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[AB 52](#)

[\(Gatto D\) Native Americans: California Environmental Quality Act.](#)

Introduced: 12/21/2012

Last Amend: 8/22/2014

Status: 9/10/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 4 p.m.

Location: 9/10/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: Would specify that a project with an effect that may cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of a tribal cultural resource, as defined, is a project that may have a significant effect on the environment. The bill would require a lead agency to begin consultation with a California Native American tribe that is traditionally and culturally affiliated with the geographic area of the proposed project, if the tribe requested to the lead agency, in writing, to be informed by the lead agency of proposed projects in that geographic area and the tribe requests consultation, prior to determining whether a negative declaration, mitigated negative declaration, or environmental impact report is required for a project.

[AB 147](#)

[\(V. Manuel Pérez D\) Economic development projects.](#)

Introduced: 1/18/2013

Last Amend: 8/7/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was S. RLS. on 8/7/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Would authorize the board of directors of the California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank to enter into development and financing agreements for projects within the California-Mexico border region, as defined. The bill would authorize the bank to establish and participate in a binational financing authority to facilitate and support the economic development of communities within the border region.

[AB 148](#)

[\(V. Manuel Pérez D\) Salton Sea restoration.](#)

Introduced: 1/18/2013

Last Amend: 6/15/2014

Status: 7/16/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 124, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 7/16/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would revise language stating legislative intent regarding restoring the Salton Sea. The bill would eliminate the requirement that the secretary and the Legislature have final approval for any proposed restoration plan. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 155](#)

[\(Alejo D\) Monterey County Water Resources Agency: design-build.](#)

Introduced: 1/22/2013

Last Amend: 8/12/2014

Status: 9/10/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 4 p.m.

Location: 9/10/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: Would authorize the Monterey County Water Resources Agency to award a design-build contract for the combined design and construction of a project to connect Lake San Antonio, located in the County of Monterey, and Lake Nacimiento, located in the County of San Luis Obispo, with an underground tunnel or pipeline for the purpose of maximizing water storage, supply, and groundwater

recharge. This bill contains other related provisions.

[AB 380](#) (Dickinson D) Spill response for railroads.

Introduced: 2/14/2013

Last Amend: 8/21/2014

Status: 9/10/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 4 p.m.

Location: 9/10/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: Would require a rail carrier, as defined, to report specified information regarding the transportation of hazardous materials, beginning no later than January 31, 2015, to the Office of Emergency Services on a quarterly basis. The bill would require a rail carrier to prospectively estimate and submit to the office notification of the weekly movements of trains through a county, as specified. The bill would require a rail carrier to update that notification once every 6 months.

[AB 504](#) (Chesbro D) Fish: sea cucumbers: transgenic fish.

Introduced: 2/20/2013

Last Amend: 8/22/2014

Status: 9/19/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 444, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/19/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would prohibit hatchery production and stocking of transgenic species of salmonids and would define "transgenic" for these purposes. Because the bill would create new crimes, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 543](#) (Campos D) California Environmental Quality Act: translation.

Introduced: 2/20/2013

Last Amend: 6/24/2014

Status: 9/5/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 3:30 p.m.

Location: 9/5/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: CEQA requires the Office of Planning and Research to prepare and develop guidelines for the implementation of CEQA and the Secretary of the Natural Resources Agency to certify and adopt those guidelines. This bill would require the office, on or before July 1, 2016, to prepare and develop recommended amendments to the guidelines and the secretary, on or before January 1, 2017, to certify and adopt those amendments to the guidelines to establish criteria for a lead agency to assess the need for translating those notices into non-English languages, as specified.

[AB 793](#) (Gray D) San Joaquin Valley Groundwater Conservancy.

Introduced: 2/21/2013

Last Amend: 6/26/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was S. THIRD READING on 6/30/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Current law authorizes various conservancies to acquire, manage, direct the management of, and conserve public lands in the state. This bill would establish the San Joaquin Valley Groundwater Conservancy, to undertake various activities related to the San Joaquin Valley, as defined, and would prescribe the management, powers, and duties of the conservancy. The bill would create the San Joaquin Valley Groundwater Conservancy Fund in the State Treasury. Moneys in the fund would be available, upon appropriation, for the purposes of the conservancy.

[AB 896](#) (Eggman D) Wildlife management areas: mosquito abatement.

