanced Transportation Financing Authority to administer the program to provide financial assistance for projects and activities to reduce wildfire-related risks and losses, including home hardening and defensible space improvements.	Chapter 770
SB-949	Becker	Environmental protection: Natural Resources Agency: resource of statewide significance: Santa Cruz Mountains	This bill establishes the Santa Cruz Mountains, as specified, as a landscape of statewide significance that requires special protection.	Chapter 318
SB-963	Laird	California Coastal Act of 1976: coastal development permits: appeal: de novo review	This bill sets certain time limits for the California Coastal Commission (commission) to identify and review necessary data and hold a de novo and public hearing when a coastal development permit issued by a local jurisdiction is appealed to the commission and the commission determines a substantial issue exists, as provided.	Chapter 103
SB-973	Becker, Stern	Wildfire County Coordinator Program	This bill requires the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection to establish the California Wildfire Preparedness Program and enter into an agreement with the California Fire Safe Council to administer and deliver the Wildfire County Coordinator Program.	Chapter 772
SB-997	Caballero	North Fork Kings Groundwater Sustainability Agency:	This bill (1) authorizes the North Fork Kings Groundwater Sustainability Agency to impose civil penalties when enforcing its groundwater sustainability plan; and (2) authorizes the agency to file a lien for any	Chapter 86

		lien authority	unpaid charges or other services upon any real property in the county owned by the person who is liable for the charges.	
SB-1062	Ochoa Bogh	Western Joshua Tree Conservation Act: fees	This bill requires the California Department of Fish and Wildlife, when adjusting the in lieu fees for the take of western Joshua trees under the Western Joshua Tree Conservation Act, to consider making the fees proportionate to the impact of the project and the use of tiered fees by project type, size, or other criteria.	Chapter 673
SB-1079	Stern	Department of Forestry and Fire Protection: Fire Innovation Unit	This bill establishes the Fire Innovation Unit at the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection.	Chapter 774
SB-1085	Durazo	Water supply planning: housing developments	This bill restores a requirement that cities and counties approving certain projects identify a water system that would supply water for that project and complete a water supply assessment.	Chapter 1004
SB-1135	Blakespear	California Wildlife Coexistence Act	This bill (1) establishes the California Wildlife Coexistence Act; (2) establishes state policy requiring an emphasis on the safe coexistence of humans and wildlife in the management of wildlife; and (3) requires the California Department of Fish and Wildlife, upon appropriation, to establish a Wildlife Coexistence Program, the Wolf-Livestock Coexistence and Compensation Program, and the Wildlife Coexistence Technical Advisory Committee to perform certain duties to support coexistence, as provided, among other provisions.	Chapter 820
SB-1139	Laird	Monterey Peninsula Water Management District: nonfunctional turf: noncompliance and enforcement	This bill gives Monterey Peninsula Water Management District authority to enforce an existing prohibition against the use of potable water for the irrigation of nonfunctional turf located on commercial, industrial, and institutional properties, and on properties of homeowners' associations, common interest developments, and community service organizations, as specified.	Chapter 88
SB-1207	Laird	California Conservation Corps	This bill (1) requires projects of the California Conservation Corps (CCC) to assist in wildfire prevention and suppression, including forest resiliency; (2) require projects provide opportunities to California Native American tribes; (3) require the CCC to report on the number of corpsmember who enroll in postsecondary education; (4) authorizes Corpsmembers to receive service credit in the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS); (5) exempts Corpsmembers from certain requirements relating to the wages, hours, and working conditions.	Chapter 156
SB-1253	Laird	Salinas Reservoir: recreational use	This bill exempts the Salinas Reservoir from the general prohibition against bodily contact with water stored in a reservoir for domestic use	Chapter 177

			if three conditions are met.	
SB-1268	Gonzalez	Outdoor public recreation spaces: equitable access	This bill establishes the Outdoors for All initiative, to be administered by the California Natural Resources Agency.	Chapter 822
SB-1370	Stern, Becker	Covered wildfire mitigation projects: consolidated and expedited review	This bill (1) establishes a consolidated and expediated review process for certain covered wildfire mitigation projects requiring approval or permits from the Natural Resources Agency or Environmental Protection Agency; and (2) requires the Board of Forestry and Fire Protection to adopt regulations to develop a Certified Regulatory Program for nontimber vegetation management.	Chapter 777
SB-1393	McGuire	Commercial fishing: steelhead trout: Dungeness crab	This bill (1) makes multiple changes to the commercial Dungeness crab fishery; (2) revises and extends the sunset on the steelhead trout fishing report-restoration card (steelhead report card) until January 1, 2032, as provided.	Chapter 707
SB-1428	Committee on Natural Resources and Water	Gravity-Based Energy Storage Well Pilot Program: marine invasive species: Wildfire and Forest Resilience Task Force: public lands	This bill is the 2026 Senate Natural Resources and Water Committee omnibus bill; it (1) changes certain cross references to the federal Vessel Incidental Discharge Act, (2) corrects erroneous cross-references, and (3) makes a technical change.	Chapter 36
SJR-12	Laird	Proposed 2026–2031 National Outer Continental Shelf Oil and Gas Leasing Program: opposition	This resolution (1) declares the Legislature's strong and unequivocal opposition to the proposed leasing of federal lands offshore California for oil and gas development given the risks to coastal resources, recreation and economy, and the Legislature's commitment to take action to maintain the existing prohibition on new federal leasing; and (2) requests the US Bureau of Ocean Engineering Management (BOEM) hold public meetings in the state in advance of any proposed leasing to receive input and prepare an appropriate environmental document for the proposed leasing, among other provisions.	Resolution Chapter 166

PRIVACY, DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY & CONSUMER PROTECTION				
AB-2	Lowenthal, Patterson	Injuries to children: civil penalties	This bill, until January 1, 2035, increases the penalties that can be sought against a social media platform, as defined, if the platform fails to exercise ordinary care or skill and injures a child.	Chapter 180
AB-883	Lowenthal	Data brokers: accessible deletion mechanism: deletion of personal information of elected officials and judges	This bill (1) requires the California Privacy Protection Agency to develop and distribute informational materials on how state and local elected officials and judges can use CalPrivacy's accessible deletion mechanism; (2) reduces compliance timelines in the Delete Act from 45 days to 30 days.	Chapter 507
AB-1405	Bauer-Kahan	Artificial intelligence: auditors: registration	This bill (1) establishes a registration process for auditors of artificial intelligence (AI) systems or models through the Government Operations Agency; and (2) creates and sets standards, reporting requirements, and transparency requirements for registered AI audits.	Chapter 178
AB-1542	Ward	Sensitive personal information	This bill prohibits the selling or sharing of "sensitive personal information", as specified, pursuant to the California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA). *VETO message: "This bill prohibits businesses that are subject to the California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA) from selling or sharing a consumer's sensitive personal information.* *While I support the author's goal of protecting the sensitive personal information of Californians, a categorical ban on sharing that information is a step too far. Under state law, companies are required to provide California consumers with the option to limit the sharing of such information, and I worry there may be unintended consequences if consumers are removed entirely from the decision process.* *Further, because this bill would apply to businesses broadly, its implementation and enforcement would result in significant costs not included in the 2026 Budget Act. In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the*	Vetoed

			budget, such as this measure."	
AB-1609	Zbur	Customer service chatbots	This bill requires large private businesses, as defined, to provide customers with timely access to human customer service and support, as provided, and to disclose the use of customer service chatbots, as specified.	Chapter 733
AB-1709	Lowenthal, Alvarez, Bauer-Kahan, Bonta, Hoover, Muratsuchi, Patterson, Wicks	Covered platforms: age restriction: e-Safety Advisory Commission	This bill (1) prohibits "covered platforms" from providing an addictive feature to a user under the age of 16. The Attorney General (AG) may adopt regulations, as provided; (2) establishes the e-Safety Advisory Commission to advise the AG on, among other things, matters related to online safety.	Chapter 183
AB-1856	Wicks	Age verification signals: software applications	This bill updates the Digital Age Assurance Act by clarifying the scope of the Act and, among other things, requiring age signals to be sent to covered application stores as well as developers.	Chapter 184
AB-1883	Bryan	Workplace surveillance tools	This bill regulates the use of specified workplace surveillance tools.	Chapter 853
AB-1946	Wicks, Krell	Reporting mechanism: child sexual abuse material	This bill updates and strengthens California's reporting mechanism for child sexual abuse material on social media.	Chapter 185
AB-1979	Bonta	Health care services: artificial intelligence	This bill subjects businesses offering "health care chatbots" to the California Medical Information Act and imposes guardrails around the use of automated decision systems and other generative AI models in patient care.	Chapter 854
AB-2103	Irwin	Office of Data and Innovation: Engaged California Program	This bill establishes the Engaged California Program within the Office of Data and Innovation inside the Government Operations Agency.	Chapter 332
AB-2246	Wicks	Online service, product, or feature: access by children	This bill replicates portions of the California Age-Appropriate Design Code Act, removing provisions found unconstitutional by federal courts.	Chapter 187
AB-2448	Berman, Bauer-Kahan	Medical information: confidentiality	This bill clarifies that a business that electronically stores or maintains medical information of sensitive services shall enable the capabilities, policies, and procedures they are required to develop under existing law.	Chapter 607
AB-2561	Valencia	Operating systems and applications: privacy settings	This bill prohibits an operating system or application from undoing a user's affirmative configuration of a privacy setting without the user's consent.	Chapter 478
AB-2624	Bonta	Privacy for immigration support services providers	This bill, on October 1, 2027, expands the Safe at Home program to include immigration support services providers.	Chapter 117

AB-2713	Wicks	California AI Transparency Act: system provenance data	This bill reworks certain provisions of the recently enacted California AI Transparency Act that apply to large online platforms.	Chapter 856
SB-719	Cabaldon	Access to connected vehicle service	This bill amends the Connected Vehicle Service law to rework various provisions, slightly narrow the scope, and delay the operative date of specified sections of the law, tying them to technical feasibility.	Chapter 53
SB-813	McNerney	Independent verification organizations	This bill (1) requires the Government Operations Agency (GovOps) to create and publish requirements, procedures, and qualification criteria for independent verification organizations (IVOs), as specified, and (2) requires IVOs to submit an annual report to GovOps and the Legislature, as specified. GovOps is required to convene working groups to solicit input in identifying standards and relevant procedures, requirements, and criteria.	Chapter 179
SB-867	Padilla	Toys: companion chatbots	This bill (1) provides that no person shall manufacture, sell, or exchange, possess with intent to sell or exchange, or expose or offer for sale or exchange to any retailer any toy, as defined, that includes a companion chatbot; (2) sunsets on January 1, 2031.	Chapter 189
SB-923	Becker	Consumer privacy requests: deletion request records and request submission methods	This bill expands consumers' right to deletion of their personal information pursuant to the California Consumer Privacy Act (CCPA) and requires specified online businesses to provide consumers an online method for exercising rights under the CCPA.	Chapter 482
SB-930	Reyes	Student Test Taker Privacy Protection Act: end-to-end encryption	This bill requires a business providing proctoring services to a local educational agency, as provided, to use end-to-end encryption, as defined, in providing those services to protect personal information.	Chapter 989
SB-1000	Becker	California AI Transparency Act	This bill makes a number of changes to the California AI Transparency Act, including (1) eliminating the requirement to offer manifest disclosures, (2) removing the user threshold on the definition of "covered provider," (3) amending the requirements applicable to third-party licensees, and (4) amending other definitions and exemptions.	Chapter 861
SB-1050	Ashby	False advertising: synthetic performers	This bill (1) makes it an unlawful practice for a person to create or publish an advertisement with a synthetic performer, as defined, without a clear and conspicuous disclosure that the performer is synthetic; and (2) prohibits an advertising medium, as defined, from making an advertisement available if specified conditions are met.	Chapter 246
SB-1111	Ashby	Digital replicas	This bill (1) ensures that "digital replicas" are incorporated into the right of publicity law and criminal false impersonation statutes; (2) removes a	Chapter 862

			presumption about incidental use of another's likeness.	
SB-1119	Padilla, Bauer-Kahan, Wicks	Companion chatbots: children's safety	This bill seeks to comprehensively regulate companion chatbots with regard to children's safety, including imposition of a series of obligations and restrictions on operators that make such chatbots available in California.	Chapter 190
SB-1247	Padilla	Social media platforms: child influencers	This bill requires a social media platform to provide a clear and conspicuous mechanism by which a child influencer who is at least 18 years of age can request a vlogger to delete or edit certain paid content that features the child influencer as a minor.	Chapter 1022

PUBLIC SAFETY				
AB-31	Ramos	Peace officers: tribal police	This bill removes the sunset date for the tribal police pilot program, making it permanent.	Chapter 450
AB-46	Nguyen	Diversion	This bill makes various changes to the mental health diversion law, including changing the public safety standard for finding a particular defendant suitable for diversion.	Chapter 18
AB-282	Pellerin	Elections: seizure of election materials	This bill makes it a felony to (1) seize or cause or assist in the seizure of ballots, election records, or certified voting technology before election results are certified by the elections official and (2) for any person with authority to direct another person subject to their supervision or authority to seize ballots, election records, or certified voting technology before election results are certified.	Chapter 330
AB-464	Aguiar-Curry	Sexual assault in prison.	This bill (1) requires the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) to monitor an incarcerated person who is reported to have suffered sexual assault for 90 days following the report of sexual assault; (2) report sexual assault allegations to the Office of Internal Affairs; (3) requires, if an investigation confirms that an employee has sexually abused an incarcerated person or ward, that that person is not eligible to be hired or reinstated by CDCR, in addition to being terminated as required under existing law. *VETO message: "This bill tolls the statute of limitations for bringing an action for sexual assault against a public entity or public employee alleged to have occurred while the claimant is imprisoned.* *Protecting incarcerated people from sexual abuse and ensuring that survivors have meaningful avenues to report misconduct and seek accountability is critically important. However, the bill's expanded tolling and claims provisions could expose the state to substantial and uncertain future liability without opportunity for the state to meaningfully investigate or rebut.* *By extending the tolling limitation to the period of the claimant's imprisonment, this bill would result in a substantial increase in the number of lawsuits for which documents and evidence may not have been preserved to rebut an allegation. This, coupled with provisions that would exempt these types of claims from the claims presentation requirement, would put the states in a serious disadvantage in defending itself against potential allegations in which evidence is no*	Vetoed

			longer available, or witness memories are no longer reliable. *I resolutely condemn any person who sexually assaults an incarcerated individual. Such individuals should be thoroughly investigated and be fully held accountable. I strongly urge the legislature to reintroduce the provisions of this bill related to monitoring, notifications, reporting, and transfers following allegations of staff sexual assault."*	
AB-647	Mark González	Abandoned recreational vehicles	This bill specifies that any public agency within the Counties of Alameda and Los Angeles, including a state agency, may implement a program to dispose of recreational vehicles within those counties pursuant to specified requirements.	Chapter 867
AB-690	Schultz	Criminal procedure: indigent defense compensation	This bill, beginning January 1, 2028, (1) establishes requirements for contracts or other memorandum of understanding for indigent services between a county or court and a law firm; (2) prohibits a county or court from entering into a flat fee or per case compensation contract for indigent defense services for any case in which a special circumstances murder is charged, or any other cases with charges carrying a potential sentence of death or life without the possibility of parole.	Chapter 359
AB-767	Alanis	Sexually violent predators: schools	This bill prohibits a sexually violent predator (SVP) from residing within one-quarter mile of a day care center and provides that home schools are included within the definition of a private school for purposes of SVP residency restrictions.	Chapter 266
AB-788	Quirk-Silva	Prisons: facilities for female offenders	This bill (1) establishes the Division of Female Programs and Services within the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation; (2) makes changes to the Female Offender Reform Master Plan and associated training; and (3) creates an ombudsperson position solely assigned to adult female institutions. *VETO message: "This bill creates the Division of Female Programs and Services (Division) within the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR), which is solely responsible for female adult institutions and community facilities housing female offenders. The bill also makes changes to the Female Offender Reform Master Plan and creates an ombudsperson position solely assigned to adult female institutions.* *I appreciate the author's recognition that incarcerated women face significant unique experiences that demand a different approach to program and policy development. However, this measure would considerably expand the size of the CDCR administration in ways that*	Vetoed

