

AEG Bills Pending Review Report
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[AB 307](#) (Mathis R) Graywater: groundwater recharge.

Introduced: 2/12/2015

Status: 2/13/2015-From printer. May be heard in committee March 15.

Location: 2/12/2015-A. PRINT

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Summary: Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to explicitly permit the usage of residential, commercial, and industrial graywater for the recharge of a groundwater basin or aquifer.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/23/2015 I-2/12/2015 to: AEG

[AB 308](#) (Mathis R) Graywater: agricultural use.

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Summary: Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to explicitly permit incorporated and unincorporated communities to sell graywater for agricultural purposes and agriculture to use graywater for agricultural purposes.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/23/2015 I-2/12/2015 to: AEG

[AB 311](#) (Gallagher R) Environmental quality: Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014.

Introduced: 2/12/2015

Last Amend: 3/17/2015

Status: 3/23/2015-Action From NAT. RES.: Failed passage Reconsideration granted.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: Would require a public agency, in certifying a environmental impact report and in granting approvals for specified water storage projects funded, in whole or in part, by Proposition 1, to comply with specified procedures. Because a public agency would be required to comply with those new procedures, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program. The bill would authorize the public agency to concurrently prepare the record of proceedings for the project. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/23/2015 I-2/12/2015 to: AEG

[AB 452](#) (Bigelow R) Water Rights Fund: Groundwater Regulation Subaccount.

Introduced: 2/23/2015

Status: 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on W., P., & W.

Location: 3/5/2015-A. *UNKNOWN

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Calendar: 4/14/2015 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS AT 9 A.M.: GROUNDWATER BILLS ASSEMBLY WATER, PARKS, AND WILDLIFE SPECIAL ORDER, LEVINE, Chair

Summary: Would establish the Groundwater Regulation Subaccount in the Water Rights Fund and would provide that moneys in the subaccount are available, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to the State Water Resources Control Board for the purpose of board enforcement of the provisions of the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/25/2015 I-2/23/2015 to: AEG

AB 453 (Bigelow R) Groundwater management.

Introduced: 2/23/2015

Status: 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on W., P., & W.

Location: 3/5/2015-A. *UNKNOWN

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Calendar: 4/14/2015 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS AT 9 A.M.: GROUNDWATER BILLS ASSEMBLY WATER, PARKS, AND WILDLIFE SPECIAL ORDER, LEVINE, Chair

Summary: Would authorize, until a groundwater sustainability plan is adopted, a local agency to amend an existing groundwater management plan in furtherance of, and consistent with, the groundwater management plan's objectives.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/25/2015 I-2/23/2015 to: AEG

AB 454 (Bigelow R) Sustainable groundwater management.

Introduced: 2/23/2015

Status: 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on W., P., & W.

Location: 3/5/2015-A. *UNKNOWN

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Summary: Would require a high- or medium-priority basin that is not subject to critical conditions of overdraft to be managed under a groundwater sustainability plan or coordinated groundwater sustainability plan by January 31, 2023. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/25/2015 I-2/23/2015 to: AEG

AB 455 (Bigelow R) Groundwater sustainability plans: environmental impact reports.

Introduced: 2/23/2015

Status: 3/5/2015-Referred to Coms. on W., P., & W. and NAT. RES.

Location: 3/5/2015-A. W.,P. & W.

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Calendar: 4/14/2015 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS AT 9 A.M.: GROUNDWATER BILLS ASSEMBLY WATER, PARKS, AND WILDLIFE SPECIAL ORDER, LEVINE, Chair

Summary: Would require the Judicial Council, on or before July 1, 2016, to adopt a rule of court to establish procedures applicable to actions or proceedings brought to attack, review, set aside, void, or annul the certification of an EIR for projects covered by a groundwater sustainability plan that require the actions or proceedings be resolved within 270 days of certification of the record of proceeding. The bill would also prohibit the court from staying or enjoining the construction or operation of the project unless the court makes a certain finding. This bill contains other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/25/2015 I-2/23/2015 to: AEG

AB 615 (Rendon D) The Center for Community Water Projects.