Introduced: 2/22/2013

Last Amend: 8/18/2014

Status: 9/20/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 494, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/20/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would require a mosquito abatement and vector control district that includes one or more

wildlife management areas, as defined, or in which vectors and vectorborne diseases from a wildlife management area may enter the district, to periodically, or at least semiannually, notify the Department of Fish and Wildlife of those areas that are of concern due to the potential for high mosquito populations that may incur associated mosquito control costs. By requiring local agencies to provide the notification, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

[AB 1096](#) (Nestande R) Vehicles: specialized license plates: Salton Sea.

Introduced: 2/22/2013

Last Amend: 8/22/2014

Status: 9/16/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 353, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/16/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would require the Department of Fish and Wildlife to apply to the DMV to sponsor a special Salton Sea license plate program, and would require the DMV to issue the license plates if the Department of Fish and Wildlife meets certain requirements. The bill would also require the revenue generated from the license plates, as specified, to be deposited in the Salton Sea Restoration Account created by the bill in the Specialized License Plate Fund, for use, upon appropriation by the Legislature to the Salton Sea Authority, for restoring the Salton Sea. This bill contains other existing laws.

[AB 1104](#) (Salas D) California Environmental Quality Act: biogas pipelines: exemption.

Introduced: 2/22/2013

Last Amend: 1/27/2014

Status: 8/19/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 3 p.m.

Location: 8/19/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: CEQA provides some exemptions from its requirements for specified projects, including for a project that consists of the inspection, maintenance, repair, restoration, reconditioning, relocation, replacement, or removal of an existing pipeline, as defined, if specified conditions are met. This bill would provide that, for purposes of that exemption, until January 1, 2018, "pipeline" also means a pipeline located in Fresno, Kern, Kings, or Tulare County, that is used to transport biogas, as the bill would define that term, and that meets the existing requirements for the exemption and all local, state, and federal laws.

[AB 1249](#) (Salas D) Integrated regional water management plans: nitrate, arsenic, perchlorate, or hexavalent chromium contamination.

Introduced: 2/22/2013

Last Amend: 6/30/2014

Status: 9/5/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 3:30 p.m.

Location: 9/5/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: The the Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality and Supply, Flood Control, River and Coastal Protection Bond Act of 2006 requires that eligible projects implement integrated regional water management plans that meet specified criteria and requires the Department of Water Resources to give preference to certain proposals. This bill would make the guidelines applicable to all funds that are or may become available for integrated regional water management plan implementation.

[AB 1327](#) (Gorell R) Unmanned aircraft systems.

Introduced: 2/22/2013

Last Amend: 8/22/2014

Status: 9/8/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 3:30 p.m.

Location: 9/8/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: Would generally prohibit public agencies from using unmanned aircraft systems, or contracting for the use of unmanned aircraft systems, as defined, with certain exceptions applicable to law enforcement agencies and in certain other cases, including when the use or operation of the unmanned aircraft system achieves the core mission of the agency and the purpose is unrelated to the gathering of criminal intelligence, as defined. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

- [AB 1331](#) **(Rendon D) Clean, Safe, and Reliable Drinking Water Act of 2014.**
Introduced: 2/22/2013
Last Amend: 6/17/2014
Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was S. RLS. on 6/18/2014)
Location: 8/31/2014-S. DEAD
Summary: (1) Current law, the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.
- [AB 1445](#) **(Logue R) California Water Infrastructure Act of 2014.**
Introduced: 1/6/2014
Last Amend: 2/14/2014
Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was A. W.,P. & W. on 2/18/2014)
Location: 8/31/2014-A. DEAD
Summary: Current law creates the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.
- [AB 1471](#) **(Rendon D) Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014.**
Introduced: 1/9/2014
Last Amend: 8/13/2014
Status: 8/13/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 188, Statutes of 2014.
Location: 8/13/2014-A. CHAPTERED
Summary: Under current law, the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.
- [AB 1514](#) **(Gonzalez D) Natural community conservation planning agreements.**
Introduced: 1/15/2014
Status: 5/2/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(5). (Last location was W.,P. & W. on 1/23/2014)
Location: 5/2/2014-A. DEAD
Summary: The Natural Community Conservation Planning Act authorizes any person, or any local, state, or federal agency, independently, or in cooperation with other persons, to undertake natural community conservation planning. The bill would also require an agreement to implement a natural community conservation plan to identify all lands within the planning area that are classified by the State Geologist as containing mineral deposits of regional or statewide significance. The bill would require the agreement, if classified mineral resources are found to exist on lands within the planning area, to include participation by the State Geologist, as specified.
- [AB 1709](#) **(Frazier D) Wildlife: hunting licenses.**
Introduced: 2/13/2014
Last Amend: 8/4/2014
Status: 9/19/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 456, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/19/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would require the Department of Fish and Wildlife, beginning July 1, 2015, and until July 1, 2020, to issue a license, upon payment of a base fee of \$8.25, as adjusted, to a resident or nonresident who is under 18 years of age on July 1 of the licensing year for which he or she seeks a license. The bill would require the department, beginning July 1, 2015, and until July 1, 2020, to issue a 2-day license to a nonresident who is 18 years of age or older upon payment of a base fee of \$31.25, as adjusted.