			will duplicate existing work and create organizational dysfunction. *"As the size of the state's incarcerated population has declined, my administration has closed institutions and worked to reduce the size of administration of the CDCR. In 2025, the CDCR realigned its leadership structure to consolidate supervision of institutions by region, grouping both women's institutions into one region with the same Associate Director. This is already proving to be a significant step forward in bringing additional attention and resources to women's institutions. In light of this, creating a new parallel Division within CDCR to administer only two institutions is not advised. Further, the organizational changes required by this bill would result in increased costs to CDCR that were not considered in the context of this year's budget.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my Administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognized the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital that we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	
AB-875	Muratsuchi	Vehicle removal	This bill authorizes a peace officer to remove and impound a vehicle that (1) has fewer than four wheels but does not meet the definition of an electric bicycle (e-bike) and meets other criteria, or (2) is a class 3 e-bike and the operator is under 16 years old, and to require release of a seized vehicle to the owner, violator, or their agent after a minimum of 48 hours if specified conditions are met.	Chapter 168
AB-1537	Bryan, Carrillo, Ortega	Peace officers: secondary employment	This bill prohibits specified peace officers from engaging in any form of secondary employment that involves engaging in, arresting, detaining, transporting, or deporting individuals pursuant to or out-of-state federal immigration laws, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would prohibit peace officers from engaging in any form of secondary employment that involves enforcing immigration laws and would require that certain documents pertaining to secondary employment be subject to the California Public Records Act (PRA).* *This measure recognizes the disturbing role of those who participate in the indiscriminate raids that have rounded up American citizens, people*	Vetoed

			with legal status, hardworking parents, and their children. The horrific tactics deployed by the Trump administration to instill fear and panic in our most vulnerable communities are a stain on our nation, and Congress must act to hold the Trump administration and culpable agents accountable, while also advancing reforms to ensure fair, humane, and lawful immigration enforcement that is transparent and accountable to the public. *However, establishing a default prohibition regarding the secondary employment law enforcement officers choose to do in their free time is a step too far. State and local peace officers already must abide by specific standards and rules, including ones that apply to their personal conduct. Any officers who violate those standards are held accountable through investigations that may culminate in their peace officer status being suspended or revoked entirely."*	
AB-1546	Schultz	Vehicles: driving under the influence	This bill increases the punishment for a driving under the influence (DUI) conviction with two priors from a misdemeanor to a wobbler and increases the punishment for a DUI with four or more priors from a wobbler to a jail felony.	Chapter 444
AB-1549	Krell	Alternative domestic violence program	This bill (1) extends the sunset date of the pilot program authorizing specified counties to offer an alternative batterer's intervention program from July 1, 2026 to July 1, 2030; (2) adds Sacramento County as one of the authorized counties that can participate in the pilot program.	Chapter 37
AB-1583	Rogers	Criminal procedure: jurisdiction	This bill (1) expands jurisdiction for a criminal action for wage theft or labor trafficking to include the county in which the victim was present at the time the employment contract was entered into, the county in which any portion of the work was performed, or the county in which the business or any of its locations was situated at the time of the wage theft or labor trafficking; (2) allows multiple related cases of wage theft and human trafficking to be tried in the same jurisdiction; (3) extends jurisdiction to all associated offenses connected together in their commission to an underlying wage theft or labor trafficking offense.	Chapter 38
AB-1595	Schultz	Criminal procedure: writs of habeas corpus and motions to vacate	This bill (1) revises the existing standards pertaining to habeas corpus; (2) provides that a prosecutorial concession to a factual basis or stipulation to a factual or legal basis for habeas relief is binding, except as specified; (3) specifies that one of the remedies available to the court in a habeas proceeding is a dismissal of charges that bars further prosecution. *VETO message: "This bill would substantially expand circumstances in*	Vetoed

			which a person who has been convicted of a criminal offense may file petitions for writs of habeas corpus. *Due to the expanded pleading standards, this bill will result in additional workload costs to various state and local entities including the Department of Justice, the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, the Department of State Hospitals, and local public defender and district attorney offices. Additionally, the bill would add to the trial courts' caseload, potentially causing court backlogs and creating pressure on the General Fund to handle the increased caseload.* *In partnership with the Legislature this year, my administration has enacted a balanced budget that recognizes the challenging fiscal landscape our state faces while maintaining our commitment to working families and our most vulnerable communities. With significant fiscal pressures and the federal government's hostile economic policies, it is vital we remain disciplined when considering bills with significant fiscal implications that are not included in the budget, such as this measure."*	
AB-1615	Nguyen	Firearms: unsafe handguns	This bill authorizes the sale or purchase of a handgun that does not appear on the Department of Justice roster of "not unsafe" handguns for use as a service weapon by sworn members of a county probation department, provided that the sworn member of the department has satisfactorily completed specified firearms training.	Chapter 198
AB-1627	Ávila Farías	Public employment: disqualifications	This bill specifies that existing laws disqualifying a person from being a peace officer if they were previously employed as a law enforcement officer and had their certification revoked, or engaged in serious misconduct that would have resulted in decertification in California, include a law enforcement officer employed by the federal government who engages in immigration enforcement.	Chapter 739
AB-1645	Mark González, Bryan	Corrections: Humanizing and Uniting Generations Safely Act of 2026	This bill (1) requires that any future regulations adopted by the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation that may impact the visitation of incarcerated persons recognize and consider the importance of nonsexual physical contact in incarcerated person visitation; (2) ensures that regulations related to nonsexual physical contact in incarcerated person visitations are not excessive or unnecessarily punitive; (3) prohibits the regulations from unreasonably restricting the ability of incarcerated persons or their visitors to have nonsexual physical contact throughout the visit.	Chapter 885
AB-1646	Bryan, Mark	Juvenile facilities:	This bill establishes the right of youth confined in juvenile facilities to	Chapter 537

	González	visitation	engage in certain types of consensual physical contact with visitors during in-person visits, as specified.	
AB-1647	Bryan	Juveniles: transfer to criminal court: criminal procedure	This bill prohibits the use of a minor's statements made during a transfer hearing or to the minor's probation officer for purposes of preparing a report for a transfer hearing from being used against the minor during subsequent juvenile proceedings or subsequent criminal proceedings, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would codify existing case law to prohibit the use of a minor's statements relating to a transfer hearing from being used against the minor during subsequent proceedings.* *This measure provides that it does not 'restrict, expand, alter, or modify' decisions by the California Supreme Court that have been good law on this issue for more than 40 years. By its own terms, the bill is 'declaratory of existing law' and therefore unnecessary."*	Vetoed
AB-1656	Davies	Human trafficking case continuances	This bill requires a court in a criminal case, in determining whether good cause for a continuance exists for cases of human trafficking, to give great weight to the fact that the prosecuting attorney assigned to the case has another trial, preliminary hearing, or motion to suppress in progress in that court or another court.	Chapter 832
AB-1685	Lackey, Petrie-Norris	Driving privilege: points	This bill increases the number of points that must be added to a person's driving record, from two to three, for gross vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated and with gross negligence.	Chapter 445
AB-1687	Lackey	Driver's licenses: revocation	This bill requires, beginning January 1, 2031: (1) the Department of Motor Vehicles to suspend a person's driving privilege for 72 months upon conviction of a DUI causing bodily injury when the person has four or more prior convictions within a 10-year period for impaired driving offenses; 2) permits such a person to apply for a restricted license after 12 months which requires installation and maintenance of an ignition interlock device.	Chapter 446
AB-1688	Carrillo	Child abuse or neglect: reporting	This bill mandates information sharing regarding substantiated abuse or neglect that occurred in an out-of-home placement or removal of a child from an out-of-home placement due to abuse or neglect with attorneys who represent the parents of the child in dependency court or with a tribal representative, as well as with attorneys or representatives for children who may not be involved with the allegations but are residing in a placement where abuse or neglect occurred, as specified.	Chapter 888
AB-1741	Pacheco	Sexual battery	This bill makes sexual battery, when committed after having entered an	Chapter 374

			inhabited dwelling without consent, punishable as an alternate felony-misdemeanor.	
AB-1743	Wicks	Firearms	This bill clarifies that identification and tracing information related to crime guns, as defined, shall be made available, upon request, to any town, city, or county in California, any state government agency, the University of California, the California State University, or any private nonprofit university in California for academic and policy research purposes.	Chapter 457
AB-1753	Stefani	Protective orders: firearms and ammunition: notice and procedures.	This expansive bill makes a host of changes regarding protective orders and associated firearm restrictions. This bill (1) requires, pursuant to a protective order requiring the relinquishment of firearms, the restrained party to also relinquish any ammunition in their possession; (2) requires courts to permit to permit a party, support person, or witness to appear remotely at a hearing for specified restraining orders; (3) requires a peace officer to follow procedures that apply to a sheriff or marshal when serving process issued by a superior court; (4) requires a prosecutor to conduct a search of the DOJ Automated Firearms System (AFS) on any charge involving acts of domestic violence; (5) clarifies when courts may conduct a search of AFS in conjunction with a protective order; (6) imposes several notification requirements on law enforcement and prosecuting agencies with regard to protective orders; (7) authorizes a law enforcement agency to seek enforcement of a valid extreme risk protection order issued by another jurisdiction; (8) expands reporting requirements related to information regarding protective orders communicated through the California Restraining and Protective Order System; (9) authorizes DOJ to obtain funding for Wyland's law via grants and other sources; and (10) adds several misdemeanor offenses, including those related to gun violence restraining orders and hate crimes, to the list of crimes resulting in a 10-year ban on the purchase and possession of firearms and ammunition.	Chapter 458
AB-1778	Patterson	Controlled substances: testosterone	This bill provides that if testosterone or dihydrotestosterone is removed from Schedule III of the federal Controlled Substances Act and rescheduled to a less restrictive schedule or exempted under federal law, it will be deemed rescheduled or exempted, respectively, under the state Controlled Substances Act.	Chapter 121
AB-1806	Gabriel, Carrillo	Department of Justice	This bill requires a state prosecutor to investigate and potentially prosecute incidents of an immigration enforcement officer-involved shooting resulting in the death of an unarmed civilian, as specified.	Chapter 745
AB-1816	Davies	Probation: duration	This bill (1) authorizes a court to extend probation, up to one year	Chapter 833

			beyond its statutory limits, for certain sex offenders when programming goals have not been met, exempting those sex offenders from the time-based probation model used for most criminal offenses that mandates termination of supervision after a certain number of years regardless of whether rehabilitative goals were achieved, treatment was completed, or risk factors were sufficiently addressed; (2) allows the court to consider the probationer's progress in treatment, compliance with other terms of supervision, and whether an extension serves the interests of public safety and rehabilitation.	
AB-1854	Krell	Legally protected health care activities	This bill (1) prohibits a state or local law enforcement agency from knowingly causing the arrest of or arresting any person who the Governor has declined to surrender on the demand of the executive authority of any other state where the accused was not in the demanding state at the time of the commission of the crime and has not fled from another state, (2) makes various changes to the rules prohibiting cooperation with out of state efforts to prosecute legally protected healthcare activities.	Chapter 485
AB-1877	Stefani	Domestic violence: protective orders	This bill (1) makes a willful and knowing violation of specified criminal protective orders or stay-away orders punishable as either a misdemeanor or a felony if the subject of the criminal protective order was charged with, or convicted of, a felony for the conduct upon which the criminal protective order was based; (2) makes a second or subsequent conviction for a violation of specified protective orders or stay-away orders a felony. If a violation of specified protective orders or stay-away orders alleges a physical injury, this bill (3) requires the court to consider the violation of the protective order or stay-away order and alleged injury when considering the seriousness of the offense charged and the protection of the public for purposes of setting, reducing, or denying bail.	Chapter 835
AB-1886	Elhawary	Wards: probation	This bill removes the exclusion of wards who have been ordered to be under the supervision of the probation officer in specified out-of-home placements from the general 12-month limitation on juvenile probation.	Chapter 904
AB-1889	Ramos	Protective orders	This bill authorizes a court to issue a protective order preventing a defendant from contacting a victim if convicted of witness intimidation involving domestic violence, human trafficking, specified acts of sexual assault, or any case of inflicting injury on an intimate partner, as specified, for up to one year after a person is released from state prison or county jail if released from custody after a protective order issued at sentencing has expired.	Vetoed

			VETO message: "This measure would authorize a court to issue a protective order, at the time of sentencing, preventing a defendant from contacting a victim in specified cases for up to one year after the defendant is released from state prison or county jail. *While well-intentioned, it is unclear whether this bill can be implemented effectively. Many factors can trigger recalculations of an incarcerated person's release date, including changes in workgroup assignments, program credit earnings, credit losses or restorations, and modifications to sentencing terms or case credits. Any one of these factors could change when an incarcerated person is released, but they are unknowable at the time of sentencing, when the court issues the protective order. This will result in inaccurate or incomplete information being entered into the electronic systems that law enforcement rely on to determine whether a particular individual is subject to such an order. Tying a protective order to the date of release required information that will simply not be available to the court, creating confusion on the part of officers and victims alike. While I support the author's attempt to ensure victims are adequately protected, additional work is needed to allow for proper implementation of this measure."*	
AB-1896	Mark González, Rivas	Public employment: disqualifications	This bill (1) disqualifies a person from public employment in California, including employment as a peace officer, if they were previously employed as a sworn law enforcement officer or individual contractor and personally engaged in immigration enforcement; (2) requires a hiring agency considering a peace officer applicant to conduct a suitability review of that candidate based on standards developed by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would disqualify from state and local government employment any sworn law enforcement officer or contractor who personally engaged in federal immigration enforcement, unless that person is deemed suitable based on criteria to be established by the [C-POST].* *This measure recognizes the disturbing role of those who participate in the indiscriminate raids that have rounded up American citizens, people with legal status, and hardworking parents. The horrific tactics deployed by the Trump administration to instill fear and panic in our most vulnerable communities are a stain on our nation, and Congress must act to hold the Trump administration and culpable agents*	Vetoed

			accountable, while also advancing reforms to ensure fair, humane, and lawful immigration enforcement that is transparent and accountable to the public. *However, establishing a default employment prohibition for any individual engaged in enforcing federal civil immigration laws is a step too far. It is a mistake to discourage empathetic and qualified American from working in the federal government, or choosing to leave long-standing employment with the federal government because they find the current administration's policies and tactics reprehensible. Moreover, hiring for state and local government employees already requires specific standards, including evaluations of personal conduct, and any employees who violate these standards would be held accountable."*	
AB-1897	Haney	Mentally disordered offenders: criteria for commitment	This bill (1) requires a psychiatrist or psychologist, when evaluating an incarcerated person for a commitment as an offender with a mental health disorder (OMHD), to consider specified factors in determining whether the person represents a substantial danger of physical harm to others as a result of a severe mental health disorder; (2) authorizes a court to conduct the OMHD hearing in the county of commitment to state prison upon stipulation of the petitioner, prosecuting attorney, and defense counsel in the county of commitment to state prison.	Chapter 558
AB-1902	Pellerin	Secure youth treatment facilities	This bill authorizes a court to order an extended confinement for a person who is set to be discharged from a secure youth treatment facility for up to three years based on a finding that the person is physically dangerous to the public, and to make other changes to the process to extend detention.	Chapter 836
AB-1905	Schultz	Juveniles: custodial interrogation	This bill (1) prohibits a law enforcement officer from seeking to obtain information or statements from a person who was 17 or younger at the time the crime was committed and under 26 at the time of custody, and the information or statements are sought by undercover officers or informants; (2) requires the court to consider a violation of this prohibition in adjudicating the admissibility of statements obtained and determining the credibility of an officer.	Chapter 559
AB-1917	Schultz	Criminal procedure: information	This bill requires the district attorney, in cases where a defendant was held to answer for at least one felony at the preliminary hearing, to file a motion seeking leave to charge an offense that was dismissed at the preliminary hearing due to lack of probable cause before the district attorney can file a new charging document reinstating the offense, as specified.	Chapter 376