Introduced: 2/24/2015

Status: 3/9/2015-Referred to Com. on W., P., & W.

Location: 3/9/2015-A. W.,P. & W.

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Summary: Would establish The Center for Community Water Projects, to be administered by the Division of Financial Assistance within the State Water Resources Control Board. The bill would declare the purpose of the center is to provide a centralized, multidisciplinary technical assistance program for disadvantaged communities and to assist those communities in designing and building clean and sustainable water projects.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/24/2015 to: AEG

[AB 641](#) (Mayes R) Environmental quality: housing developments.

Introduced: 2/24/2015

Last Amend: 3/26/2015

Status: 4/6/2015-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 4/6/2015-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: Would require the Judicial Council, on or before July 1, 2016, to adopt a rule of court to establish procedures applicable to actions or proceedings seeking judicial review of a public agency's action in certifying the environmental impact report and in granting approval for housing developments, as defined. The procedures would require the actions or proceedings, including any appeals therefrom, to be resolved, to the extent feasible, within 270 days of the certification of the record of proceedings. The bill would prohibit a court from staying or enjoining those housing developments unless it makes specified findings.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/24/2015 to: AEG

[AB 647](#) (Eggman D) Beneficial use: diversion of water underground.

Introduced: 2/24/2015

Status: 3/9/2015-Referred to Com. on W., P., & W.

Location: 3/9/2015-A. *UNKNOWN

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Summary: Would declare that the diversion of water underground constitutes a beneficial use of water for which an appropriation may be made if the diverted water is stored and thereafter applied to beneficial use or if beneficial use of the water, including, but not limited to, protection of water quality or recovery of groundwater levels, is made while the water is underground. This bill would provide that the period for the reversion of a water right does not apply to water being beneficially used in the aquifer or being held in storage for later beneficial use.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/24/2015 to: AEG

[AB 747](#) (Eggman D) Planning and land use: Sacramento-San Joaquin Valley.

Introduced: 2/25/2015

Status: 3/12/2015-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 3/12/2015-A. L. GOV.

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Calendar: 4/15/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LOCAL GOVERNMENT, MAIENSCHIN, Chair

Summary: Would prohibit a city or county within the Sacramento-San Joaquin Valley from approving a discretionary permit or entitlement that would result in the construction of a new building or construction that would result in an increase in allowed occupancy for an existing building for a project that is located within a flood hazard zone unless the city or county finds that the construction meets specified criteria. This bill contains other related provisions.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/25/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1034](#) (Obornolte R) Surface mining and reclamation plans: exemption.

Introduced: 2/26/2015

Status: 4/6/2015-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

Location: 3/19/2015-A. NAT. RES.

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Calendar: 4/13/2015 Anticipated Hearing ASSEMBLY NAT. RES., Not in daily file.

Summary: The Surface Mining and Reclamation Act of 1975 prohibits a person from conducting a

surface mining operation unless, among other things, a reclamation plan has been submitted to and approved by the lead agency, as defined, for the operation of the mining operation. Current law exempts certain activities from the act's requirements. This bill would additionally exempt the operation of a renewable energy generation facility, as specified, from the act's requirements.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/25/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1142](#) (Gray D) Mining and geology: surface mining.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Last Amend: 4/6/2015

Status: 4/7/2015-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 4/7/2015-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: The Surface Mining and Reclamation Act of 1975 requires the department to publish in the California Regulatory Notice Register, or otherwise make available, upon request, to the Department of General Services or any other state or local agency, a list identifying certain surface mining operations. The act, until January 1, 2019, requires this list to identify surface mining operations whose reclamation plan has been approved and is in compliance with the act, whose mining operation is in compliance with the approved reclamation plan or an order to comply, as specified, and whose mining operation has an approved financial assurance, as specified. This bill would continue indefinitely the inclusion on the list the identification of those surface mining operations.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1158](#) (Campos D) Jobs and Economic Improvement Through Environmental Leadership Act of 2011: prevailing wage.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 4/6/2015-In committee: Set, first hearing. Further hearing to be set. Re-referred to Com. on L. & E. pursuant to Assembly Rule 96.