AB 1711 **(Cooley D) Administrative Procedures Act: economic impact assessment.**

Introduced: 2/13/2014

Last Amend: 8/21/2014

Status: 9/8/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 3:30 p.m.

Location: 9/8/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: Current law requires every state agency subject to the Administrative Procedure Act to provide an initial statement of reasons for proposing the adoption, amendment, or repeal of a regulation. The act requires the initial statement of reasons to include a standardized regulatory impact analysis prepared by each agency that proposes to adopt, amend, or repeal any major regulation, as defined, on or after November 1, 2013. The bill would require an economic impact assessment to be included in the initial statement of reasons. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

AB 1739 **(Dickinson D) Groundwater management.**

Introduced: 2/14/2014

Last Amend: 8/22/2014

Status: 9/16/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 347, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/16/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would provide specific authority to a groundwater sustainability agency, as defined in SB 1168 of the 2013-14 Regular Session, to impose certain fees. The bill would authorize the Department of Water Resources or a groundwater sustainability agency to provide technical assistance to entities that extract or use groundwater to promote water conservation and protect groundwater resources. This bill would require the department, by January 1, 2017, to publish on its Internet Web site best management practices for the sustainable management of groundwater.

AB 1740 **(Bigelow R) Timber harvest plans: exemptions.**

Introduced: 2/14/2014

Status: 5/9/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(6). (Last location was PRINT on 2/14/2014)

Location: 5/9/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: The Z'berg-Nejedly Forest Practice Act of 1973 prohibits a person from conducting timber operations, as defined, unless a timber harvesting plan prepared by a registered professional forester has been submitted to the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection. The act authorizes the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection to exempt from some or all of those provisions of the act a person engaging in specified forest management activities. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to that exemption provision.

AB 1799 **(Gordon D) Land use: mitigation lands.**

Introduced: 2/18/2014

Last Amend: 5/1/2014

Status: 5/23/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(8). (Last location was A. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE on 5/23/2014)

Location: 5/23/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Would where a governmental entity or specified district is the transferee of the property, specify that an endowment or other financial mechanism is not required if the governmental entity or special district provides evidence to the local or state agency that it possesses an investment-grade, as defined, credit rating by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization or other equivalent evidence of financial reliability, and enters into a contractual agreement, containing certain elements,

with the local or state agency enforcing the mitigation requirements.

[AB 1827](#) ([Patterson R](#)) State bodies: environmental agencies: administrative and civil penalties.

Introduced: 2/18/2014

Last Amend: 3/28/2014

Status: 5/2/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(5). (Last location was E.S. & T.M. on 4/1/2014)

Location: 5/2/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Would require an agency, board, commission, department, division, or office within the California Environmental Protection Agency or the Natural Resources Agency, prior to the imposition of an administrative or civil penalty for a minor violation, to allow a business with 50 or fewer employees an opportunity to cure the violation.

[AB 1849](#) ([Loque R](#)) California Environmental Quality Act: exemption: levees.

Introduced: 2/19/2014

Status: 5/2/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(5). (Last location was NAT. RES. on 2/27/2014)

Location: 5/2/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Would exempt from the requirements of CEQA, the maintenance, repair, or replacement of an existing levee. 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.

[AB 1867](#) ([Patterson R](#)) Timber harvest plans: exemption: reducing flammable materials.

Introduced: 2/19/2014

Last Amend: 8/19/2014

Status: 9/5/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 3:30 p.m.

Location: 9/5/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: Would, until no later than January 1, 2019, authorize the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection to exempt from some or all of those provisions of the Z'berg-Nejedly Forest Practices Act of 1973, a person engaged in forest management whose activities are limited to the cutting or removal of trees on the person's property in compliance with existing law relating to defensible space that eliminates the vertical continuity of vegetative fuels and the horizontal continuity of tree crowns for the purpose of reducing flammable materials and maintaining a fuel break for a distance of no more than 300 feet on each side from an approved and legally permitted habitable structure, as provided.