AB-1927	Krell	Bail Consumer Protection Act	This bill makes it a crime for any person to willfully impersonate, or falsely hold themselves out to be, a licensed bail agent, and while doing so solicit or attempt to solicit bail from any individual, or to hire any person or company to solicit bail when the hiring party knew or should have known that the person or company was impersonating a licensed bail agent.	Chapter 908
AB-1941	Mark González	Organized metal theft	This bill creates a new crime punishing organized metal theft as a wobbler.	Chapter 838
AB-1948	Ramos, Valencia	Firearms: concealed carry licenses	This bill extends the duration of a license to carry concealed firearms from two years to three years, except as specified.	Chapter 44
AB-1959	Patel	Juvenile justice	This bill authorizes a prosecuting attorney to file a motion to transfer a person who was previously convicted in adult criminal court for a crime committed at the age of 14 or 15 who is now subject to resentencing by the juvenile court pursuant to a grant of recall under provisions of law that authorizes a person who received a sentence of life without the possibility of parole (LWOP) or a de facto LWOP sentence to file a motion for recall and resentencing.	Chapter 563
AB-1974	Stefani	Firearms: voluntary firearm storage program	This bill authorizes a law enforcement agency to create a voluntary firearm storage program that allows a person to voluntarily transfer custody of their firearm to the local law enforcement agency for temporary safekeeping purposes to prevent firearm violence, suicide, and other injury, as provided.	Chapter 460
AB-1994	Alvarez	Defending Immigrant Victims Act	This bill requires every law enforcement agency investigating a criminal act and every agency prosecuting a criminal act to, at the time of initial contact with a crime victim, during follow-up investigation, or as soon thereafter, inform each victim, or the victim's surviving relative, as specified, that they may have rights under applicable law related to immigration relief, and to provide or make available to each victim an "Immigrant Victims Rights and Resources" card.	Chapter 746
AB-2001	Stefani	Criminal procedure: state summary criminal history information	This bill requires the Department of Justice to furnish state summary criminal history information to city attorneys and county counsel in all public nuisance actions, including red-light abatement actions.	Chapter 378
AB-2004	Alanis	Peace officers: deputy sheriffs	This bill adds the counties of Fresno and San Joaquin to the list of specified counties within which deputy sheriffs assigned to perform duties exclusively or initially related to custodial assignments are peace	Chapter 206

			officers whose authority extends to any place in the state while engaged in the performance of duties related to their employment.	
AB-2018	Ramos	Missing persons: DNA testing	This bill (1) requires the DNA database be used for all cases involving the report of an unidentified person, whether living or deceased; (2) deletes provisions relating to the reporting of high-risk missing persons; (3) authorizes the retention of DNA extracted from a living person under these provisions if the identified human remains are incomplete and there is a reasonable expectation that additional remains requiring identification may be found in the future; (4) makes conforming changes.	Chapter 93
AB-2052	Stefani	Criminal procedure: continuances	This bill expands the list of crimes for which a court must consider good cause for the purpose of granting a prosecutor's request for continuance beyond a defendant's statutory speedy trial right to include a felony case of elder or dependent adult abuse, if the victim is cognitively impaired.	Chapter 380
AB-2122	Kalra, Lowenthal	Infractions: warrants and penalties	This bill eliminates certain processes and penalties if an individual is subject to an infraction, including: issuing a bench warrant for the person's arrest within 20 days of the failure to appear, a misdemeanor charge and conviction reported to the Department of Motor Vehicles, imposition of a civil fine for failing to appear or failing to make an installment payment on a bail contract, and authorizing the court to declare the bail forfeited and requiring the court to issue a bench warrant for the arrest of the person charged, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would, among other things, eliminate the misdemeanor offense for foiling to appear in court on a Vehicle Code infraction and prohibit the issuance of a bench warrant for failing to appear in court for such an infraction.* *I share the author's commitment to mitigate disparate punishment for minor offenses aqainst low-income residents of the state. Throughout my administration, I have sought to tackle the issue of burdensome fines, fees, and assessments that disproportionately drag low-income individuals deeper into debt - signing numerous bills that repeal or reduce dozens of criminal fines and fees and discharging nearly $7 billion in debt. In doing so, I strived to provide relief where possible, while also maintaining public safety. This bill, however, does not appropriately balance those twin goals.* *Unsafe speed accounted for over 100,000 vehicle crashes last year,*	Vetoed

			and the California Highway Patrol issued nearly 500,000 speeding citations. With few exceptions, the Department of Motor Vehicles (OMV) does not receive information that a person has committed a vehicle offense, including most speeding infractions, until the matter is adjudicated in court. By eliminating misdemeanor liability and arrest authority for failures to appear, this bill could cause additional delays in the court processing of unsafe driving violations and communication of those violations to the OMV. *This year, the State Auditor conducted an audit to review the steps that superior courts and the OMV take to process a conviction. With findings and recommendations from the State Auditor on this issue forthcoming, it would be unwise to cause further delays in the processing of moving violations, which would result in more unsafe drivers on our roads."*	
AB-2147	Schiavo	Criminal procedure: jurisdiction of public offenses	This bill authorizes multiple charges of sexual battery, indecent exposure, and annoying or molesting a child that occur in more than one county to be prosecuted in the same case in any county where at least one of the offenses occurred.	Chapter 73
AB-2164	Bauer-Kahan	Legally protected activities	This bill prohibits, except where a fugitive has fled from justice in another state, the Governor from recognizing any demand for extradition of any person who receives, assists, or materially supports, as specified, any legally protected health care activity. *VETO message: "This bill would prohibit future governors from recognizing a request for extradition of a person subject to criminal liability based on allegations that the person engaged in specified healthcare activities.* *I am proud of the work done in partnership with the Legislature over the last eight years to produce numerous, important policies protecting the right of access to health care in this state. Together, we have passed into law the nation's strongest protections for people seeking and providing those services, including expanding privacy protections for providers, enacting safeguards against the enforcement of other states ' laws that penalize individuals for obtaining care, and authorizing a party aggrieved by a violation of the Reproductive Privacy Act to bring a civil action against on offending state actor.* *While I share the author's views on the importance of protecting these important healthcare services, extradition is an exclusively executive function. When discretionary, that discretion is appropriately placed with*	Vetoed

			the Governor. I am troubled by the precedent that would be set if an outgoing administration agreed with the Legislature to erode the executive authority of an incoming Governor based on their shared policy preferences, regardless of how righteous and well-intended those actions may be."	
AB-2204	Gabriel, Bryan	Prisons: organized sports programming	This bill requires the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to establish a policy on organized sports programming at facilities operated by the department.	Chapter 925
AB-2257	Hart	Corrections: jail administrators	This bill authorizes a county board of supervisors (BOS) to establish the position of jail administrator, nominated by the sheriff and confirmed by the BOS, to serve a three-year term as the executive officer of the county jail, under the direction of the sheriff.	Chapter 929
AB-2261	Dixon	Protective orders	This bill authorizes the court, upon conviction of specified offenses, to consider issuing an order restraining a defendant from contact with any person who is a member of the victim's family or household, as defined.	Chapter 595
AB-2273	Bains	Crimes: SCRIVNER Act	This bill requires a prosecutor to state on the record why specified charges were not sought when facts constituting offenses that would be statutorily excluded from mental health diversion are alleged in the complaint or disclosed at a preliminary hearing but the defendant is not charged with those offenses.	Chapter 298
AB-2274	Bains	Crimes: plea deals	This bill prohibits, in any prosecution for human trafficking, pimping or pandering, where the victim is a minor, any plea agreement from granting immunity, leniency, anonymity, or nonprosecution to any person other than the defendant, except as specified.	Chapter 840
AB-2286	Bryan	Criminal procedure: attorney visits: medical settings	This bill clarifies that existing penalties for peace officers who refuse to allow an attorney to visit a prisoner apply if a prisoner is in a jail, prison, hospital or medical setting.	Chapter 48
AB-2297	Stefani	Restitution: diversion	This bill applies the general restitution statute to defendants who enter a diversion program.	Chapter 841
AB-2310	Carrillo, Irwin	Illegal dumping	This bill increases penalties for a fourth or subsequent illegal dumping offense from an infraction to a misdemeanor, with a fine of up to $5,000, and increases penalties for commercial quantities of illegal dumping with fines of up to $50,000 and the possibility of a wobbler.	Chapter 933
AB-2318	Elhawary	Law enforcement: facilitating medical	This bill prohibits a law enforcement officer from denying, delaying, obstructing, or failing to facilitate access to medical evaluation or	Chapter 747

		care	treatment for an individual under law enforcement control when certain conditions are met, and requires law enforcement to document the basis for a denial within 72 hours of the incident, as specified.	
AB-2337	Lackey	Peace officers: theft	This bill adds the crime of theft committed by a peace officer under color of authority to the definition of “serious misconduct” for the purposes of ineligibility for, or revocation of, peace officer certification by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training. *VETO message: “This bill adds theft committed by a peace officer under color of authority to the definition of "serious misconduct" for purposes of ineligibility for, or revocation of, peace officer certification.* *While I support the author's goal of holding peace officers accountable for illicit actions, this bill is duplicative of existing law. Serious misconduct is already defined as inclusive of, but not limited to, "abuse of power," "dishonesty," and "acts that violate the law and are sufficiently egregious or repeated as to be inconsistent with a peace officer's obligation to uphold the law or respect the rights of members of the public." The existing definition of serious misconduct therefore already encompasses the use of peace officer authority to commit theft. Absent reports to the contrary, further particularizing of the definition is unnecessary and may be interpreted to suggest that other unspecified violations are not actionable.”*	Vetoed
AB-2339	Gipson	Firearms: prohibited persons	This bill (1) requires designated treatment facilities to collect and report specified identifying information to the Department of Justice (DOJ) regarding persons admitted to the facility on an involuntary psychiatric hold; (2) imposes restrictions on the sharing of that information; (3) requires juvenile courts to notify the DOJ when specified cases are dismissed; (4) provides that a person released from intensive treatment for specified reasons shall remain subject to a pre-existing firearm prohibition; (5) requires specified institutions to furnish the DOJ with identifying information regarding individuals subject to firearm, explosive, and destructive device prohibitions, and makes unauthorized disclosure of this information a misdemeanor.	Chapter 462
AB-2344	Haney	Animal abuse: forfeiture	This bill (1) authorizes, in a criminal case alleging a violation of specified animal abuse crimes, specified entities to request that the prosecuting attorney file a petition requesting that, before final	Chapter 599

			disposition, the court issue an order forfeiting the animal to the city, county, or seizing agency 30 days after a defendant fails to appear in court, as specified; (2) authorizes those entities to request, and the court to issue, a forfeiture petition within 3 days after a defendant fails to appear in court a 2nd or subsequent time; (3) authorizes, if the defendant is granted diversion for those crimes, the prosecution to request an order from the court that the defendant be prohibited from owning, possessing, caring for, or residing with animals of any kind throughout the period of diversion, as specified.	
AB-2378	Gabriel, Wicks	California Violence Intervention and Prevention Grant Program	This bill creates the Office of Community Violence Intervention, to administer the California Violence and Intervention Grant Program, within the Board of State and Community Corrections.	Chapter 463
AB-2428	Celeste Rodriguez	Criminal fees	This bill (1) repeals authority to collect certain court fees contingent upon a criminal arrest, prosecution, or conviction, for the cost of administering the criminal justice system, including traffic court fees, costs for when a minor is adjudged a ward of the court, or costs incurred by a state or local agency for the disposal of various substances if the person is convicted of the sale, possession, or transportation of a controlled substance, among others; (2) makes the unpaid balance of certain court-imposed costs unenforceable and uncollectible and requires any portion of a judgment imposed by those costs to be vacated; (3) relieves a person who is sentenced to state prison or confined in a county jail from being required to pay any trial court filing fees or costs related to the person's underlying criminal conviction.	Chapter 398
AB-2434	Bonta	Inmates: visitation	This bill (1) requires California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) facilities to provide an incarcerated person with contact visits unless the person is housed in restricted housing; (2) prohibits CDCR from denying visiting privileges for a disciplinary matter or rule violation unrelated to visitation; (3) establishes limitations on a CDCR facility's ability to search visitors without their voluntary, informed, and written consent.	Chapter 941
AB-2502	Pellerin	Vehicles: driving under the influence: driving automation	This bill specifies, for purposes of the crimes of gross vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated, vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated, DUI, DUI causing bodily injury to another, and "wet reckless," "drive" includes the volitional movement of a vehicle with driver support features engaged that require a person to supervise the	Vetoed

			vehicle in order to steer, brake, or accelerate, as needed to maintain safety. *VETO message: "This bill would define 'drive' for purposes of certain driving under the influence, reckless driving, and vehicular manslaughter offenses when a vehicle is operating with specified driver-support technology.* *I share the author's goal in ensuring that drivers cannot avoid responsibility for impaired driving by engaging partially automated technology. Unfortunately, this bill as drafted introduces significant uncertainties into DUI law, which could have the unintended consequence of making it more difficult to hold dangerous drivers accountable. By using undefined terms such as 'driver support features,' this bill could leave officers, prosecutors, and courts to resolve complex questions about a vehicle's software and capabilities before determining whether an impaired individual was legally driving.* *Further, the incident cited as the impetus for this bill resulted in the driver being arrested, prosecuted, and convicted of DUI, demonstrating that existing law can already hold impaired drivers accountable when these systems are engaged. I encourage the Legislature to revisit this important issue next year, and instead focus on a comprehensive framework that consistently addresses responsibility across vehicles technologies and traffic offenses, while preserving effective enforcement of the state's impaired driving laws."*	
AB-2556	Boerner	Evidence: credibility of witnesses and evidence affected or excluded by extrinsic policies	This bill eliminates exceptions related to sex offenses occurring in a state prison or local detention facility from the Rape Shield Law.	Chapter 50
AB-2593	Elhawary	Corrections: treatment of prisoners	This bill prohibits the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation from denying medically necessary health care prescribed by a licensed health care provider.	Vetoed

			VETO message: "This bill would prohibit a supervisor, administrator, or employee of the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) or the California Correctional Health Care Services (CCHCS) from interfering with or refusing to implement prescribed healthcare that results in substantial emotional distress or serious bodily injury. *While well-intentioned, I am concerned this bill could ultimately weaken the quality and accountability of patient care. In particular, this bill may directly conflict with the court-ordered healthcare system established under Plata v. Newsom and may cause challenges with the federal courts, risking backsliding in the significant progress made to fully delegate healthcare back to CDCR.* *Further, this bill does not appear limited to CCHCS-employed providers and could potentially encompass healthcare recommendations from contractors, outside specialists, hospitals, or other community providers, creating uncertainty regarding either CDCR's or CCHCS's ability of independently evaluate outside treatment recommendations as they pertain to medical necessity. I am concerned about the potential liability tied to subsequent patient harm, as supervisors and clinicians may be reluctant to question or modify another provider's treatment decision even when doing so is part of their professional responsibilities or necessary to protect patient safety."*	
AB-2631	Bauer-Kahan	Criminal procedure: prohibited violations	This bill adds exercising any rights protected by the First Amendment of the United States Constitution to the list of prohibited violations for which an order for a warrant for the interception of a wire may not be issued.	Chapter 405
AB-2636	Pacheco	Juveniles	This bill requires the court to consider, for purposes of determining suitability of a minor for deferred entry of judgement, whether the minor is charged with carrying a loaded firearm in public.	Chapter 464

AB-2664	Bauer-Kahan	Places of religious worship: unlawful activities	This bill prohibits a person, within a radius of 100 feet from an entrance or exit of a place of religious worship, from intentionally and nonconsensually approaching another person seeking to enter or exit a place of religious worship within 8 feet of that person to engage in specified conduct with that person.	Chapter 442
AB-2727	Nguyen	Corrections: parole and prerelease treatment	This bill (1) requires that individuals convicted of specified sex crimes are 65 years of age or older and have served a minimum of 25 years on their current sentence in order to be eligible for the Elderly Parole Program; (2) makes the sexually violent predator (SVP) referral process applicable to indeterminately sentenced individuals; and (3) provides that the change to the SVP referral process is retroactive regardless of the date an individual was sentenced or the date the offense was committed.	Chapter 962
AB-2760	Sharp-Collins, Lee, Schultz	Law enforcement: wearable electroshock devices	This bill (1) prohibits law enforcement agencies, as defined, from using wearable electroshock devices, as defined, within the state of California; (2) prohibits a law enforcement agency from using funds to purchase wearable electroshock devices; (3) requires law enforcement agencies to update their use of force policies to prohibit the use of wearable electroshock devices.	Chapter 749
AB-2796	Committee on Public Safety	Criminal history information: background checks	This bill makes various changes to existing laws authorizing federal-level background checks to be conducted in relation to employment, volunteering, and licensing, in order to bring state law into compliance with federal law to ensure state entities have access to federal criminal history information.	Chapter 313
SB-239	Arreguín	Crimes: criminal threats	This bill authorizes the court to consider, as a factor in aggravation in sentencing a person for making criminal threats, that the defendant willfully threatened to commit a crime that would result in the death or great bodily injury of an elections official of a city, county, city and county, or public district, or an elected local agency official.	Chapter 412

SB-337	Menjivar	Prisons	This bill makes numerous changes to existing law designed to prevent sexual abuse of individuals incarcerated in the state's prisons and increase accountability when sexual abuse occurs.	Chapter 647
SB-690	Caballero	Crimes: invasion of privacy	This bill (1) eliminates the private right of action under the California Invasion of Privacy Act for violations of the pen register and trap and trace statute arising from conduct occurring on an internet website, online application, or mobile application, and (2) instead authorizes only the Attorney General to bring such actions against private actors.	Chapter 976
SB-691	Wahab	Body-worn cameras: policies	This bill requires a law enforcement agency that has a body-worn camera policy to update that policy to include a procedure for emergency service personnel to request the redaction of specified recordings of a patient receiving certain medical treatment from emergency service personnel.	Chapter 416
SB-692	Arreguín	Vehicles: homelessness	This bill facilitates the disposal of abandoned vehicles that have been declared a nuisance or hazard.	Chapter 977
SB-758	Umberg, Menjivar	Public health: nitrous oxide	This bill prohibits a tobacco retailer, as defined, from selling nitrous oxide at a retail location.	Chapter 979
SB-891	Cervantes	Missing and Murdered Indigenous Persons Justice Program	This bill establishes the Missing and Murdered Indigenous Persons Justice Program within the Department of Justice which would facilitate collaboration between parties in cases of missing and murdered indigenous people. *VETO message: "This bill would establish the Missing and Murdered Indigenous Persons (MMIP) Justice Program within the Department of Justice to fund and support law enforcement agencies I investigatory activities.*	Vetoed