Location: 4/6/2015-A. L. & E.

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Calendar: 4/22/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, ROGER HERNÁNDEZ, Chair

Summary: Current law assesses specified civil penalties on employers who fail to pay their employees minimum wages. This bill would specify that the above wage condition is subject to enforcement by the Division of Labor Standards Enforcement. The bill would make a project applicant who fails to pay, or fails to ensure the payment of, prevailing wages subject to the civil penalties for failure to pay minimum wages. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1171](#) (Linder R) Construction Manager/General Contractor method: regional transportation agencies: projects on expressways.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/26/2015-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. TRANS.

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Calendar: 4/20/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY TRANSPORTATION, FRAZIER, Chair

Summary: Would authorize regional transportation agencies, as defined, to use the Construction Manager/General Contractor project delivery method, as specified, to design and construct certain projects on expressways that are not on the state highway system if the projects are developed in accordance with an expenditure plan approved by voters as of January 1, 2014. The bill would require specified information provided to a regional transportation agency to be verified under oath. By expanding the scope of an existing crime, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1218](#) (Weber D) Public contracts: disabled veteran business enterprise.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/23/2015-Referred to Coms. on J., E.D., & E. and A. & A.R.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. J., E.D. & E.

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Calendar: 4/21/2015 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 127 ASSEMBLY JOBS, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, AND THE ECONOMY, EDUARDO GARCIA, Chair

Summary: Current law requires the Director of General Services to adopt written policies and guidelines establishing a uniform process for state contracting that provides a disabled veteran business enterprise participation incentive to bidders. This bill would require a greater participation incentive to be provided to a prime contractor who owns a disabled veteran business enterprise, as specified.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1242](#) (Gray D) Water quality: impacts on groundwater basins: mitigation measures.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/23/2015-Referred to Coms. on W., P., & W. and NAT. RES.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. *UNKNOWN

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Calendar: 4/14/2015 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS AT 9 A.M.: GROUNDWATER BILLS ASSEMBLY WATER, PARKS, AND WILDLIFE SPECIAL ORDER, LEVINE, Chair

Summary: Would require the State Water Resources Control Board to take into consideration any applicable groundwater sustainability plan or alternative in formulating state policy for water quality control and adopting or approving a water quality control plan that affects a groundwater basin. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1265](#) (Perea D) Transportation projects: comprehensive development lease agreements.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/23/2015-Referred to Com. on TRANS.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. TRANS.

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Calendar: 4/13/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY TRANSPORTATION, FRAZIER, Chair

Summary: Current law authorizes the Department of Transportation and regional transportation agencies to enter into comprehensive development lease agreements with public and private entities, or consortia of those entities, for certain transportation projects that may charge certain users of those projects tolls and user fees, subject to various terms and requirements. Current law provides that a lease agreement may not be entered into under these provisions on or after January 1, 2017. This bill would extend this authorization indefinitely and would delete obsolete cross-references and make technical changes to these provisions.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1274](#) (Stone, Mark D) Public lands: geological or geophysical surveys.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Last Amend: 3/26/2015

Status: 4/6/2015-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 4/6/2015-A. NAT. RES.

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Calendar: 4/13/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY NATURAL RESOURCES, WILLIAMS, Chair

Summary: Would expand specified provisions to authorize the State Lands Commission to issue permits for geological or geophysical surveys on state lands, including granted and ungranted tidelands and submerged lands, subject to terms and conditions as the commission shall specify to ensure public safety and protection of the environment, and would require the commission to adopt regulations to aid in the implementation of those provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 3/9/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1315](#) (Alejo D) Public contracts: water pollution prevention plans: delegation.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/23/2015-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. L. GOV.