[AB 1905](#) ([Alejo D](#)) Water rights: appropriation: small domestic, small irrigation, and livestock stockpond use.

Introduced: 2/19/2014

Status: 8/22/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 268, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 8/22/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: Current law defines "livestock stockpond" to mean a water impoundment structure constructed for livestock watering use not to exceed specified diversion amounts, including impoundment for incidental aesthetic, recreational or fish and wildlife purposes. This bill would provide that impoundment for incidental fire protection purposes is included within livestock stockpond use. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 2019](#) ([Fong D](#)) Commercial fishing: drift gill net shark and swordfish fishery.

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 4/23/2014

Status: 5/2/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(5). (Last location was W.,P. & W. on 4/29/2014)

Location: 5/2/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Would enact the Swordfish Fishery Sustainability and Marine Wildlife Conservation Act and

would prohibit a person from using a drift gill net to take shark and swordfish for commercial purposes, except as provided. Because a violation of this provision would be a crime, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

[AB 2043](#) ([Bigelow R](#)) Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014.

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 5/19/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was A. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE on 8/7/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: The Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions.

[AB 2052](#) ([Gonzalez D](#)) Workers' compensation.

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 8/18/2014

Status: 9/5/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 3:30 p.m.

Location: 9/5/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: Current law designates illnesses and conditions that constitute a compensable injury for various employees, such as California Highway Patrol members, firefighters, and certain peace officers. These injuries include, but are not limited to, hernia, pneumonia, heart trouble, cancer, meningitis, and exposure to a biochemical substances, when the illness or condition develops or manifests itself during a period when the officer or employee is in service of his or her employer, as specified. This bill would expand the coverage of the above provisions relating to compensable injury, to include all peace officers described under specified provisions of law.

[AB 2075](#) ([Alejo D](#)) Crimes: importation or sale of endangered animals.

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 7/3/2014

Status: 9/19/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 464, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/19/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: Current law makes it a misdemeanor, after January 1, 2015, to import into the state for commercial purposes, to possess with intent to sell, or to sell within the state, the dead body, or any part or product thereof, of an alligator or crocodylian species. This bill would delay the effective date of this provision until January 1, 2020.

[AB 2105](#) ([Frazier D](#)) Big game mammals: bighorn sheep.

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 7/2/2014

Status: 9/19/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 467, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/19/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would authorize a nonprofit organization designated by the Department of Fish and Wildlife to assist in the sale of deer, elk, antelope, or big horns sheep fundraising tags to retain 5% of the amount of the sale price of the tag as a reasonable vendor fee. The bill would require the selling nonprofit organization, within 30 days of the date of the sale, to send the department 95% of the total auction sale price of the tag, with an itemized receipt showing the sale price and the 5% reduction retained by the nonprofit organization as a vendor's fee. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 2185](#) ([Eggman D](#)) Bees: apiculture: state-owned lands.

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 8/19/2014

Status: 9/15/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 338, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/15/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would require the Department of Fish and Wildlife to consider permitting apiculture on department-managed wildlife areas. The bill would require the department, when developing or amending its land management plans, to make certain determinations relating to the use of the department-managed wildlife areas for apiculture.

[AB 2193](#) **(Gordon D) Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Act.**

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 8/22/2014

Status: 9/10/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 4 p.m.

Location: 9/10/2014-A. ENROLLED

Summary: Would enact the Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Act and require the Director of Fish and Wildlife to approve a habitat restoration or enhancement project, as defined, if specified conditions are met as determined by the director. The act would create the Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Account within the Fish and Game Preservation Fund and authorize the department to enter into an agreement to accept funds to achieve the purposes of the Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Act and deposit those funds into that account.

[AB 2205](#) **(Donnelly R) Mammals: use of dogs to pursue bears.**

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 4/23/2014

Status: 5/2/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(5). (Last location was W.,P. & W. on 4/29/2014)

Location: 5/2/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Would eliminate the authority for the Department of Fish and Wildlife to capture a dog not under the reasonable control of its owner or handler when the dog is pursuing any bear or to capture or dispatch a dog inflicting injury or immediately threatening injury on any bear . This bill would require the Department of Fish and Wildlife to make a specified report to the Fish and Game Commission on the status of bear populations, management, and related issues every 3 years.