			The MMIP crisis is a worldwide issue, recognized in several nations across the globe. As the state with the largest American Indian and Alaska Native population, exceeding 700,000 people, California has taken multiple actions to respond to this urgent public safety and human rights crisis. I have signed numerous bills, including legislation creating the "Feather Alert," a statewide emergency notification system for missing Indigenous people, and, in the 2022 Budget Act, established the MMIP Grant Program to provide California tribal nations with funding to investigate, track, and prevent cases involving missing and murdered Indigenous individuals. *Since its inception, the state has allocated tens of millions of dollars to the MMIP Grant Program and, in this year's budget, we made that funding permanent with a $15 million ongoing allocation. This historic investment reflects the need for sustained action — and California's continued commitment — to confront the disproportionate violence affecting Native communities. While well intentioned, this bill disregards those efforts and creates a new, unfunded program that is duplicative of the work already underway* *I am confident that with ongoing resources, California will continue to work closely with tribes across the state to develop strategies to support tribal work and investigations to solve and prevent MMIP cases, therefore making this bill unnecessary"*	
SB-907	Archuleta	Driving under the influence and other driving offenses: comprehensive reform.	This bill (1) creates mandatory sentences for hit and run causing injury or death when the defendant has a prior conviction within the previous 10 years for DUI, gross vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated, vehicular manslaughter while intoxicated, or gross vehicular manslaughter; and (2) expands application of the Watson advisement to apply in cases DUI with no injury cases in which the defendant pleads not guilty or no contest to a different or lesser offense instead.	Chapter 443

SB-936	Blakespear, Umberg	Nitrous oxide: sales	This bill creates four new infractions related to the sale or distribution of nitrous oxide, including making it unlawful to sell, offer to sell, or distribute a nitrous oxide container that is capable of holding more than eight grams of nitrous oxide or a nitrous oxide container from which an individual may directly inhale nitrous oxide, except as specified.	Chapter 317
SB-937	Gonzalez	Law enforcement: flash-bang grenades and explosive breaching charges	This bill (1) prohibits law enforcement officers from using flash-bang grenades to disperse an assembly, protest or demonstration, except as specified, and (2) prohibits the use of flash-bang grenades and explosive breaching charges for the purpose of immigration enforcement, except as specified.	Chapter 754
SB-938	Menjivar	Peace officers: training requirements	This bill provides that service as a sworn federal law enforcement officer whose primary duties consisted of any one or any combination of immigration inspection, border enforcement, or apprehension, detention, or removal of noncitizens under the federal immigration laws, and the training for that service, does not, standing alone, constitute qualifying training, experience, and education demonstrating sufficient law enforcement knowledge, skill, and proficiency for purposes of determining eligibility for a Regular Basic Course Waiver. *VETO message: "This bill would provide that service as a sworn federal law enforcement officer whose primary duties consisted of enforcing of immigration laws, and the training for that service, does not qualify for a Regular Basic Course Waiver for peace officer training.* *This measure appears responsive to the disturbing role of those who participate in the indiscriminate immigration raids that have rounded up American citizens, people with legal status, hardworking parents, and their children. Many horrific tactics deployed by the Trump administration coincided with a hiring surge and reduced training requirements that added 12,000 ICE officers and agents, more than doubling the size of the agency in just four months, and a rush to deploy these officers in major cities across the country.*	Vetoed

			Nonetheless, establishing a default prohibition on obtaining a basic training waiver for individuals enforcing immigration laws is a step too far. California peace officers are held to high standards, including personal conduct, and any officers who violate those standards will be held accountable. Officers who do not meet California's rigorous standards and training, including those added to ICE in the hiring surge with truncated training, are already unlikely to qualify for a waiver of the 680-hour basic training regimen. *In addition, immigration enforcement includes duties beyond interior enforcement actions in major U.S. cities, such as patrolling the Southern border, customs inspections at all ports of entry, and complex human trafficking investigations. Each of these roles may be primarily immigration enforcement, but treating each of them as ineligible for a basic training waiver may discourage empathetic, highly trained Americans, who otherwise meet our comprehensive standards and training requirements, from becoming California peace officers.* *Earlier this year, I signed AB 1627 (Avila-Farias) which provides that immigration enforcement officers who engaged in serious misconduct during their tenure are disqualified from obtaining peace officer status. It is appropriate to focus on the behaviors of individual officers, rather than categorically eliminating an entire group from basic training waiver eligibility."*	
SB-941	Padilla	Private detention facilities: canteens	This bill prohibits the sale price of canteen items at a private detention facility from exceeding a 35% markup above the amount paid to a vendor for the item.	Chapter 991
SB-948	Arreguín	Firearms: safety certificates	This bill (1) requires all applicants for firearm safety certificates (FSCs) to complete a four-hour training course and (2) requires personal firearms importers to certify under penalty of perjury that they have	Chapter 465

			obtained a valid FSC and send a report to the California Department of Justice that includes a valid FSC.	
SB-1004	Wiener, Arreguín, Pérez, Wahab	Law enforcement: masks	This bill (1) extends existing law enforcement agency requirements regarding facial coverings to law enforcement agencies of the state and peace officers employed by those agencies; (2) expands exemptions to those requirements; and (3) modifies the civil liability provision associated with a violation of those requirements.	Chapter 757
SB-1009	Becker	Juveniles: detention	This bill (1) prohibits a court from ordering a minor detained in the juvenile hall unless it makes a finding that a less restrictive alternative to detention in the juvenile hall is unsuitable; (2) requires a court to reconsider whether continued detention in the juvenile hall is necessary whenever the court orders a minor detained in the juvenile hall; and (3) prohibits a minor from being removed from the physical custody of the minor's parent or guardian as the result of an order of wardship unless the court finds that a less restrictive alternative disposition for the ward is unsuitable.	Chapter 996
SB-1012	Smallwood-Cuevas	Employment of inmates	This bill (1) requires the Pre-Release Construction Trades Certificate Program's joint advisory committee, in consultation with the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR), the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (Cal Fire), the+ Department of Industrial Relations, and the fire camp program, to facilitate the post-release admission of program graduates into state-approved apprenticeship programs for the construction craft laborer occupation and for those programs, to evaluate such individuals for admission with advanced standing based on prior coursework and work experience; (2) requires that participation in the fire camp program constitutes a qualifying experience for a state-approved apprenticeship for construction craft laborer occupation; and (3) requires CDCR, in partnership with Cal Fire and the fire camp program, to ensure that all eligible individuals who successfully participate in the fire camp program receive a certification reflective of the training completed to ensure eligibility for state-	Chapter 997

			approved apprenticeship programs in the building and construction trades.	
SB-1056	Grayson, Wahab	Criminal procedure	This bill requires a court to issue a protective order governing the disclosure of sexually explicit material of an adult victim, as specified, in any case where a defendant is being prosecuted for a serious felony that is a registerable sex offense, or any case pertaining to specified offenses involving distributing intimate images of another person without consent.	Chapter 845
SB-1105	Pérez	Law enforcement	This bill removes certain arrest authority and peace officer status for federal law enforcement officers operating in California and prohibits a California law enforcement agency from entering into an interagency agreement with a federal law enforcement agency unless the agreement expressly prohibits the California agency from engaging in specified prohibited conduct. *VETO message: "This bill would limit federal law enforcement's powers of arrest and prohibit California law enforcement agencies from entering into an interagency agreement unless the agreement is in writing and expressly provides that the California agency shall not engage in racial or identity profiling.* *State law already prohibits racial profiling. While this bill seeks to ensure that current and future interagency agreements with federal law enforcement entities reaffirm that vital protection, a noble intent, I am deeply concerned that this bill will result in significant unintended consequences to critical public safety programs that unfortunately outweigh its merits.* *Our state and local law enforcement depend on information-sharing and other federal agreements to accomplish critical public safety objectives, such as combatting drug and human trafficking, counterterrorism, addressing cybersecurity threats, and preparations for the Olympics in Los Angeles in 2028. By requiring unplanned changes to longstanding*	Vetoed

			agreements, this bill, as just one example, could severely impact the Office of Emergency Services' ability to participate in joint operations or maintain essential federal partnerships and multi-jurisdictional efforts, such as the Joint Terrorism Task Force Agreements and Counterintelligence Task Forces. *These critical components of our public safety infrastructure must be allowed to continue unimpeded/ and it would be unwise to jeopardize this apparatus for the purpose of restating existing protections in law."*	
SB-1130	Reyes	Invasion of privacy: wearable recording devices	This bill (1) makes it a misdemeanor to operate a wearable recording device to capture sound or video of any other person in any area within a place of business where the person has a reasonable expectation of privacy, except as provided; (2) prohibits a person from using any technology to permanently or temporarily disable any light, sound, or other indicator on a wearable recording device that indicates that the device is capturing sound or video; (3) prohibits a person or entity from manufacturing, selling, delivering, or holding any technology that enables a person to disable any light, sound, or other indicator on a wearable recording device that indicates that the device is capturing sound or video; and (4) prohibits a person from purchasing, acquiring, or trading that technology. *VETO message: "Among other changes to the law, this bill would make it a misdemeanor to operate a wearable recording device to capture sound or video of any other person in any area within a place of business where the person has a reasonable expectation of privacy.* *Wearable technology is rapidly advancing, with articles that closely resemble ordinary eyewear and other accessories containing cameras, microphones, and artificial intelligence systems. These devices can record audio and video, process information in real time, and livestream to an audience. Reports of disturbing, invasive, and potentially*	Vetoed

			dangerous behavior utilizing this technology have surfaced and demand a legislative response. *While I support the author's attempt to meet that demand, we must approach this issue with precision and care. This measure defines several terms too broadly or imprecisely. For example, the bill's definition of "wearable recording device' could include certain smartwatches or other worn devices widely used in public spaces and capable of recording, which could lead to significant confusion and unintended consequences.* *Furthermore, although this bill seeks to prohibit visual and audio recording in a place of business where an individual has a reasonable expectation of privacy, existing law already makes it a crime to use an electronic device to record a person in any area in which the occupant has a reasonable expectation of privacy, as well as the recording of confidential communications without consent."*	
SB-1143	Caballero	Children's advocacy centers: recordings	This bill clarifies that children's advocacy centers must release recordings of forensic interviews taken in the course of an investigation to child welfare agencies authorized to investigate child abuse and neglect.	Chapter 55
SB-1173	Caballero	Jury instructions: lesser related offenses	This bill (1) restores a criminal defendant's right to a jury instruction on lesser related offenses to the offense charged; (2) and permits a jury, or a judge if a jury trial is waived, to find the defendant guilty of the lesser offense if certain conditions are met. *VETO message: "This bill would authorize a Criminal Court to instruct a jury and convict on a "lesser related offense" of the defendant's choosing, over the objection of the prosecutor.* *The propriety of lesser related defense rule contemplated by this bill was considered and rejected by the California Supreme Court more than 25 years ago in People v. Birks (1998) 19 Cal.4th 108. The court*	Vetoed

			explained that the lesser related offense rule "can be unfair to the prosecution," that it "actually promotes fact finding," and that it may well violate the constitution separation of powers clause. These concerns are equally valid today and I do not support upsetting the balance struck by the California Supreme Court in the Birks decision."	
SB-1208	Grayson	Money laundering: digital assets	This bill, until January 1, 2032, expands the crime of money laundering to include digital assets, and establishes a process by which a law enforcement officer or prosecuting agency may seize digital assets that contain proceeds of a crime, are traceable to a crime, or have been used to facilitate a crime, as specified, for the purpose of returning those assets to a victim.	Chapter 483
SB-1211	Gonzalez	Criminal procedure: postconviction investigation	This bill outlines parameters for district attorney offices that accept cases for postconviction review related to innocence claims and enables those offices to have access to materials that they would not otherwise have access to because the case is closed.	Chapter 325
SB-1220	Hurtado	Firearms: prohibited persons	This bill imposes a 10-year prohibition on the purchase or possession of firearms for individuals convicted of buying, receiving, selling, or possessing a firearm that has had specified identifying marks or engravings illegally modified or removed.	Chapter 466
SB-1276	Rubio	Crimes: sexual exploitation of a child	This bill expands the crime of sexual exploitation of a child to include downloading, streaming, or accessing through electronic or digital media specified depictions of a minor engaged in an act of sexual conduct.	Chapter 192
SB-1285	Durazo	Juvenile court: procedure	This bill states that the Welfare and Institutions Code Section 782 is a general dismissal statute.	Chapter 690

SB-1306	Cortese	Controlled substances: gamma-butyrolactone	This bill exempts chemical mixtures containing 70% or less of gamma-butyrolactone from specified requirements of the Uniform Controlled Substances Act.	Chapter 694
SB-1307	Jones	False or forged instruments	This bill authorizes a defendant who was convicted of knowingly filing, registering, or recording a false or forged instrument to stipulate to the voiding of the false or forged instrument in lieu of a hearing on a motion to void the false or forged instrument.	Chapter 695
SB-1330	Arreguín	Assault and battery: utility workers	This bill increases the penalty for assault and battery committed against a utility worker, as defined, while engaged in the performance of their duties.	Chapter 699
SB-1342	Durazo	Criminal records: relief	This bill (1) expands automatic record relief to include felony arrests and convictions, as specified, beginning October 1, 2029, and (2) requires courts to provide individuals granted automatic conviction record relief with a register of action confirming such relief.	Chapter 702
SB-1365	Allen	Price gouging	This bill provides that it is an affirmative defense to the charge of price gouging if an increase in the rental price of a housing unit, as specified, was directly attributable to additional costs for repairs or additions beyond normal maintenance incurred within the year prior to an emergency declaration and either the housing was rented, advertised for rent, or offered for rent at the time the costs were incurred or the person can prove that within a year before the declaration the intent to offer the housing for rent within 6 months of the repair or addition already existed.	Chapter 1028
SB-1401	Stern	Criminal procedure: competence to stand trial	This bill (1) specifies timeframes for the dismissal of felony charges for a defendant who is incompetent to stand trial (IST) and referred to one of several specified programs; (2) authorizes a county behavioral health agency to share confidential medical records and other relevant information with the court for the purpose of determining eligibility for	Chapter 1035

			behavioral health services; and (3) allows the court to refer a misdemeanor IST defendant to the county conservatorship investigator in the county of commitment for possible conservatorship proceedings if in its opinion the defendant appears to be gravely disabled.	
SB-1427	Committee on Public Safety	Public safety omnibus	This bill makes technical and non-controversial changes to various code sections relating generally to criminal justice laws, as specified.	Chapter 160
SJR-9	Durazo, Arreguín, Caballero, Hurtado	Immigrants in California: mass immigration raids	This resolution strongly condemns and denounces recent mass immigration raids that have targeted immigrant workers and families in California and the engagement of the military in immigration enforcement operations in response to community protests.	Resolution Chapter 1