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Summary: Would prohibit a public entity, charter city, or charter county from delegating to a contractor the development of a plan, as defined, used to prevent or reduce water pollution or runoff on a public works contract, except as provided. By requiring a public entity, charter city, or charter county to prepare a plan, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 3/9/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1347](#) (Chiu D) Public contracts: claims.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 4/9/2015-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. A. & A.R.

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Calendar: 4/15/2015 Anticipated Hearing ASSEMBLY A. & A.R., Not in daily file.

Summary: Would establish, for contracts entered into on or after January 1, 2016, a claim resolution process applicable to all public entity contracts. The bill would define a claim as a contractor's written demand or assertion, including a request for a modification, contract amendment, or change order, seeking an adjustment or interpretation of the terms of the contract documents, payment of money, extension of time, or other relief, including a determination of disputes or matters arising out of, or related to, the contract documents or the performance of work on a public work. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 3/9/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1358](#) (Dababneh D) School facilities: design-build contracts.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/23/2015-Referred to Com. on ED.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. ED.

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Calendar: 4/22/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 126 ASSEMBLY EDUCATION, O'DONNELL, Chair

Summary: Would instead authorize, until January 1, 2025, a school district, with the approval of the governing board of the school district, to procure design-build contracts for public works projects in excess of \$1,000,000, awarding the contract to either the low bid or the best value, as provided. The bill would require specified information to be verified under penalty of perjury. By expanding the crime of perjury, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1362](#) (Gordon D) Local government: assessments, fees, and charges: stormwater definition.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/23/2015-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. L. GOV.

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Summary: Would define "stormwater" for purposes of the Proposition 218 Omnibus Implementation Act to mean any system of public improvements or service intended to provide for the quality, conservation, control, or conveyance of waters that land on or drain across the natural or man-made landscape. This bill contains other related provisions.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1390](#) (Alejo D) Groundwater: adjudication.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Last Amend: 3/26/2015

Status: 4/6/2015-Re-referred to Com. on W., P., & W.

Location: 4/6/2015-A. *UNKNOWN

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Summary: Would establish special procedures for adjudication actions, which are defined as actions filed in superior court to determine the rights to extract groundwater within a basin or store water from a basin, as specified. The bill would authorize the court to determine all rights to groundwater in a basin whether based on appropriation, overlying right, or other basis of right. The bill would require these special procedures to govern all adjudication actions except in specified cases not involving allocation of a basin's groundwater supply.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 3/9/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1393](#) (Burke D) California Pollution Control Financing Authority.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/23/2015-Referred to Coms. on B. & F. and J., E.D., & E.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. B. & F.

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Calendar: 4/13/2015 3 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 444 ASSEMBLY BANKING AND FINANCE, DABABNEH, Chair

Summary: The California Pollution Control Financing Authority Act establishes the California Pollution Control Financing Authority, with specified powers and duties, and authorizes the authority to approve financing for projects or pollution control facilities to prevent or reduce environmental pollution. This bill would authorize the authority to lend financial assistance, including, but not limited to, grants, loans, credit enhancements, and other incentives.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1398](#) (Wilk R) Environmental quality: the Sustainable Environmental Protection Act.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/23/2015-Referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

Location: 3/23/2015-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: Would enact the Sustainable Environmental Protection Act and would specify the environmental review required pursuant to CEQA for projects related to specified environmental topical areas. The bill would provide that the Sustainable Environmental Protection Act only applies if the lead agency or project applicant has agreed to provide to the public in a readily accessible electronic format an annual compliance report prepared pursuant to the mitigation monitoring and reporting program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1420](#) (Salas D) Oil and gas: pipelines.

Introduced: 2/27/2015
Last Amend: 3/26/2015
Status: 4/6/2015-Re-referred to Com. on NAT. RES.
Location: 4/6/2015-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: Current law requires the Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources to prescribe minimum facility maintenance standards for oil and gas production facilities, including pipelines that are not under the jurisdiction of the State Fire Marshal. This bill would require the division to prioritize the identification and testing of those pipelines that are near sensitive areas.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1454](#) (Wagner R) State policy for water quality control: California Ocean Plan.