[AB 2210](#) **(Williams D) Nongame mammals: depredators.**

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Status: 5/30/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). (Last location was A. THIRD READING on 5/1/2014)

Location: 5/30/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Would provide that nonnative fox squirrels (*Sciurus niger*), instead of red fox squirrels, may be taken as specified. The bill would also prohibit the barter of raw furs, and would require that all animals in the traps be removed within 24 hours of the setting of a trap instead of at least once daily. The bill would require that nontargeted species be released unharmed and not taken. The bill would make other nonsubstantive changes to these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 2268](#) **(Bigelow R) Game mammals: wild pig depredation.**

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 5/28/2014

Status: 6/27/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(13). (Last location was A. W.,P. & W. on 5/29/2014)

Location: 6/27/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Current law defines the term "wild pig" for purposes of managing, taking, or hunting that species. The bill would also define "pigs" and prohibit the release of pigs into uncontrolled areas. The bill would provide that an area shall be deemed controlled if the pigs are regularly cared for and enclosed by a lawful fence, as defined. The bill would provide that an owner of a pig that escapes from a controlled area who has complied with this provision is not deemed to be in violation of any law that prohibits the release of any animal.

- [AB 2364](#) **(V. Manuel Pérez D) State amphibian: California red-legged frog.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 3/26/2014
Status: 6/28/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 77, Statutes of 2014.
Location: 6/28/2014-A. CHAPTERED
Summary: Current law establishes the state flag and the state's emblems, including, among other things, the poppy as the official state flower, the California redwood as the official state tree, and the California desert tortoise as the official state reptile. This bill would establish the California red-legged frog as the official state amphibian.
- [AB 2409](#) **(Cooley D) California Waterfowl Habitat Program.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Status: 5/2/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(5). (Last location was W.,P. & W. on 3/10/2014)
Location: 5/2/2014-A. DEAD
Summary: Current law authorizes the Director of Fish and Wildlife to enter into land use contracts to conserve waterfowl and waterfowl habitat with nonpublic entities that are owners of record, or with lessees, who have the owners of record execute the contract, of land determined by the director to be important for the conservation of waterfowl, subject to the appropriation of money for that purpose. This bill would also authorize the director to enter into those contracts with public entities.
- [AB 2478](#) **(Stone D) San Lorenzo River.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 3/28/2014
Status: 6/27/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(13). (Last location was S. N.R. & W. on 5/15/2014)
Location: 6/27/2014-S. DEAD
Summary: Would authorize state funding, available upon appropriation by the Legislature, to be used within the authorized project boundaries for environmental studies, engineering plans, and construction activities to mitigate the impacts of summer low-flow water conditions in the rivermouth of the San Lorenzo River.
- [AB 2554](#) **(Rendon D) Clean, Safe, and Reliable Drinking Water Act of 2014.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 4/23/2014
Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was A. APPR. on 4/30/2014)
Location: 8/31/2014-A. DEAD
Summary: Current law, the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.
- [AB 2595](#) **(Grove R) Timber harvesting plans.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Status: 5/9/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(6). (Last location was PRINT on 2/21/2014)
Location: 5/9/2014-A. DEAD
Summary: The Z'berg-Nejedly Forest Practice Act of 1973 prohibits a person from conducting timber operations unless a timber harvesting plan prepared by a registered professional forester has been submitted to the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to that provision.