REVENUE & TAXATION				
AB-611	Lee	Voluntary tax contribution funds: spinal cord injury research	This bill (1) establishes the California Spinal Cord Injury Research Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund; (2) authorizes a taxpayer to make a voluntary contribution to the fund on their state personal income tax return from tax year 2027 to 2033.	Chapter 264
AB-672	Caloza	Real property tax: welfare exemption: community land trusts	This bill extends the Community Land Trust welfare exemption from property tax until January 1, 2032.	Chapter 868
AB-760	Ta	Income taxes: exclusions: 2026 Garden Grove chemical leak	This bill enacts Personal Income and Corporation Tax exclusions for settlement payments made in connection with the 2026 Garden Grove chemical leak. *VETO message: "I wholeheartedly support the intent of this bill. In 2022, I signed legislation that provided similar tax exclusions for settlement claims resulting from catastrophic wildfires that occurred in the preceding five years. In signing those bills, I stated that future measures, like this bill, should be included in the annual budget process given the General Fund implications. This standard was subsequently applied to Assembly Bill 1973 (Lackey) and Senate Bill 542 (Dahle) in 2024. I strongly encourage the Legislature to include this proposal in next year's budget framework."*	Vetoed
AB-1265	Haney	Income taxes: credits: rehabilitation of certified historic structures	This bill maintains the state's modified conformity to the federal Historic Tax Credit (HTC) by reauthorizing the HTC program for tax years 2027-2030.	Chapter 515
AB-1294	Haney	Real property tax: welfare exemption: moderate-income housing	This bill creates an alternate welfare exemption from property tax for rental housing equal to the value of units serving low- and moderate-income households in the Counties of Alameda and Sacramento, and the City & County of San Francisco.	Chapter 778
AB-1485	Macedo	Property tax: documentary transfer tax: exemptions: Native American tribes	This bill (1) exempts tribal land return transactions as defined from the documentary tax; (2) enacts a property tax exemption parallel to the current exemption for open space lands for properties owned and operated by a federally recognized Indian tribe, or its wholly owned subsidiary.	Chapter 2
AB-1519	Gipson	Taxation: tax liability: collections	This bill redefines tax liability, for purposes of triggering the 20-year statute of limitations applicable to the Franchise Tax Board's collection of tax liabilities, to exclude interest, penalties, costs, or fees.	Chapter 518
AB-1633	Haney	Taxation: private	This bill imposes an annual tax on "private detention facility operators"	Chapter 740

		detention facilities	equal to 25% of the operator's gross income derived from the operation of each "private detention facility" in California.	
AB-1668	Pellerin	Property tax: welfare exemption	This bill extends the sunset for five years on the welfare exemption from property tax for open space lands owned by non-profit charitable organizations.	Chapter 814
AB-2084	Bauer-Kahan	Corporation Tax Law: tax-exempt organizations: revocation of tax-exempt status	This bill provides the Franchise Tax Board with the discretion to maintain the tax-exempt status of a 501(c)(3) nonprofit whose federal tax-exempt status was revoked.	Chapter 921
AB-2089	Ward	Property taxation: welfare exemption	This bill makes several changes to the welfare exemption from property tax for affordable rental housing.	Chapter 577
AB-2167	Macedo	Property tax: documentary transfer tax: exemptions: nonprofit corporations chartered under tribal or federal law	This bill clarifies that nonprofit tribal corporations and wholly owned tribal entities are eligible for the welfare exemption from property tax and exemption from Documentary Transfer Tax for tribal land return transactions.	Chapter 584
AB-2172	Gipson	Property taxation: county assessment appeals boards: assessment appeals commissioners	This bill enacts an alternative process for counties with a population of more than 500,000 to consider assessment appeals by providing for the appointment of "assessment appeals commissioners," to hear all assessment appeals.	Chapter 585
AB-2186	McKinnor	Personal Income Tax Law: exclusions: reparations programs	This bill enacts a Personal Income Tax exclusion for any reparations benefit or payment a taxpayer receives from a local, state, or federal reparations program. *VETO message: "This bill would exclude, from personal and corporate income taxation, any monetary compensation or benefits made pursuant to state or local government reparations programs or federal law intended to correct for past and ongoing harms to a group of people, including the descendants of enslaved or incarcerated persons or other members of a protected class.* *I thank the author for her continued work to redress the documented harms of slavery. I was proud to sign into law last year legislation establishing the Bureau for Descendants of American Slavery, a first-in-the-nation law establishing a state agency that, among its key responsibilities, will advise on reparative justice programs for Black Americans. California's work on this important endeavor is just*	Vetoed

			beginning. *However, because the full scope of the proposed tax exclusion is unknown, fiscal caution is warranted. The proposed exclusion for unspecified federal initiatives could be interpreted broadly, resulting in substantial fiscal uncertainty. Moreover, given the potentially significant General Fund implications, this measure should be considered as part of the annual budget process."*	
AB-2222	Ward, Wicks	Personal Income Tax Law and Corporation Tax Law: credits: local news outlets: business expense deduction: excessive employee remuneration	This bill authorizes a refundable credit under the Personal Income and Corporation Taxes for local news outlets to hire journalists working in California; and conforms to recent federal changes to the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 162(m), relating to the deductibility of certain excessive employee remuneration.	Chapter 849
AB-2319	Schultz	Personal Income Tax Law: Corporation Tax Law: credits: qualified motion picture: post-production	This bill enacts the California Post-production Tax Credit program, authorizing a credit under the Personal Income and Corporation Taxes for qualified expenses relating to the post-production of a qualified motion picture in California.	Chapter 343
AB-2465	Ortega, Lee	State government: benefits	This bill makes business entities with specified relationships to private prisons or immigration enforcement agencies ineligible for state-provided loans, grants, or tax credits. *VETO message: "This bill would disqualify large businesses with specified relationships to private prisons or immigration enforcement agencies from receiving state-provided loans, grants, or tax credits.* *I agree with the author that more must be done to hold the Trump administration accountable for the indiscriminate raids that have rounded up American citizens, people with legal status, and hardworking parents. The horrific tactics deployed by the federal administration to instill fear and panic in our most vulnerable communities are a stain on our nation. Congress must act to hold the Trump administration and culpable agents accountable, while also advancing reforms to ensure fair, humane, and lawful immigration enforcement that is transparent and accountable to the public.* *While I appreciate the author's goal of ensuring that state dollars do not*	Vetoed

			support these egregious federal actions, this bill's requirements are unclear and expand beyond the stated intent. Disallowing state credits or other benefits could affect businesses providing legitimate goods and services to a range of agencies with responsibilities beyond the type of immigration enforcement that inspired this bill. Given the severity of the consequences, I am concerned that these unclear restrictions would interfere with otherwise lawful state programs and economic development activities."	
AB-2641	Michelle Rodriguez	Sales and use taxes: exclusion: pawnbrokers: transfer of vested property	This bill extends the sunset on the sales and use tax exemption for customers who repurchase their property from a pawnbroker until January 1, 2032.	Chapter 76
SB-296	Archuleta, Schiavo, Valladares	Property taxation: exemption: disabled veteran homeowners	This bill replaces the existing disabled veterans' property tax exemption with an expanded exemption for a five-year period.	Chapter 727
SB-420	Padilla, McNerney, Umberg	Property tax: welfare exemption: detention facilities	This bill disqualifies property, or any portion thereof, operated as a detention facility from eligibility for the welfare exemption from property tax.	Chapter 750
SB-575	Laird	California Sea Otter Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund	This bill (1) reestablishes the California Sea Otter Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund and (2) authorizes a taxpayer to make a voluntary contribution to the fund on their state personal income tax return for tax years 2026 through 2033.	Chapter 145
SB-762	Arreguín	Transactions and use taxes: various jurisdictions	This bill allows several jurisdictions to impose a district tax, by ordinance or voter initiative, of up to 1% even if it exceeds the 2% cap.	Chapter 109
SB-881	McNerney	Income taxation: credits: voluntary contributions: food bank donations	This bill extends the sunset on the New Donated Fresh Fruit or Vegetables Credit and the Emergency Food for Families Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund.	Chapter 657
SB-974	Seyarto	Property taxation: change in ownership: generational transfers: special needs trusts	This bill modifies the definition of "transfer" in statute implementing Proposition 19 to explicitly state that other forms of trusts can qualify for the exclusion, specifically Special Needs Trusts.	Chapter 665
SB-999	Weber Pierson	Franchise Tax Board: reporting requirements	This bill changes the due date from March 1 to April 1 for the Franchise Tax Board to report to the Legislature specific information regarding California's minimum essential health coverage requirement and individual shared responsibility penalty.	Chapter 671

SB-1073	Smallwood-Cuevas	Income taxes: voluntary contributions: Black Cultural District Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund	This bill establishes the Black Cultural District Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund and authorizes a taxpayer to make a voluntary contribution to the fund on their state personal income tax return for taxable years 2026 through 2032.	Chapter 1003
SB-1124	Archuleta	Public health	This bill (1) requires the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) to develop signage for lung cancer screening; and (2) requires licensed tobacco retailers to display the signage or be subject to a civil penalty.	Chapter 72
SB-1151	Cervantes	Sales and Use Tax Law: exemptions: infant formula	This bill clarifies that infant formula is an exempt food product not subject to sales and use tax.	Chapter 680
SB-1349	Gonzalez	Taxation: tax expenditures: Legislative Analyst's Office: assessment, report, and recommendation	This bill directs the Legislative Analyst's Office to comprehensively assess the state's major tax expenditures, as defined, issue a report, and make a recommendation to the Legislature.	Chapter 433
SB-1406	McNerney	Sales and Use Tax Law: vehicles: shell companies	This bill allows the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration to hold personally liable any officer, manager, partner, beneficial owner, or member of a shell company for any unpaid taxes on the purchase of a vehicle, vessel, or aircraft.	Chapter 1036
SB-1435	Committee on Revenue and Taxation	Personal Income Tax Law and Corporation Tax Law: federal conformity	This bill makes technical and conforming changes to several provisions of the Revenue & Taxation Code pertaining to date-change conformity to federal tax law as of specified date, January 1, 2025.	Chapter 236
SB-1436	Committee on Revenue and Taxation	Qualified ABLE Program	This bill (1) revises the definition of "good standing" under the accelerated remittance program exemption; (2) authorizes the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration to reinstate a revoked exemption; (3) conforms state law to recent changes to IRC 529A pertaining to increased contributions to an Achieving and Better Life Experience account.	Chapter 714
SB-1437	Committee on Revenue and Taxation	Property taxation: intercounty pipeline: right-of-way assessment: full cash value	This bill extends the sunset dates for the specific valuation methodology for intercounty pipeline rights-of-way for five years, through the 2030-31 fiscal year.	Chapter 63

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ACR-61	Stefani	Filicide Awareness Week	This resolution proclaims April 9, 2025, to April 15, 2025, inclusive, as Filicide Awareness Week.	Resolution Chapter 184
ACR-112	Gallagher	Deaf Awareness Month	This resolution recognizes the month of September 2025 as Deaf Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 7
ACR-115	Bennett	National Blood Donor Month	This resolution recognizes the month of January as National Blood Donor Month in the State of California.	Resolution Chapter 5
ACR-116	Jackson, Bonta, Bryan, Elhawary, Gipson, McKinnor, Ransom, Sharp-Collins, Wilson	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	This resolution honors the late civil rights pioneer Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and commemorates Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.	Resolution Chapter 8
ACR-117	Sharp-Collins	Maternal Health Awareness Day	This resolution proclaims January 23, 2026, as Maternal Health Awareness Day.	Resolution Chapter 6
ACR-118	Mark González, Quirk-Silva	Korean American Day	This resolution proclaims January 13, 2026, as Korean American Day.	Resolution Chapter 9
ACR-119	Ta	Black April Memorial Month	This resolution proclaims the month of April 2026 as Black April Memorial Month and encourage the Vietnamese Heritage and Freedom Flag to be flown throughout the state.	Resolution Chapter 104
ACR-120	Ávila Farías	Positive Parenting Awareness Month	This resolution designates January 2026 as Positive Parenting Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 33
ACR-121	Tangipa	National Mentoring Month	This resolution proclaims the month of January 2026 as National Mentoring Month and proudly recognizes Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central California for its unwavering commitment to the children and families of our region and its enduring impact on future generations.	Resolution Chapter 10
ACR-122	Ahrens	Anesthesiologists Week	This resolution designates the week of January 25, 2026, to January 31, 2026, inclusive, as Anesthesiologists Week.	Resolution Chapter 11
ACR-123	Chen	Duanwu Jie	This resolution recognizes June 19, 2026, as Duanwu Jie, also known as the Dragon Boat Festival, and celebrates the cultural contributions and rich heritage of the communities who observe this important festival.	Resolution Chapter 105
ACR-124	Ta	Vietnam Human Rights Day	This resolution designates May 11, 2026, as Vietnam Human Rights Day in support of efforts to achieve freedom and human rights for the people of Vietnam. The measure encourages Californians to commemorate the day with appropriate activities, including, but not limited to, rallies, ceremonies, and discussions.	Resolution Chapter 106
ACR-125	Alanis	Chiari Malformation Awareness Month	This resolution declares September 2026 as Chiari Malformation Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 186

ACR-127	Muratsuchi	National School Counseling Week	This resolution recognizes February 2, 2026, to February 6, 2026, inclusive, as National School Counseling Week.	Resolution Chapter 16
ACR-128	Stefani	Day of Solidarity with Ukraine	This resolution recognizes February 24, 2026, as a Day of Solidarity with Ukraine, honoring the resilience of the Ukrainian people and acknowledging the ongoing impact of the war on youth, families, and communities.	Resolution Chapter 17
ACR-130	Ta	Sylvia Mendez Day	This resolution declares April 14 of each year as Sylvia Mendez Day.	Resolution Chapter 58
ACR-132	Dixon	Rare Disease Day	This resolution designates February 28, 2026, as Rare Disease Day and, with respect to rare diseases and disorders, recognizes the importance of improving awareness, encouraging accurate and early diagnosis, and supporting national and global efforts to develop effective treatments, diagnostics, and cures.	Resolution Chapter 18
ACR-133	Johnson	Introduce a Girl to Engineering Day	This resolution commemorates February 26, 2026, as Introduce a Girl to Engineering Day.	Resolution Chapter 34
ACR-134	Bryan, Bonta, Elhawary, Gipson, Jackson, McKinnor, Ransom, Sharp-Collins, Wilson	Black History Month	This resolution recognizes February 2026 as the centennial anniversary of Black History Month, urges all citizens to join in celebrating the accomplishments of African Americans during Black History Month, and encourages the people of California to recognize the many talents of African Americans and the achievements and contributions they make to their communities to create equity and equality for education, economics, and social justice.	Resolution Chapter 19
ACR-135	Patel	School Breakfast Week	This resolution proclaims March 2, 2026, to March 6, 2026, inclusive, as School Breakfast Week.	Resolution Chapter 35
ACR-136	Harabedian	Engineers Week	This resolution recognizes the week of February 22, 2026, to February 28, 2026, as Engineers Week.	Resolution Chapter 36
ACR-138	Hadwick	California Association of Future Farmers of America	This resolution recognizes and commends the California Association of Future Farmers of America for its nearly 100 years of service to students, educators, and the agricultural industry and honors members, advisors, alumni, and supporters of the association for their dedication to developing future leaders and sustaining California's agricultural legacy.	Resolution Chapter 37
ACR-139	Calderon	Sleep Apnea Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims the month of March as Sleep Apnea Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 38
ACR-140	Patel	Women in STEM Day	This resolution proclaims March 21, 2026, as California Women in STEM day.	Resolution Chapter 39
ACR-141	Ta	Vesak Day	This resolution recognizes the significance of Vesak Day to people of Buddhist faith and extends sincere best wishes to the state's Buddhist community in celebrating Vesak Day.	Resolution Chapter 68

ACR-143	Pacheco	California Cities Week	This resolution proclaims the week of April 19, 2026, to April 25, 2026, inclusive, to be California Cities Week, and encourages all Californians to be involved in their communities and be civically engaged with their local government.	Resolution Chapter 107
ACR-144	Hadwick	National CRNA Week	This resolution commends certified registered nurse anesthetists for their expertise, dedication, and service to the people of California, acknowledges their essential role in ensuring access to high-quality anesthesia and perioperative care, particularly in rural and underserved communities, and celebrates National CRNA Week 2026.	Resolution Chapter 40
ACR-145	Caloza	Women in Construction Week	This resolution proclaims March 1, 2026, to March 7, 2026, inclusive, as Women in Construction Week and requests that the Governor issue a proclamation calling on the people of the great State of California to observe the week with appropriate programs and education activities.	Resolution Chapter 41
ACR-146	Ransom	Bleeding Disorders Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims the month of March 2026 as Bleeding Disorders Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 42
ACR-147	Lackey	Special Olympics Day	This resolution proclaims March 9, 2026, as Special Olympics Day in California, and congratulates Team NorCal and Team SoCal for their accomplishments thus far and wishes them success in the 2026 Special Olympics USA Games.	Resolution Chapter 43
ACR-148	Addis	Family Physician Week	This resolution designates the week of March 15, 2026, to March 21, 2026, inclusive, as Family Physician Week, recognizes the invaluable contributions of family physicians to California's health care system, and encourages continued investment in primary care to strengthen the family medicine workforce.	Resolution Chapter 44
ACR-149	Hart, Addis, Bennett	California Coastal Act of 1976	This resolution acknowledges and celebrates 50 years of coastal protection and affirms the state's longstanding commitment to protecting its coastal waters, as specified.	Resolution Chapter 169
ACR-150	Michelle Rodriguez	California Public Safety Telecommunicators Week	This resolution declares the week of April 12, 2026, to April 18, 2026, inclusive, as California Public Safety Telecommunicators Week.	Resolution Chapter 59
ACR-151	Papan	Greek Independence Day	This resolution designates March 25, 2026, as Greek Independence Day.	Resolution Chapter 45
ACR-152	Davies	American Red Cross Month	This resolution proclaims March 2026 as American Red Cross Month, dedicates it to all those who continue to advance the noble legacy of the organization's founder, and encourages all Californians to reach out, support the organization's humanitarian mission, and join in their commitment to care for people in need.	Resolution Chapter 60
ACR-153	Calderon	Irish American	This resolution designates March 2026 as Irish American Heritage	Resolution