Introduced: 2/27/2015
Last Amend: 3/26/2015
Status: 4/6/2015-Re-referred to Com. on W., P., & W.
Location: 4/6/2015-A. W.,P. & W.

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Calendar: 4/28/2015 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY WATER, PARKS, AND WILDLIFE, LEVINE, Chair

Summary: The Porter-Cologne Water Quality Control Act requires the State Water Resources Control Board to formulate and adopt a water quality control plan for ocean waters of the state, which is known as the California Ocean Plan, and requires the plan to be reviewed at least every 3 years. This bill would instead require the plan to be reviewed at least every 4 years.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1487](#) (Obernoite R) Property taxation: assessment: full value.

Introduced: 2/27/2015
Status: 3/2/2015-Read first time.
Location: 2/27/2015-A. PRINT

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Summary: Current property tax law requires every assessor to assess all property subject to general property taxation at its full value. This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to that provision.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 3/9/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[AB 1490](#) (Rendon D) Oil and gas: well stimulation treatments: seismic activities.

Introduced: 2/27/2015
Status: 3/26/2015-Referred to Com. on NAT. RES.
Location: 3/26/2015-A. NAT. RES.

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Summary: Would prohibit a well operator from conducting a well stimulation treatment following the occurrence of an earthquake of magnitude 2.0 or higher on a well that is within a radius of an unspecified distance from the epicenter of the earthquake until the Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources completes a certain evaluation and is satisfied that the well stimulation treatment does not create a heightened risk of seismic activity.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[ACR 35](#) (Gonzalez D) 27th Annual State Scientist Day.

Introduced: 2/26/2015
Status: 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 3/5/2015-A. RLS.

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Summary: This measure would declare May 13, 2015, as the 27th Annual State Scientist Day, as a tribute to the dedication and professionalism of the state scientists who work on behalf of all the residents of California.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/26/2015 to: AEG

[SB 122](#)

(Jackson D) California Environmental Quality Act: record of proceedings.

Introduced: 1/15/2015

Last Amend: 3/26/2015

Status: 3/26/2015-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on E.Q.

Location: 3/26/2015-S. E.Q.

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Calendar: 4/15/2015 9:30 a.m. - Room 3191 SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY SPECIAL ORDER, WIECKOWSKI, Chair

Summary: CEQA establishes a procedure for the preparation and certification of the record of proceedings upon the filing of an action or proceeding challenging a lead agency's action on the grounds of noncompliance with CEQA. This bill would require the lead agency, at the request of a project applicant and consent of the lead agency, to prepare a record of proceedings concurrently with the preparation of a negative declaration, mitigated negative declaration, EIR, or other environmental document for projects. This bill contains other related provisions.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 1/16/2015 I-1/15/2015 to: AEG

[SB 127](#)

(Vidak R) Environmental quality: Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014.

Introduced: 1/20/2015

Status: 4/1/2015-April 15 set for first hearing canceled at the request of author.

Location: 2/5/2015-S. E.Q.

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Calendar: 4/15/2015 Anticipated Hearing SENATE E.Q., Not in daily file.

Summary: CEQA establishes a procedure by which a person may seek judicial review of the decision of the lead agency made pursuant to CEQA and a procedure for the preparation and certification of the record of proceedings upon the filing of an action or proceeding challenging a lead agency's action on the grounds of noncompliance with CEQA. This bill would require the public agency, in certifying the environmental impact report and in granting approvals for projects funded, in whole or in part, by Proposition 1, including the concurrent preparation of the record of proceedings and the certification of the record of proceeding within 5 days of the filing of a specified notice, to comply with specified procedures.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 1/21/2015 I-1/20/2015 to: AEG

[SB 379](#)

(Jackson D) Land use: general plan: safety element.

Introduced: 2/24/2015

Last Amend: 4/7/2015

Status: 4/7/2015-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on GOV. & F.

Location: 4/7/2015-S. G. & F.