- [AB 2619](#) **(Gaines, Beth R) Dams: fish: critically dry year.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 3/28/2014
Status: 5/2/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(5). (Last location was W.,P. & W. on 4/1/2014)
Location: 5/2/2014-A. DEAD
Summary: Current law authorizes the Department of Fish and Game, during the minimum flow of water in any river or stream, to grant permission to the dam owner to allow sufficient water to pass through a culvert, waste gate, or over or around the dam, to keep in good condition any fish that may be planted or exist below the dam, when, in the judgment of the department, it is impracticable or detrimental to the owner to pass the water through the fishway. This bill would prohibit these provisions from applying during a critically dry year.
- [AB 2657](#) **(Bloom D) Wildlife habitat areas: use of anticoagulants.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 8/11/2014
Status: 9/19/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 475, Statutes of 2014.
Location: 9/19/2014-A. CHAPTERED
Summary: Would prohibit, except as specified, the use of any pesticide that contains one or more of specified anticoagulants, including brodifacoum and bromadiolone, in wildlife habitat areas, as defined. The bill would direct state agencies to encourage federal agencies to comply with this prohibition. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.
- [AB 2675](#) **(Lowenthal D) State agency: public contracts.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 8/22/2014
Status: 9/10/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 4 p.m.
Location: 9/10/2014-A. ENROLLED
Summary: Current law requires each state agency to ensure that at least 50% of reportable purchases, which are goods and materials that may be reported or categorized within a specified product category, are recycled products. This bill would require each state agency to ensure that at least 75% of reportable purchases are recycled products on and after January 1, 2020, except for paint, antifreeze, and tires, which would remain at the 50% requirement. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.
- [AB 2677](#) **(Rodriguez D) Oil spill: contingency plan: railroad.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 4/21/2014
Status: 5/2/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(5). (Last location was NAT. RES. on 4/29/2014)
Location: 5/2/2014-A. DEAD
Summary: Would require the California Environmental Protection Agency, on or before January 1, 2017, and in consultation with specified entities, to develop and submit to the Governor and the Legislature a report containing recommendations for a comprehensive and coordinated oil spill contingency plan designed to address inland oil spills resulting from the transportation of crude oil by railroad.
- [AB 2678](#) **(Ridley-Thomas D) Oil spills: oil spill prevention and administration fee.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 8/30/2014
Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was A. CONCURRENCE on 8/30/2014)
Location: 8/31/2014-A. DEAD
Summary: Would state legislative intent that the fee on crude oil or petroleum products be collected

only upon first delivery to a refinery or marine terminal and not upon subsequent movement of that same oil or products derived after that first delivery. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 2686](#) (Perea D) Clean, Safe, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 5/1/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was A. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE on 8/7/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Current law, the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

[AB 2720](#) (Ting D) State agencies: meetings: record of action taken.

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 8/7/2014

Status: 9/20/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 510, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/20/2014-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: The Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act defines various terms for its purposes, including "action taken," which means a collective decision made by the members of a state body, a collective commitment or promise by the members of the state body to make a positive or negative decision, or an actual vote by the members of a state body when sitting as a body or entity upon a motion, proposal, resolution, order, or similar action. This bill would require a state body to publicly report any action taken and the vote or abstention on that action of each member present for the action.

[SB 53](#) (De León D) Ammunition: purchase permits.

Introduced: 12/20/2012

Last Amend: 8/22/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was S. THIRD READING on 8/22/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Would require the Attorney General to maintain information about ammunition transactions, as specified, and ammunition vendor licenses, as specified, for purposes of assisting in the investigation of crimes, and specified civil actions. This bill would similarly authorize specified peace officers to disseminate the name of a person and the fact of any ammunition purchases by that person, as specified, if the subject of the record has been arraigned, is being prosecuted, or is serving a sentence for domestic violence, or is the subject of specified protective orders.

[SB 104](#) (Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Drought relief.

Introduced: 1/10/2013

Last Amend: 2/26/2014

Status: 3/1/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 3, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 3/1/2014-S. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would provide that a person or entity in violation of a term or condition of a permit, license, certificate, or registration issued or an order adopted by the State Water Resources Control Board or an emergency regulation described in paragraph (6), is liable in an amount not to exceed \$500 for each day in which the violation occurs. These funds would be deposited in the Water Rights Fund. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 176](#) (Galgiani D) Administrative procedures.

Introduced: 2/6/2013

Last Amend: 8/7/2013

Status: 8/15/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(14). (Last location was APPR. SUSPENSE FILE on 8/30/2013)

Location: 8/15/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Would require the Office of Administrative Law to allow electronic submission to the office by a state agency of notices required to be published and information required to be submitted pursuant to specified provisions of existing law. The bill would also expand the public discussion requirement to require a state agency proposing to adopt regulations, prior to publication of a notice of proposed adoption, amendment, or repeal of a regulation, to involve parties that would be subject to the proposed regulations in public discussions regarding those proposed regulations, without regard to the complexity or number of proposals. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

SB 355 **(Beall D) Income taxes: credit: conservation.**

Introduced: 2/20/2013

Last Amend: 8/18/2014

Status: 9/2/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 11 a.m.

Location: 9/2/2014-S. ENROLLED

Summary: The Natural Heritage Preservation Tax Credit Act of 2000 requires the Wildlife Conservation Board to implement a program under which property, as defined, may be contributed to the state, any local government, as defined, or to any nonprofit organization designated by a local government, based on specified criteria, in order to provide for the protection of wildlife habitat, open space, and agricultural lands. This bill would extend the period for when a qualified contribution is made for which a tax credit would be allowed to June 30, 2020.