		Heritage Month	Month in honor of 102 years of diplomatic relations between the United States and Ireland and commemorates the multitude of contributions that Irish Americans have made to this country and state.	Chapter 46
ACR-154	Patterson	California Down Syndrome Awareness Week and Day	This resolution proclaims March 15, 2026, to March 21, 2026, inclusive, as California Down Syndrome Awareness Week and March 21, 2026, as California Down Syndrome Day, and encourages all Californians to support and participate in related activities.	Resolution Chapter 47
ACR-156	Hoover	National Day of Play	This resolution recognizes National Day of Play on March 21, 2026.	Resolution Chapter 48
ACR-157	Hoover	Surface Mining and Reclamation Act of 1975: 50th anniversary	This resolution commemorates the 50th anniversary of the Surface Mining and Reclamation Act of 1975.	Resolution Chapter 170
ACR-158	Solache	Donate Life Month	This resolution proclaims the month of April 2026 as Donate Life Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 108
ACR-159	Kalra	Indigent defense	This resolution affirms the fundamental importance of indigent defense to due process, equal justice, and democratic governance, recognizes public defenders as essential protectors of constitutional rights and the rule of law, and encourages the development of statewide approaches to indigent defense.	Resolution Chapter 187
ACR-160	Sharp-Collins	Parkinson’s Disease Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims the month of April 2026 as Parkinson’s Disease Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 61
ACR-161	Addis	Special Districts Week	This resolution proclaims the week of April 5, 2026, to April 11, 2026, to be Special Districts Week.	Resolution Chapter 62
ACR-163	Ramos	Missing and Murdered Indigenous People Awareness Month	This resolution designates the month of May 2026 as California’s Missing and Murdered Indigenous People Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 109
ACR-167	Hadwick	World Agritourism Day	This resolution proclaims May 16, 2026, as World Agritourism Day.	Resolution Chapter 110
ACR-170	Wallis	Mosquito Awareness Week	This resolution declares that the week of April 19, 2026, to April 25, 2026, inclusive, be designated as Mosquito Awareness Week.	Resolution Chapter 63
ACR-171	Celeste Rodriguez	California Home Visiting Week	This resolution proclaims the week of April 20, 2026, to April 24, 2026, inclusive, as California Home Visiting Week, and encourages all Californians to recognize and celebrate the contributions of home visiting programs and professionals and the families they serve.	Resolution Chater 64
ACR-172	Macedo	World Irritable Bowel Syndrome Day	This resolution declares April 19, 2026, as World Irritable Bowel Syndrome Day in California.	Resolution Chapter 65

ACR-174	Muratsuchi	Student Mental Health Awareness Week in California	This resolution recognizes May 11, 2026, to May 15, 2026, inclusive, as Student Mental Health Awareness Week in California.	Resolution Chapter 111
ACR-178	Flora	National Rendering Day	This resolution recognizes April 21, 2026, as National Rendering Day.	Resolution Chapter 112
ACR-179	Flora	Wildland-Urban Interface Preparedness and Resilience Day	This resolution proclaims May 1, 2026, and the same date annually thereafter, as Wildland-Urban Interface Preparedness and Resilience Day.	Resolution Chapter 113
ACR-180	Connolly	Compost Awareness Week.	This resolution declares that the week of May 3, 2026, to May 9, 2026, inclusive, is designated as Compost Awareness Week.	Resolution Chapter 114
ACR-181	Patel	California Physical Education Week	This resolution proclaims May 1, 2026, to May 7, 2026, inclusive, as California Physical Education Week.	Resolution Chapter 115
ACR-182	Ransom	Youth Mental Health Awareness Week in California	This resolution designates May 3, 2026, to May 9, 2026, inclusive, as Youth Mental Health Awareness Week in California.	Resolution Chapter 116
ACR-183	Sharp-Collins	Black Health Equity Advocacy Week	This resolution recognizes May 4, 2026, to May 8, 2026, inclusive, and every first week of May thereafter, as Black Health Equity Advocacy Week, and commends the California Black Health Network and other organizations throughout the state for their efforts to improve the health, well-being, and life expectancy of Black Californians.	Resolution Chapter 117
ACR-184	Rivas	Stuttering Awareness and Acceptance Week	This resolution proclaims the week of May 10, 2026, to May 16, 2026, inclusive, as 2026 Stuttering Awareness and Acceptance Week.	Resolution Chapter 118
ACR-185	Macedo, Aguiar-Curry	Portuguese Heritage Month: Day of Portugal: Day of the Azores	This resolution declares the month of June 2026 to be Portuguese Heritage Month and would recognize June 10, 2026, as the Day of Portugal and May 25, 2026, as the Day of the Azores.	Resolution Chapter 135
ACR-186	Chen	California Physical Fitness and Mental Well-Being Month	This resolution declares the month of May 2026 as California Physical Fitness and Mental Well-Being Month.	Resolution Chapter 119
ACR-187	Jeff Gonzalez	Men’s Mental Health Month	This resolution proclaims the month of June 2026 to be Men’s Mental Health Month.	Resolution Chapter 171
ACR-188	Soria	California’s Farm Week	This resolution designates May 10, 2026, to May 16, 2026, inclusive, as California’s Farm Week.	Resolution Chapter 120
ACR-189	Ahrens	Foster Youth Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims the month of May 2026 as Foster Youth Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 121
ACR-190	Ortega	California Day of the	This resolution proclaims May 13, 2026, as the California Day of the	Resolution

		Teacher	Teacher.	Chapter 122
ACR-191	Stefani	National Gun Violence Awareness Day	This resolution declares June 5, 2026, to be National Gun Violence Awareness Day.	Resolution Chapter 145
ACR-193	Aguiar-Curry	International Year of the Woman Farmer	This resolution proclaims 2026 as the International Year of the Woman Farmer and recognizes the critical role of women in agriculture.	Resolution Chapter 188
ACR-194	Pacheco	Women's Equality Day	This resolution recognizes August 26, 2026, as Women's Equality Day and its historic importance to women's rights, including the battle to attain those rights in the past, present, and future.	Resolution Chapter 189
ACR-195	Gabriel, Addis, Ahrens, Bauer-Kahan, Berman, Haney, Irwin, Krell, Lowenthal, Pellerin, Blanca Rubio, Ward, Zbur	Jewish American Heritage Month	This resolution proclaims May 2026 as Jewish American Heritage Month in California and commends the Jewish American community for its profound contributions to California's growth, innovation, and diversity, and states that the Legislature encourages all Californians to celebrate Jewish American Heritage Month.	Resolution Chapter 123
ACR-196	Solache	California Small Business Month	This resolution declares May as California Small Business Month.	Resolution Chapter 124
ACR-197	Stefani	Italian American Heritage Month	This resolution proclaims the month of October 2026 as Italian American Heritage Month, and, among other things, encourages all citizens, schools, public institutions, and community organizations in California to observe Italian American Heritage Month with appropriate ceremonies, activities, and educational programs, as specified.	Resolution Chapter 136
ACR-198	Patel	Maternal Mental Health Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims May 2026 as Maternal Mental Health Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 125
ACR-200	Alanis	Missing Children's Day	This measure declares May 25, 2026, as Missing Children's Day in the State of California, recognizes the efforts of families, law enforcement, and organizations that work to bring missing children home, and proclaims that every child deserves a safe childhood.	Resolution Chapter 126
ACR-202	Garcia	529 College Savings Day	This resolution proclaims May 29, 2026, as 529 College Savings Day.	Resolution Chapter 137
ACR-203	Hoover	Lyme Disease Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims the month of May 2026 as Lyme Disease Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 127
ACR-204	Quirk-Silva	Behavioral health and arts	This resolution encourages and recognizes exploration, support, and integration of arts and behavioral health within California's health care, behavioral health, and community-based systems.	Resolution Chapter 211
ACR-205	Lackey	Congenital	This resolution declares the month of June 2026 as Congenital	Resolution

		Cytomegalovirus Awareness Month	Cytomegalovirus Awareness Month.	Chapter 138
ACR-206	Stefani	Elder and Dependent Adult Abuse Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims the month of June 2026 as Elder and Dependent Adult Abuse Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 146
ACR-208	Ramos	California Native American Day and the California Indian Cultural Awareness Conference	This resolution recognizes the importance of California Native American Day, celebrated this year on September 25, 2026, and the annual California Indian Cultural Awareness Conference, to the enhancement of awareness of California Indian culture.	Resolution Chapter 157
ACR-209	Elhawary	Behavioral Health Awareness Month	This resolution recognizes May 2026 as Behavioral Health Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 139
ACR-212	Macedo	Dairy Month	This resolution proclaims the month of June to be Dairy Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 190
ACR-213	Blanca Rubio	Childhood Cancer Awareness Month	This resolution designates the month of September 2026 as Childhood Cancer Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 212
ACR-214	Bryan, Bonta, Elhawary, Gipson, Jackson, McKinnor, Ransom, Sharp-Collins, Wilson	Juneteenth	This resolution recognizes June 19, 2026, as Juneteenth and urges the people of California to join in celebrating Juneteenth as a day to honor and reflect on the significant role that African Americans have played in the history of the United States and how they have enriched society through their steadfast commitment to promoting unity and equality.	Resolution Chapter 172
ACR-215	Petrie-Norris	Hypertension Awareness Month	This resolution recognizes May 2026 as Hypertension Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 147
ACR-216	Mark González, Lackey, Schultz, Wicks	Electronic Dance Music Month	This resolution declares the month of June 2026 as Electronic Dance Music Month.	Resolution Chapter 191
ACR-219	Papan	California OB-GYN Week	This resolution designates the week of May 24, 2026, to May 30, 2026, inclusive, as California OB-GYN Week.	Resolution Chapter 173
ACR-220	Nguyen	Hepatitis B Awareness Month	This resolution, in order to support ongoing public education and to encourage vaccination, screening, and linkage to care, declares June 2026 as Hepatitis B Awareness Month in California in alignment with national and global awareness activities, and encourages state agencies, local health jurisdictions, community-based organizations, health care providers, and other stakeholders to observe this month with appropriate educational and outreach activities focused on hepatitis B prevention, testing, treatment, and health equity.	Resolution Chapter 174
ACR-221	Garcia	Sudden cardiac arrest: student athletes	This resolution recognizes that sudden cardiac arrest is a critical issue facing student athletes and supports the important work nonprofit organizations are doing to raise awareness of sudden cardiac arrest,	Resolution Chapter 214

			increase preventative screenings, and reduce the number of cases.	
ACR-222	Michelle Rodriguez	Alzheimer's Disease and Brain Awareness Month	This resolution declares the month of June 2026 as Alzheimer's Disease and Brain Awareness Month, and urges all Californians to commemorate the month of June 2026 as Alzheimer's Disease and Brain Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 175
ACR-223	Rogers	"Parks Make Life Better!®" Month	This resolution recognizes the importance of access to local and state parks, trails, open space, and facilities for the health, wellness, development, inspiration, and safety of all Californians and would declare the month of July 2026 as "Parks Make Life Better!®" Month.	Resolution Chapter 176
ACR-224	Dixon, Bauer-Kahan	Social Media Harms Victim Remembrance Day	This resolution proclaims June 23, 2026, as Social Media Harms Victim Remembrance Day in the State of California.	Resolution Chapter 177
ACR-225	Blanca Rubio	9/11 Remembrance Flag	This resolution encourages the chief administrator of each public building or facility owned by the state, a county, or a municipality to display the 9/11 Remembrance Flag on September 11 of each year and to prescribe procedures necessary for its display. The measure declares that any public official or chief administrator of a public building or facility may accept a donation of one or more 9/11 Remembrance Flags for the purpose of display at a public building or facility owned by the state, a county, or a municipality.	Resolution Chapter 192
ACR-226	Wilson	Black Girl Joy Day	This resolution designates August 10, 2026, and August 10 of each subsequent year thereafter, as Black Girl Joy Day and encourages all Californians to join in celebrating Black Girl Joy Day.	Resolution Chapter 193
ACR-227	Sharp-Collins	Black Women's Equal Pay Day	This resolution proclaims July 21, 2026, as Black Women's Equal Pay Day in recognition of the need to eliminate the gender gap in earnings by African American women and to promote policies to ensure equal pay for all.	Resolution Chapter 194
ACR-230	Schiavo	California Firefighter Appreciation Month and California Firefighters Memorial Day	This resolution proclaims the month of October 2026 as California Firefighter Appreciation Month and October 3, 2026, as California Firefighters Memorial Day.	Resolution Chapter 215
ACR-231	Addis	Coastal Stewardship Day	This resolution proclaims August 10, 2026, as Coastal Stewardship Day in California.	Resolution Chapter 216
ACR-232	Harabedian	Direct Support Professional Recognition Week.	This resolution declares the week of September 13 to September 19, 2026, inclusive, as Direct Support Professional Recognition Week in California	Resolution Chapter 217
ACR-233	Sharp-Collins	Sepsis Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims September 2026 as Sepsis Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 218

ACR-234	Aguiar-Curry	California Wine Month	This resolution proclaims the month of September 2026 as California Wine Month.	Resolution Chapter 219
SCR-7	Niello	Permanent standard time	This resolution proclaims that the Legislature acknowledges the health benefits of permanent standard time.	Resolution Chapter 178
SCR-106	Choi	Korean American Day	This resolution recognizes January 13, 2026, as Korean American Day.	Resolution Chapter 2
SCR-107	Richardson	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	This resolution (1) honors the late civil rights pioneer Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and (2) commemorates Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.	Resolution Chapter 3
SCR-109	Grove	National Mentorship Month: Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central California	This resolution proclaims the month of January 2026 as National Mentorship Month in recognition of the commitment to mentorship by the Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central California.	Resolution Chapter 12
SCR-110	Grove	Women's Military History Week	This resolution (1) recognizes "Women Warriors" by proclaiming the week of March 16, 2026, to March 22, 2026, inclusive, as Women's Military History Week in California; (2) recognizes the hard-fought contributions of women to the military and freedom; and (3) encourages Californians to honor the courageous sacrifices that women have made since the historic lifting of the ban on women in combat on January 24, 2013.	Resolution Chapter 24
SCR-111	Niello	Certified public accountants: 125th anniversary	This resolution (1) commemorates, recognizes, and celebrates the 125th anniversary of the certified public accountant profession; (2) commends the California Board of Accountancy for its commitment to consumer protection and professional excellence; and (3) honors the many certified public accountants who have contributed to California's economic strength, public accountability, and community well-being.	Resolution Chapter 15
SCR-112	Grove	National Human Trafficking Awareness Month	This resolution recognizes the month of January 2026 as National Human Trafficking Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 128
SCR-113	Grove	Gold Star Mothers' and Families' Day	This resolution proclaims September 27, 2026, as Gold Star Mothers' and Families' Day in California.	Resolution Chapter 160
SCR-114	Grove	National Surveyors Week	This resolution proclaims March 15, 2026, through March 21, 2026, as National Surveyors Week.	Resolution Chapter 25
SCR-115	Dahle	Wear Red Day	This resolution recognizes February 6, 2026, as Wear Red Day in California.	Resolution Chapter 13
SCR-120	Grayson	National Consumer Protection Week: Slam the Scam Day	This resolution (1) proclaims March 1, 2026, to March 7, 2026, inclusive, as National Consumer Protection Week, and March 5, 2026, as Slam the Scam Day, and (2) encourages all Californians to engage in consumer education efforts and to utilize available resources to	Resolution Chapter 21

			prevent fraud, protect personal information, and promote transparency and fairness in the marketplace.	
SCR-122	Weber Pierson, Richardson, Smallwood-Cuevas	Black History Month	This resolution (1) recognizes February 2026 as the centennial anniversary of Black History Month; (2) urges all citizens to join in celebrating the accomplishments of African Americans during Black History Month; (3) encourages the people of California to recognize the many talents of African Americans and the achievements and contributions they make to their communities to create equity and equality for education, economics, and social justice; (4) recognizes the significance in protecting the fundamental human rights enshrined in the United States Constitution and its Amendments, the United States Bill of Rights, and the California Constitution, as specified; (5) affirms the commitment of the Legislature all people are equal and shall be treated with respect and dignity and shall enjoy the equal application of the law for which the Legislature has been entrusted.	Resolution Chapter 14
SCR-123	Umberg	California Peace Officers' Memorial Day	This resolution proclaims Monday, May 4, 2026, as California Peace Officers' Memorial Day.	Resolution Chapter 69
SCR-125	Wahab	Ramadan	This resolution (1) acknowledges the Muslim holy month of Ramadan; and (2) expresses the Legislature's deepest respect to Muslims across California and throughout the world on this significant occasion.	Resolution Chapter 20
SCR-126	Grove	Special Olympics Day	This resolution (1) proclaims March 9, 2026, as Special Olympics Day in California, and (2) congratulates Team NorCal and Team SoCal for their accomplishments thus far and wishes them success in the 2026 Special Olympics USA Games.	Resolution Chapter 22
SCR-127	Allen, Wahab	Multifaith Heritage Month	This resolution (1) designates the month of December each year as Multifaith Heritage Month; and (2) encourages residents of California to join in fostering a community grounded in mutual respect, understanding, and harmony among diverse faiths and cultures.	Resolution Chapter 26
SCR-128	Pérez	High School Voter Education Weeks	This resolution (1) declares Monday, April 13, 2026, to Friday, April 24, 2026, inclusive, as High School Voter Education Weeks; (2) strongly encourages local educational agencies to dedicate at least one of those two weeks to educating pupils in grades 9 to 12, inclusive, on the electoral process, as provided; (3) encourages local educational agencies to provide digital and physical resources necessary to provide this instruction; and (4) encourages the governing boards or bodies of local educational agencies to contract with third-party nonprofit organizations, as provided, to accomplish this instruction.	Resolution Chapter 70
SCR-130	Grove	Child Abuse	This resolution acknowledges April 2026 as Child Abuse Prevention	Resolution

