



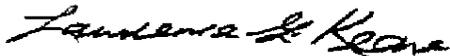
Fish & Game Commission adopt and sign Governor Brown's most recent version of the Incompatible Activities Statement pursuant to Government Code section 19990.

Government Code section 19990 prohibits state officers and employees from engaging in activities that are incompatible with their positions as state officials. In accordance with this section, each governmental agency is required to adopt its own Incompatible Activities Statement. The Incompatible Activities Statement for the Commission was most recently updated around August 12, 2013 yet since that time only one commissioner has acknowledged receipt of it.

It is the responsibility of the Commission to ensure that this policy is enforced. It is our understanding that the newest member of the Commission, Commissioner Jacque Hostler-Carmesin, is the only commissioner that has signed an acknowledgement of receiving and understanding the Commission's Incompatible Activities Statement. It seems that each and every Commissioner should abide by the same standards and requirements. Why would one Commissioner have to sign and acknowledge receipt of the statement while others are seemingly allowed to operate with glaring conflicts of interest?

Again we respectfully request that President Sutton recuse himself from involvement in the drafting of implementation regulations for AB 711. Thank you for your thorough examination of the concerns set forth in this letter.

Sincerely,



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