SB 583 **(Berryhill R) Sport fishing: licenses.**

Introduced: 2/22/2013

Last Amend: 4/25/2013

Status: 1/24/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(2). (Last location was APPR. on 1/23/2014)

Location: 1/24/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Current law requires the Fish and Game Commission to adjust the amount of the sport fishing license fees, as prescribed, to fully recover, but not exceed, all reasonable administrative and implementation costs of the Department of Fish and Wildlife and the commission relating to those licenses. This bill would require a resident or a nonresident, 16 years of age or older, upon payment of a specified base fee plus an administrative and implementation fee specific to recovering all costs to the department of adding this license, to be issued a sport fishing license for the period of 12 consecutive months beginning on the date specified on the license, as prescribed.

SB 757 **(Berryhill R) Groundwater management.**

Introduced: 2/22/2013

Last Amend: 8/22/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was A. RLS. on 8/25/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Would state the policy of the state that groundwater resources be managed responsibly for long-term water supply reliability and multiple economic, social, or environmental benefits for current and future beneficial uses. The bill would state that responsible groundwater management is best achieved locally through the development, implementation, and updating of plans and programs based on the best available science and in consideration of local needs and circumstances.

SB 764 **(Yee D) Fish: accounting records: violation.**

Introduced: 2/22/2013

Last Amend: 1/15/2014

Status: 6/27/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(13). (Last location was A. DESK on 1/23/2014)

Location: 6/27/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Current law requires commercial licensed fishermen and any person who deals in fresh or frozen fish for profit to keep prescribed accounting records. This bill would require a commercial licensed fisherman and any person who deals in fresh or frozen fish for profit to transmit the prescribed accounting record information, as further specified, to any business that deals in fish for profit. The bill would permit the accounting record information to be provided in one or more additional languages. By expanding the definition of a crime, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

SB 834 **(Huff R) Environmental quality: the Sustainable Environmental Protection Act.**

Introduced: 1/6/2014

Last Amend: 3/20/2014

Status: 5/2/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(5). (Last location was E.Q. on 3/20/2014)

Location: 5/2/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Would enact the Sustainable Environmental Protection Act and would specify that the environmental review of projects pursuant to CEQA is required to consider only specified environmental topic 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.

SB 848 **(Wolk D) Safe Drinking Water, Water Quality, and Water Supply Act of 2014.**

Introduced: 1/9/2014

Last Amend: 7/3/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was S. INACTIVE FILE on 8/18/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Current law creates the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

SB 861 **(Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review) Public resources: trailer bill.**

Introduced: 1/9/2014

Last Amend: 6/13/2014

Status: 6/20/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 35, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 6/20/2014-S. CHAPTERED

Summary: Current law imposes an assessment on a person who purchases from a retailer a lumber product or an engineered wood product for the storage, use, or other consumption in this state. Current regulations, adopted by the State Board of Equalization at its September 10, 2013, meeting, provide that a retailer may retain no more than a total of \$735 per location as reimbursement for startup costs associated with the collection of the assessment. This bill would codify the above regulations adopted at the September 10, 2013, state board meeting. The bill would delete the emergency regulatory authority granted to the state board, for purposes of determining the reimbursement amount.

SB 866 **(Wolk D) Water Quality, Supply, and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014.**

Introduced: 1/9/2014

Last Amend: 8/13/2014

Status: 8/14/2014-Vetoed by the Governor

Location: 8/14/2014-S. VETOED

Summary: Current law, the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability

program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

[SB 927](#) ([Cannella R](#)) Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014.

Introduced: 1/29/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was S. N.R. & W. on 2/6/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Would rename the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012 as the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014 and make conforming changes. The bill would instead authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$9,217,000,000 by reducing the amount available for projects related to drought relief and water supply reliability, as specified. The bill would remove the authorization for funds to be available for ecosystem and watershed protection and restoration projects, and would increase the amount of funds available for emergency and urgent actions to ensure safe drinking water supplies in disadvantaged communities and economically distressed areas.

[SB 958](#) ([Gaines R](#)) California Environmental Quality Act.

Introduced: 2/6/2014

Status: 5/9/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(6). (Last location was RLS. on 2/20/2014)

Location: 5/9/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) requires a lead agency, as defined, to prepare, or cause to be prepared by contract, and certify the completion of, an environmental impact report, as defined, on a project that may have a significant effect on the environment, or to adopt a negative declaration if it finds that the project will not have that effect. This bill would make technical and nonsubstantive changes to the definition of "environmental impact report."