		Prevention Month	Month.	Chapter 71
SCR-132	Ochoa Bogh	California STEAM Robotics Day	This measure proclaims March 22, 2026, as California STEAM Robotics Day.	Resolution Chapter 30
SCR-133	Grayson, Wahab	California Down Syndrome Awareness Month and California Down Syndrome Awareness Day	This resolution states that March 2026 is proclaimed California Down Syndrome Awareness Month, and March 21, 2026, is proclaimed California Down Syndrome Day.	Resolution Chapter 27
SCR-134	Wahab	Nowroz	This resolution (1) celebrates March 21, 2026, as the beginning of the Persian New Year and (2) extends best wishes for a peaceful and prosperous Nowroz to all Californians.	Resolution Chapter 28
SCR-135	Laird	Peace Corps Week	This resolution proclaims March 1, 2026, to March 7, 2026, inclusive, as Peace Corps Week, in recognition of the 65th anniversary of the establishment of the United States Peace Corps, as provided.	Resolution Chapter 23
SCR-136	Laird	California Coastal Act of 1976	This resolution acknowledges and celebrates 50 years of coastal protection and affirms the state's longstanding commitment to protecting its coastal waters, as specified.	Resolution Chapter 161
SCR-137	Ashby	Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg Day	This resolution honors the life and legacy of Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg and proclaims March 15, 2026, as Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg Day, a day of remembrance and education to ensure that all Californians always honor and remember a vibrant guardian of equality for all.	Resolution Chapter 97
SCR-138	Ashby	Architecture Week	This resolution (1) recognizes the week of April 12, 2026, to April 18, 2026, inclusive, as Architecture Week in California; and (2) commends the architectural professionals whose work shapes the spaces that define our daily lives.	Resolution Chapter 49
SCR-139	Wahab	Afghan American Heritage Month	This resolution (1) proclaims the month of March 2026 as Afghan American Heritage Month; (2) recognizes Afghan Americans as an essential part of cultural and civic life of this state.	Resolution Chapter 29
SCR-140	Wiener	Parkinson's Disease Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims the month of April 2026 as Parkinson's Disease Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 55
SCR-141	Wahab	Women's Equal Pay Day	This resolution recognizes March 26, 2026, as Women's Equal Pay Day in California, in recognition of the need to eliminate the gender gap in earnings by women and to promote policies to ensure equal pay for all.	Resolution Chapter 31
SCR-142	Becker	March4Water Month	This resolution declares the month of March 2026 to be March4Water Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 197
SCR-143	Umberg	Hmong Laotian Special Guerilla Unit	This resolution honors and celebrates Hmong Laotian Special Guerilla Unit veterans and their families and recognizes their sacrifice.	Resolution Chapter 141

		veterans		
SCR-144	Seyarto	Crime Victims' Rights Week	This resolution recognizes April 19, 2026, to April 25, 2026, inclusive, as Crime Victims' Rights Week.	Resolution Chapter 74
SCR-146	Laird	Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims the month of May 2026 as Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 75
SCR-147	Allen	Arts Education Month	This resolution (1) proclaims March 2026 as Arts Education Month; (2) urges all residents to become interested in and give full support to quality arts education programs for children and youth.	Resolution Chapter 32
SCR-148	Padilla	GM1 Gangliosidosis Awareness Day	This resolution declares May 23, 2026, as GM1 Gangliosidosis Awareness Day in California.	Resolution Chapter 76
SCR-149	Valladares	World Autism Awareness Day	This resolution designates April 2, 2026, as World Autism Awareness Day in California.	Resolution Chapter 56
SCR-150	Choi	National Librarian Day	This resolution recognizes April 16 as National Librarian Day in California.	Resolution Chapter 57
SCR-151	Umberg	Anterior Cruciate Ligament Injury Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims the month of May 2026 as Anterior Cruciate Ligament Injury Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 87
SCR-152	Reyes	Dolores Huerta Day	This resolution (1) proclaims April 10, 2026, as Dolores Huerta Day in California; and (2) encourages all public schools and educational institutions to conduct exercises remembering her, recognizing her accomplishments, and familiarizing pupils with her contributions to California.	Resolution Chapter 180
SCR-154	Umberg	Green Star Veterans and Families Day	This resolution designates May 4, 2026, as Green Star Veterans and Families Day.	Resolution Chapter 77
SCR-156	Dahle	National Stroke Awareness Month	This resolution declares the month of May 2026 as National Stroke Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 83
SCR-157	Cortese	School Bus Drivers' Day	This resolution designates April 28, 2026, as School Bus Drivers' Day in California, in order to draw special public attention to school bus drivers for their continued and excellent services to pupils in California.	Resolution Chapter 72
SCR-158	Allen	Arts, Culture, and Creativity Month and the 50th Anniversary of the California Arts Council	This resolution encourages all Californians to deepen support for arts in our schools and uplift and expand opportunities in our creative workforce.	Resolution Chapter 66
SCR-159	Alvarado-Gil	California Rodeo Appreciation Month	This resolution designates the month of April as California Rodeo Appreciation Month.	Resolution Chapter 67
SCR-161	Weber Pierson	Maternal Mental Health Awareness	This resolution proclaims May 2026 as Maternal Mental Health Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 73

		Month		
SCR-162	Umberg	CASA Appreciation Day	This resolution declares May 7, 2026, as CASA Appreciation Day in California.	Resolution Chapter 78
SCR-163	Ochoa Bogh	California Tourism Month	This resolution declares every May as California Tourism Month to celebrate the positive economic impact of tourism in California.	Resolution Chapter 84
SCR-164	Weber Pierson	Black Health Equity Advocacy Week	This resolution recognizes May 4, 2026, to May 8, 2026, inclusive, and every first full week of May thereafter, as Black Health Equity Advocacy Week and commend the California Black Health Network and other organizations throughout the state for their efforts to improve the health, well-being, and life expectancy of Black Californians.	Resolution Chapter 79
SCR-165	Grayson	California Wildfire Preparedness Week	This resolution designates the week of May 3 to May 9, 2026, inclusive, as California Wildfire Preparedness Week.	Resolution Chapter 80
SCR-166	Choi	Soju Day	This resolution celebrates September 20, 2026, as Soju Day in this state.	Resolution Chapter 162
SCR-167	Ochoa Bogh	Mother's Day	This resolution (1) recognizes May 10, 2026, as the 119th annual Mother's Day; (2) urges all Californians to recognize, appreciate, and be grateful for the gifts and good works of mothers on that day.	Resolution Chapter 81
SCR-168	Jones, Grayson	Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month in California	This resolution designates the month of May 2026 as Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 82
SCR-169	Gonzalez	Women's Small Business Month	This resolution (1) declares October 2026 as Women's Small Business Month; and (2) encourages all citizens to recognize the economic importance of women's small businesses in California.	Resolution Chapter 88
SCR-170	Grayson	Firefighter Mental Health Awareness Week	This resolution proclaims the week of May 25 to May 29, inclusive, as Firefighter Mental Health Awareness Week.	Resolution Chapter 85
SCR-171	McNerney	California Nonprofits Day	This resolution declares May 20, 2026, as California Nonprofits Day in recognition of the importance of nonprofit organizations to the economy and well-being of this state.	Resolution Chapter 86
SCR-172	Niello	Asthma and Allergy Awareness Month	This resolution proclaims May 2026 as Asthma and Allergy Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 89
SCR-173	Alvarado-Gil	California Fairgrounds Appreciation Month	This resolution designates the month of May 2026 as California Fairgrounds Appreciation Month in appreciation for the services provided to California by the fairgrounds and fairs in the state.	Resolution Chapter 129
SCR-174	Pérez, Wiener	The 60th anniversary of pilot regional centers	This resolution recognizes 2026 as the 60th anniversary of the pilot regional centers.	Resolution Chapter 99
SCR-175	Weber Pierson	Behavioral Health	This resolution recognizes May 2026 as Behavioral Health Awareness	Resolution

		Awareness Month	Month in California.	Chapter 90
SCR-176	Ashby	National Small Business Month	This resolution (1) affirms the important role of small businesses and workplaces as vital pathways for addressing the mental health crisis, reducing stigma, promoting early intervention, and expanding culturally responsive care; (2) recognizes May 2026 as National Small Business Month in California and encourages the people of the State of California to support small businesses; (3) recognizes the CalAsian Foundation and its members for their courage, innovation, and commitment to advancing mental health awareness, prevention, healing, and care across small business communities statewide.	Resolution Chapter 91
SCR-177	Weber Pierson	World No Tobacco Day	This resolution proclaims May 31, 2026, as World No Tobacco Day.	Resolution Chapter 92
SCR-178	Becker	Jewish American Heritage Month	This resolution (1) proclaims May 2026 as Jewish American Heritage Month in California; (2) commends the Jewish American community for its profound contributions to California's growth, innovation, and diversity; (3) states that the Legislature encourages all Californians to celebrate Jewish American Heritage Month, as specified.	Resolution Chapter 93
SCR-179	Niello	Celiac Disease Awareness Month	This resolution recognizes May 2026 as Celiac Disease Awareness Month.	Resolution Chapter 100
SCR-181	Grayson	Family Justice Center Day	This resolution proclaims June 10, 2026, as Family Justice Center Day in California.	Resolution Chapter 142
SCR-182	Seyarto	Purple Heart Day	This resolution declares August 7, 2026, as Purple Heart Day in California.	Resolution Chapter 198
SCR-183	Weber Pierson	Juneteenth	This resolution urges the people of California to join in celebrating Juneteenth as a day to honor and reflect on the significant role that African Americans have played in the history of the United States and how they have enriched society through their steadfast commitment to promoting unity and equality.	Resolution Chapter 155
SCR-184	Niello	Frontotemporal Degeneration Awareness Week	This resolution declares the week of September 28, 2026, to October 4, 2026, inclusive, as Frontotemporal Degeneration Awareness Week.	Resolution Chapter 181
SCR-185	Caballero	Probation Services Week	This resolution recognizes July 19-25, 2026, inclusive, as Probation Services Week.	Resolution Chapter 163
SCR-186	Grayson	Thriving Families CA Foundation	This resolution recognizes the Thriving Families CA Foundation's upcoming 50th anniversary.	Resolution Chapter 199
SCR-187	Ochoa Bogh	Father's Day	This resolution observes June 21, 2026, as Father's Day and recognizes the contributions of fathers and father figures.	Resolution Chapter 143
SCR-188	Pérez	Electronic Dance	This resolution declares the month of June 2026 as Electronic Dance	Resolution

		Music Month	Music Month.	Chapter 200
SCR-189	Rubio	I ♥ SGV Day	This resolution designates June 26, 2026, as I ♥ SGV Day and encourages all Californians to join in celebrating I ♥ SGV Day.	Resolution Chapter 164
SCR-190	Cabaldon	Larry Itliong Day	This resolution (1) proclaims October 25, 2026, as Larry Itliong Day in California; (2) encourages all public schools and educational institutions to conduct exercises remembering his life, recognizing his accomplishments, and familiarizing pupils with the contributions he made to California.	Resolution Chapter 182
SCR-191	Seyarto	California Emergency Preparedness Month	This resolution proclaims September 2026 as California Emergency Preparedness Month.	Resolution Chapter 201
SCR-192	Stern	Open water lifeguards	This resolution recognizes open water lifeguards as first responders, in acknowledgment of their essential role in emergency response, public safety, and drowning prevention, as provided.	Resolution Chapter 202
SCR-194	Seyarto	Service Dog Appreciation Month	This resolution proclaims September 2026 as Service Dog Appreciation Month in California.	Resolution Chapter 221
SCR-195	Reyes, Pérez	Student Financial Aid Awareness Month	This resolution (1) recognizes the month of October each year as Student Financial Aid Awareness Month; (2) declares that it is important to increase student participation in financial aid programs to ensure that students receive clear, timely, and accessible information about application requirements, deadlines, and available resources.	Resolution Chapter 203
SCR-196	Limón, Rivas	Judicial Council: 100th anniversary	This resolution commemorates the Judicial Council's 100th anniversary.	Resolution Chapter 204
SCR-197	Arreguín	California Youth Homelessness Outreach, Prevention, and Education (HOPE) Month	This resolution designates the month of November 2026 as California Youth HOPE Month.	Resolution Chapter 222

TRANSPORTATION				
AB-431	Wilson	Advanced Air Mobility Infrastructure Act	This bill requires the California Department of Transportation, in coordination with other state agencies, to establish a working group related to the implementation of Advanced Air Mobility technology in California.	Chapter 503
AB-1145	Jeff Gonzalez, Wallis	Vehicles: local regulation: Department of Transportation	This bill (1) requires the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), in reviewing a proposed ordinance or resolution submitted by a local authority to regulate traffic on a state highway, to consider the cost of the proposed ordnance or resolution compared to any possible alternative solution; (2) requires Caltrans, if they reject the proposed ordinance or resolution, to provide written reasons and justifications for the rejection to the local authority.	Chapter 511
AB-1338	Solache	Department of Transportation: transferred property: City of Lynwood	This bill requires the California Department of Transportation, upon request from the City of Lynwood, to develop and enter into an agreement with the city to transfer the deed restriction imposed on a property, as defined, to an adjacent property.	Chapter 516
AB-1588	Stefani	Vehicles: Sideshow Accountability and Community Safety Act	This bill establishes new criminal penalties for engaging in an exhibition of speed, where the violation occurred as part of a sideshow, and expands the definition of a sideshow.	Chapter 366
AB-1599	Ahrens	Public transit: California Transit Stop Registry: transit datasets	This bill (1) requires the California Department of Transportation to create the California Transit Stop Registry; (2) requires transit operators to use a unique identifier that conforms with the registry when publishing any dataset with stop information.	Chapter 269
AB-1608	Wilson	Office of the Inspector General, High-Speed Rail	This bill renames the High-Speed Rail Authority Office of the Inspector General and makes changes to strengthen the independence of the office. *VETO message: "This bill would exempt the Office of the Inspector General (Office) for the California High-Speed Rail Authority from specified state personnel and contracting requirements.* *The Office was established in 2022 to strengthen independent oversight and accountability. Earlier this year, we enhanced the Office's authority by enacting budget trailer bill language expanding the Office's ability to protect whistleblowers and safeguard sensitive investigative records while preserving transparency and accountability.* *My administration has also continued to support the Office thought*	Vetoed

			targeted actions, including a planned increase in its information technology project delegation authority. The Office should continue working with the appropriate state agencies to address its operational needs through existing processes rather than receive broad, permanent exemptions from generally applicable statewide administrative safeguards."	
AB-1614	Dixon	Vehicles: bicycles	This bill expands existing law to require that bicycle operators and passengers be properly seated when riding on Class 1 bikeways.	Chapter 40
AB-1625	Nguyen	Sacramento Regional Transit District: board compensation	This bill makes changes to the meeting compensation for the Sacramento Regional Transit District (SacRT) Board.	Chapter 58
AB-1756	Jeff Gonzalez	Off-highway vehicle recreation: City of Needles	This bill extends the sunset of an existing off-highway motor vehicle "combined use" highway pilot project in the City of Needles by five years, as specified.	Chapter 131
AB-1837	Mark González	Video imaging of parking violations	This bill extends a previously authorized pilot program that allows transit agencies to enforce parking violations in transit-only lanes and at transit stops using video images until January 1, 2034.	Chapter 900
AB-1913	Soria	Licensure: emergency equipment	This bill authorizes an employee or volunteer registered with a specified law enforcement agency to operate emergency equipment if they complete an emergency equipment training.	Chapter 133
AB-1944	Lee	Zero-emission transit buses: axle weight	This bill establishes higher axle weight limits for zero-emission transit buses, up to 25,000 pounds through 2027, with limits decreasing to 22,000 pounds by 2032.	Chapter 909
AB-2012	Hoover, Wicks	Vehicles: transportation of manufactured homes	This bill (1) makes various changes to the requirements in regards to the transport of manufactured homes, as specified; (2) requires the State Department of Housing and Community Development to convene a stakeholder working group and submit a report to the Legislature pertaining to improving efficiencies in the transport of various types of housing structures, as specified. *VETO message: "This bill would modify permitting and escort requirements for transporting manufactured homes, factory-built housing, and commercial modular structures. It also would require the Department of Housing and Community Development, in consultation with the California Department of Transportation and the California Highway Patrol, to convene a workgroup to identify opportunities to reduce transportation costs and improve safety and efficiency.* *My administration has consistently supported innovation in the building*	Vetoed

			industry and efforts to lower construction costs and increase housing production. However, moving oversized loads safely involves complex engineering, operational, and enforcement considerations. This bill would change longstanding permitting and escort requirements before the workgroup it creates has evaluated whether and how those requirements can safely be revised. *These oversized loads often extend beyond the width of a travel lane, and their safe movement requires route-specific review of one lane and shoulder widths, turning radii, bridge and overhead clearances, work zones, traffic volumes, and other changing conditions. In a state as large and geographically diverse as California, these factors can vary significantly from one segment of a route to the next, making careful review and coordination essential.* *Any changes to this framework must be carefully designed to account for the technical and safety considerations involved while providing consistent requirements and rules as oversized loads are transported across jurisdictional lines."*	
AB-2015	Wicks	Department of Transportation: third-party navigation applications: study and report	This bill requires the California Department of Transportation to conduct a pilot study and make recommendations on the impact of third-party navigation applications on roads in a particular region of the state.	Chapter 207
AB-2024	Nguyen	Outdoor advertising displays: permits: landscaped freeways: relocation agreements	This bill makes various changes to the permit application and removal / relocation processes pertaining to outdoor advertising displays (billboards) along state highways, as specified.	Chapter 208
AB-2168	Wicks	Active Transportation Program: guidelines	This bill (1) directs the California Transportation Commission to establish penalties for failure to use Active Transportation Program (ATP) funds in a timely manner; (2) clarifies ATP eligibility criteria related to projects that provide access to transit; (3) expands the goals of ATP to include increasing the proportion of trips accomplished by accessing public transit.	Chapter 210
AB-2307	Sanchez	Transportation: traffic signal synchronization pilot program: Western Riverside Council of	This bill authorizes the Western Riverside Council of Governments, in coordination with the California Department of Transportation, to establish and administer a traffic signal synchronization pilot program until January 1, 2032.	Chapter 140