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Calendar: 4/15/2015 9:30 a.m. - Room 112 SENATE GOVERNANCE AND FINANCE, HERTZBERG, Chair

Summary: Would, upon the next revision of the housing element on or after January 1, 2017, require the safety element to be reviewed and updated as necessary to address climate adaptation and resiliency strategies applicable to that city or county. The bill would require the update to include a set of goals, policies, and objectives based on a vulnerability assessment identifying the risks that climate change poses to the local jurisdiction and specified information from federal, state, regional, and local

agencies. By imposing new duties on cities and counties, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/26/2015 to: AEG

[SB 487](#) (Nielsen R) Sustainable Groundwater Management Act: California Environmental Quality Act: exemptions.

Introduced: 2/26/2015

Status: 4/10/2015-Set for hearing April 29.

Location: 3/12/2015-S. E.Q.

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Calendar: 4/29/2015 9:30 a.m. - Room 3191 SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, WIECKOWSKI, Chair

Summary: Would exempt from the requirements of CEQA the formation of a groundwater sustainability agency, the amendment of a groundwater sustainability plan or coordinated groundwater sustainability plan, and the implementation of those plans, except to the extent that the implementation requires the construction or installation of a new facility. Because a lead agency would be required to determine the applicability of this exemption, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/26/2015 to: AEG

[SB 612](#) (Jackson D) Hazardous materials.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Last Amend: 4/6/2015

Status: 4/6/2015-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on E.Q.

Location: 4/6/2015-S. E.Q.

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Calendar: 4/15/2015 9:30 a.m. - Room 3191 SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, WIECKOWSKI, Chair

Summary: Existing law requires the Secretary for Environmental Protection to implement a unified hazardous waste and hazardous materials management regulatory program. Existing law requires every county to apply to the secretary to be certified to implement the unified program and allows a city or local agency to implement the unified program as a unified program agency, or UPA. Existing law requires the Office of Emergency Services to adopt, after public hearing and consultation with the Office of the State Fire Marshal and other appropriate public entities, regulations for minimum standards for business plans and area plans, and requires all business plans and area plans to meet the standards adopted by the Office of Emergency Services. This bill would additionally require the site map to include additional map requirements required by the UPA pursuant to an ordinance. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[SB 637](#) (Allen D) Water quality: suction dredge mining: permits.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/18/2015-Set for hearing April 14.

Location: 3/12/2015-S. N.R. & W.

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Calendar: 4/14/2015 9:30 a.m. - Room 112 SENATE NATURAL RESOURCES AND WATER, PAVLEY, Chair

Summary: Would require, by July 1, 2017, the State Water Resources Control board to establish a permitting process for suction dredge mining and related mining activities in rivers and streams in the state, consistent with requirements of the state act. The bill would require that the regulations, at a minimum, address cumulative and water quality impacts of specified issues. A person who violates these regulations would be liable for an unspecified penalty.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

[SB 709](#) (Pavley D) Natural disaster resilience projects.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/19/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 3/19/2015-S. RLS.

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Summary: Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would enhance private financing of natural disaster resilience projects using state and local authorities

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

SB 710 (Galgiani D) Joint exercise of powers: financing.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/19/2015-Referred to Coms. on GOV. & F. and APPR.

Location: 3/19/2015-S. G. & F.

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Summary: Would, until January 1, 2022, authorize a joint powers authority to issue or cause to be issued bonds and enter into a loan agreement for the financing or refinancing of a project that is situated in another state, including working capital related to that project, if the project and its financing meets certain conditions. This bill would require the Legislative Analyst, on or before January 1, 2021, to prepare and submit to the Legislature a report on the issuance of those bonds and the financing of those projects.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

SB 756 (Stone R) California Environmental Quality Act.

Introduced: 2/27/2015

Status: 3/19/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 3/19/2015-S. RLS.

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Summary: Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to amend CEQA.

Position

Pending

Notes1: 2/28/2015 I-2/27/2015 to: AEG

Total Measures: 40

Total Tracking Forms: 40