		Governments		
AB-2329	Fong	Surplus residential property: condition-adjusted price of the fair market value: Cities of Pasadena and South Pasadena	This bill makes various changes to the Roberti Act to facilitate the sale of properties owned by the State Department of Transportation along a specific portion of the State Route 710 corridor, as specified.	Chapter 937
AB-2346	Wilson, Berman	Vehicles: electric bicycles and speed limits	This bill (1) requires sellers and distributors of electric bicycles (e-bikes) to provide informational disclosures to consumers at or before the point of sale and imposes new equipment requirements on e-bikes, as specified; (2) grants local authorities more flexibility to set speed limits on bike paths and trails, as specified, and sets a 10 miles per hour statewide speed limit on sidewalks.	Chapter 842
AB-2372	Hoover	Vehicles: tolls	This bill provides that any privately owned or operated ambulances licensed by the California Highway Patrol to operate in response to emergency calls may be exempt from paying a toll on a vehicular crossing, toll highway, or high-occupancy toll lane.	Chapter 300
AB-2437	Chen	Impounded vehicles	This bill requires an impound agency to accept a debit card as a form of payment and prohibits them from requiring the presentation of any documents other than those listed in statute to release a vehicle.	Chapter 942
AB-2453	Michelle Rodriguez, Davies	Vehicles: off-highway motor vehicles	This bill authorizes a first responder to operate an off-highway motor vehicle on a highway under certain conditions, as specified.	Chapter 400
AB-2541	Mark González	Specialized license plates: The Lowrider	This bill requires the California Arts Council to apply to the Department of Motor Vehicles to sponsor “The Lowrider” specialized license plate.	Chapter 243
AB-2595	Papan	San Mateo Electric Bicycle Safety Pilot Program	This bill establishes an electric bicycle enforcement pilot program in the County of San Mateo allowing the county or local authorities to prohibit a person under 12 years of age from operating a class 1 or class 2 electric bicycle until January 1, 2031.	Chapter 843
AB-2717	Caloza	Outdoor advertising displays: arenas: exemptions	This bill extends, commencing January 1, 2028, a previously issued authorization for outdoor advertising displays for designated professional sports arenas, as defined, until January 1, 2032, as specified. *VETO message: “This bill would extend through January 1, 2032, an exemption under the Outdoor Advertising Act allowing certain professional sports arenas built or under construction by January 1, 2027, to receive approval for new advertising displays that would otherwise be prohibited under state law.*	Vetoed

			I recognize that revenue generated by these displays can support sports and entertainment venues and provide local economic benefits. However, I vetoed a similar measure in 2022 after the Federal Highway Administration notified Caltrans that existing arena billboards did not comply with federal law and that exemptions in state law did not provide the department with the ability to maintain effective control of outdoor advertising. *Those compliance risks remain, and state exemptions do not relieve California of its federal obligations. Failure to maintain effective control of our outdoor advertising could jeopardize 10% of the state's federal highway funding – currently estimated at up to $580 million annually.* *As stated in my 2022 veto message, I continue to support modernizing federal requirements and encourage proponents of this legislation to pursue those changes at the federal level."*	
AB-2761	Petrie-Norris	Vehicles: crash data	This bill requires the California Highway Patrol to develop and make available to all law enforcement agencies an electronic reporting system for reporting vehicle crashes.	Chapter 964
AB-2788	Committee on Transportation	Transportation: omnibus bill	This bill makes technical, non-substantial changes to sections of law relating to transportation.	Chapter 223
ACR-71	Kalra	Little Saigon Freeway	This resolution designates the portion of State Route 101, from Story Road, at postmile 34.224, to the junction with State Highway Route 280 and State Highway Route 680, at postmile 34.873, in the County of Santa Clara, as the Little Saigon Freeway.	Resolution Chapter 4
ACR-81	DeMaio	Border Patrol Agent Daniel H. Salazar Memorial Highway	This bill designates the portion of State Route 94 from Potrero Valley Road to Bell Valley Truck Trail in the County of San Diego as the Border Patrol Agent Daniel H. Salazar Memorial Highway, as specified.	Resolution Chapter 50
ACR-96	Rogers	Assembly Member Patty Berg Memorial Highway	This resolution designates a specified portion of State Route 101 in the County of Humboldt as the Assembly Member Patty Berg Memorial Highway.	Resolution Chapter 51
ACR-97	Rogers	Charlie Barra Memorial Bridge	This resolution designates the Russian River Bridge and Overhead on State Route 20, in the County of Mendocino, as the Charlie Barra Memorial Bridge.	Resolution Chapter 52
ACR-101	Addis	James Dean Memorial Highway	This resolution designates the portion of State Highway Route 46 in the County of San Luis Obispo from Cholame to Antelope Road as the James Dean Memorial Highway.	Resolution Chapter 53
ACR-109	Arambula	Officer Gonzalo Carrasco, Jr.,	This bill designates the portion of State Route 43 in the City of Selma as the Officer Gonzalo Carrasco Jr. Memorial Highway, as specified.	Resolution Chapter 54

		Memorial Highway		
ACR-126	Tangipa	Captain Vidar Anderson Memorial Highway	This resolution designates a specified portion of State Highway Route 395 in the County of Mono as the Captain Vidar Anderson Memorial Highway.	Resolution Chapter 156
ACR-137	Ransom, Flora	San Joaquin County Deputy Sheriff Dighton Little Memorial Highway	This resolution designates the portion of State Route 99 from the East Hammer Lane overpass, at postmile 22.922, to the Armstrong Road overpass, at postmile 27.504, in the County of San Joaquin, as the San Joaquin County Deputy Sheriff Dighton Little Memorial Highway.	Resolution Chapter 133
ACR-142	Ransom, Flora	San Joaquin County Sheriff's Deputies Floyd and Michael Coleman Memorial Highway	This resolution designates a section of State Route 120 from South Van Allen Road to North Ripon road in the County of San Joaquin as the "San Joaquin County Sheriff's Deputies Floyd and Michael Coleman Memorial Highway".	Resolution Chapter 134
ACR-162	Hadwick	Congressman Doug LaMalfa Memorial Highway	This resolution designates a specified portion of State Route 99 in Butte County, as the Congressman Doug LaMalfa Memorial Highway, as specified.	Resolution Chapter 208
ACR-169	DeMaio	The United States Navy Sailor Noah Tobin Memorial Overcrossing	This resolution designates a specified overcrossing on State Route 15 in the County of San Diego as the United States Navy Sailor Noah Tobin Memorial Highway.	Resolution Chapter 140
ACR-218	Ramos	The Huuc Atam Highway	This resolution designates a section of State Route 18 from the junction with State Route 210 to Old Waterman Canyon Road in the County of San Bernardino as the Huuc Atam Highway.	Resolution Chapter 213
SB-607	Wiener	Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transportation District: contributions and loans	This bill authorizes the Golden Gate Bridge, Highway, and Transportation District to accept contributions and loans from the state and the United States for the purpose of financing capital improvements related to seismic safety on the Golden Gate Bridge, as specified.	Chapter 972
SB-661	Hurtado	Airports: financial assistance	This bill transfers from the General Fund, the Local Public Safety Fund, and the Local Revenue Fund to the Aeronautics Account in the State Transportation Account certain revenues derived from the imposition of state sales and use tax on jet fuel and dedicates those revenues to specified airports and aviation-related purposes. *VETO Message: "This bill would redirect state sales and use tax revenue attributable to jet fuel from the General Fund, Local Public Safety Fund, and Local Revenue Fund to the Aeronautics Account and establish a new formula for distributing those funds to airports and aviation-related programs as an alternative mechanism for complying*	Vetoed

			with the Federal Aviation Administration's Airport Revenue Use Policy. For more than a decade, California has worked with the FAA across successive federal administrations using an offsetting-expenditure methodology that the FAA has described as a "good overall methodology." Federal law does not prescribe the revenue-distribution formula established by this bill. California instead demonstrates compliance by documenting eligible airport and aviation expenditures that equal or exceed covered jet fuel tax revenue. *In March, the Department of Finance provided the FAA with information identifying nearly $2.3 billion in state expenditures supporting airports and aviation programs from 2020–21 through 2025–26 — more than 10 times the approximately $226 million in covered revenue collected during that period. The identified expenditures exceeded covered revenue in every fiscal year.* *This measure would establish a permanent fiscal commitment that goes far beyond what federal law requires. It would redirect tens of millions of dollars annually from the General Fund and critical realignment funds that support local public safety, health, mental health, and social services. It is critical to evaluate a permanent new revenue commitment of this magnitude in the context of the substantial funding airports already receive through other state programs.* *The bill also raises serious constitutional concerns. A portion of the revenue it would redirect is deposited into the Local Public Safety Fund pursuant to Proposition 172 and is constitutionally dedicated to local public-safety services. Redirecting that revenue to a statewide aviation account for purposes not limited to local public safety is inconsistent with that voter-enacted provision of California's Constitution and would diminish resources available for essential public safety services.* *Any proposal to permanently redirect these revenues should be based on a demonstrated need for statutory change and considered through the annual budget process alongside other state and local priorities."*	
SB-741	Blakespear	Low Carbon Transit Operations Program.	This bill (1) clarifies how transit agencies may spend funds received under the Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP); (2) repeals the requirement for transit agencies to demonstrate how funds reduce greenhouse gas emissions; and (3) generally streamlines the LCTOP program.	Chapter 247

SB-897	Choi	Vehicles: abandoned vehicles	This bill authorizes the City of Laguna Woods to use unspent abandoned vehicle abatement fees to broadly enforce provisions of the Vehicle Code.	Chapter 126
SB-990	Grove	Highways: exit information	This bill allows the California Department of Transportation to place signs along State Route 395 near the City of Ridgecrest as part of its Specific Services Sign Program.	Chapter 226
SB-1029	Seyarto	Vehicle lien sales: proceeds	This bill requires the Department of Motor Vehicles, after three years, to transfer unclaimed funds from the lien sale of a vehicle from the Motor Vehicle Account to the Controller, and for the Controller to treat the funds as escheated property starting January 1, 2030. *VETO Message: "This bill would require the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV), after the existing three-year claim period, to transfer unclaimed proceeds from vehicle lien sales to the State Controller's Office for administration under the Unclaimed Property Law.* *I support the author's goal of helping vehicle owners recover excess proceeds that rightfully belong to them. However, this bill divides responsibility between two state agencies without establishing a clear process for verifying ownership, resolving claims, or making final eligibility determinations.* *The DMV has already taken an important step to help vehicle owners recover these proceeds by establishing an online lookup tool. Future efforts should build upon that work by clearly defining how claims will be verified and administered before responsibility for the funds is transferred. As written, this measure would impose additional administrative costs on the Motor Vehicle Account resources that are needed to sustain core DMV and CHP operations, without demonstrating that more funds would reach their rightful owners."*	Vetoed
SB-1167	Blakespear	Vehicles: electric bicycles	This bill (1) revises the definitions of electric bicycles (e-bikes), motor-driven cycles, and mopeds; (2) updates the labeling and disclosure requirements for manufacturers and sellers of these devices; (3) prohibits noncompliant vehicles from being advertised as e-bikes; (4) establishes new operational and safety requirements; and (5) imposes additional reporting requirements on law enforcement, among other things.	Chapter 846
SB-1218	Arreguín	Vehicle	This bill authorizes a peace officer to immobilize a vehicle if the	Chapter 425

		immobilization: illegal dumping violation penalties	registered owner has unpaid illegal dumping citations or failure to appear notices for illegal dumping.	
SB-1228	Rubio	Advertising displays: exemptions: arenas and redevelopment agency projects	This bill (1) provides a process for an advertising display located within the boundaries of a former redevelopment agency project to obtain a new permit and remain in place, as specified; (2) modifies the Outdoor Advertising Act to provide a specific exemption for the Los Angeles Convention Center.	Chapter 686
SB-1246	Cortese	Autonomous vehicles	This bill provides a number of requirements for autonomous vehicle (AV) operators pertaining to remote assistants, drivers, and local incident technicians, and further provides requirements relating to emergency response procedures involving AVs, as specified.	Chapter 1021
SB-1250	Cortese	State highway system: wildlife connectivity	This bill requires the State Department of Transportation (Caltrans) to publish a supplemental list of wildlife connectivity improvements to the state highway system (SHS), as specified. Further requires Caltrans, in consultation with the Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) to develop a comprehensive approach to address wildlife connectivity needs on the SHS.	Chapter 821
SB-1279	Gonzalez	Speed safety systems	This bill authorizes the City of Long Beach to have two additional automated speed enforcement cameras on the Pacific Coast Highway as part of the Speed Safety System Pilot Program established by AB 645 (Friedman, Chapter 808, Statutes of 2023).	Chapter 689
SB-1324	Blakespear	Passenger and freight rail: LOSSAN Rail Corridor: working group report	This bill extends the deadline for the report from the Los Angeles-San Diego-San Luis Obispo Rail Corridor working group on consensus recommendations relating to service in the corridor from February 1, 2026, to February 1, 2027.	Chapter 158
SB-1392	Cortese, Grove	Smog check: exemption: collector motor vehicles	This bill exempts "collector motor vehicles", as defined, that are model years that are at least 35 years or older from smog check requirements, as specified.	Chapter 245
SB-1408	Arreguín	Contra Costa Transportation Authority: transactions and use tax	This bill authorizes, until January 1, 2045, the Contra Costa Transportation Authority to impose or extend a transactions and use tax, as specified, for the support of countywide transportation programs at up to 1% even if it exceeds the combined countywide rate limit of 2%.	Chapter 401
SB-1425	Cortese	High-Speed Rail Authority: property: operating right-of-way	This bill (1) authorizes the California High-Speed Rail Authority to issue encroachment permits for activities on its operating right-of-way; (2) establishes a process for issuing such permits; (3) makes any person	Chapter 713

			who damages the high-speed train system or any portion of the Authority's right-of-way guilty of a misdemeanor.	
SCR-108	Archuleta	Deputy David Piquette Memorial Highway	This resolution designates a section of State Route (SR) 91 between the SR 90 junction and Weir Canyon Road in the County of Orange as the "Deputy David Piquette Memorial Highway".	Resolution Chapter 179
SCR-117	Dahle	John Hughes Memorial Bridge	This bill designates the Butte City Bridge on State Route 162 in Glenn County, as the John Hughes Memorial Bridge, as specified.	Resolution Chapter 150
SCR-119	Dahle	Gordon Lee Bordsen Memorial Highway	This resolution would designate a specified portion of State Route 20 in the County of Sutter as the "Gordon Lee Bordsen Memorial Highway."	Resolution Chapter 151
SCR-121	Dahle	The Purple Heart Community	This resolution designates the portion of State Route 162, from postmile 065.381 to postmile 066.792, in the County of Glenn as the Purple Heart Community.	Resolution Chapter 152
SCR-129	Cortese	Rusty Areias Highway	This bill designates the portion of State Route 152 from Cedar Creek BR# 37-30R/L to Sidehill Viaduct BR# 37-398 in the County of Santa Clara as the "Rusty Areias Highway," as specified.	Resolution Chapter 196
SCR-155	Jones	Officer Kirk Leland Johnson Memorial Interchange	This resolution designates the interchange at State Route 52 and Interstate 805 in the County of San Diego, as the Officer Kirk Leland Johnson Memorial Interchange.	Resolution Chapter 154
SJR-16	Caballero	Vehicles: commercial driver's license revocation	This resolution urges the United States Congress and the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration to reevaluate certain regulations pertaining to commercial driver's licenses, as specified.	Resolution Chapter 206