[SB 981](#) ([Huff R](#)) Regulations: review process.

Introduced: 2/11/2014

Last Amend: 4/10/2014

Status: 5/2/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(5). (Last location was G.O. on 4/10/2014)

Location: 5/2/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Current law, the Administrative Procedure Act, governs the procedure for the adoption, amendment, or repeal of regulations by state agencies. This bill would require each agency to review each regulation adopted prior to January 1, 2014, and to develop a report with prescribed information to be submitted to the Legislature on or before January 1, 2016.

[SB 987](#) ([Monning D](#)) California Sea Otter Fund: Department of Fish and Wildlife: State Coastal Conservancy.

Introduced: 2/12/2014

Last Amend: 5/12/2014

Status: 8/20/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 3:30 p.m.

Location: 8/20/2014-S. ENROLLED

Summary: Current law requires money in the California Sea Otter Fund to be allocated to the Department of Fish and Wildlife for the purposes of establishing a sea otter fund to be used within the department's index coding system for increased investigation, prevention, and enforcement actions, and to the State Coastal Conservancy for competitive grants and contracts for research, projects, and programs related to the Federal Sea Otter Recovery Plan or improving the nearshore ocean ecosystem. With respect to the portion of money allocated to the department upon appropriation by the Legislature, this bill would instead specify that the money be allocated to the department for purposes of establishing a sea otter fund to be used for sea otter conservation.

[SB 1091](#) ([Galgiani D](#)) Administrative procedures: California Regulatory Notice Register: proposed rulemaking activities.

Introduced: 2/19/2014

Status: 5/23/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(8). (Last location was S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE on 5/23/2014)

Location: 5/23/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Would require each state agency to submit a notice to the Office of Administrative Law for publication in the California Regulatory Notice Register of any meeting or hearing that occurs prior to the mailing or posting of the notice of proposed action, for which the agency posts on its Internet Web site a public notice of a meeting or hearing, as provided. This bill contains other related provisions.

SB 1133 **(Anderson R) Juries: peace officer exemption.**

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Status: 5/9/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(6). (Last location was JUD. on 3/6/2014)

Location: 5/9/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Current law exempts certain peace officers from voir dire in civil and criminal matters, and other specified peace officers from voir dire in criminal matters. This bill would exempt designated employees of the Department of Fish and Game, as specified, from voir dire in both civil and criminal matters.

SB 1138 **(Padilla D) Fish and shellfish: labeling and identification.**

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 8/28/2014

Status: 9/8/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 4 p.m.

Location: 9/8/2014-S. ENROLLED

Summary: Would, commencing July 1, 2016, provide that it is unlawful to sell or offer for sale any fresh, frozen, or processed fish or shellfish intended for human consumption, wild caught or farm raised, without clearly identifying specified information, including the species of fish or shellfish by its common name, as specified. The bill would prohibit any person who sells or offers for sale any fish or shellfish and acts in reasonable reliance on the fish or shellfish package labeling and product invoice to satisfy the above-described requirements from being found in violation of those requirements. The bill would specify that these provisions do not apply to a restaurant.

SB 1168 **(Pavley D) Groundwater management.**

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 8/29/2014

Status: 9/16/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 346, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/16/2014-S. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would state the policy of the state that groundwater resources be managed sustainably for long-term reliability and multiple economic, social, and environmental benefits for current and future beneficial uses. This bill would state that sustainable groundwater management is best achieved locally through the development, implementation, and updating of plans and programs based on the best available science. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

SB 1199 **(Hancock D) Wild and scenic rivers: Mokelumne River.**

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 5/28/2014

Status: 8/15/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(14). (Last location was A. APPR. on 8/14/2014)

Location: 8/15/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: The California Wild and Scenic Rivers Act includes specified rivers and segments thereof within the California Wild and Scenic River system, which are subject to various protections under the act. This bill would include within the system specified segments of the Mokelumne River, and would designate those segments as wild, scenic, or recreational.

SB 1250 **(Hueso D) Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2014.**

Introduced: 2/20/2014

Last Amend: 5/7/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was S. N.R. & W. on 5/7/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Current law creates the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

SB 1268 **(Beall D) Natural Resources Climate Improvement Program.**

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 5/7/2014

Status: 5/23/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(8). (Last location was S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE on 5/23/2014)

Location: 5/23/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Would establish the Natural Resources Climate Improvement Program, which would be administered by the State Air Resources Board, in coordination with the Natural Resources Agency, to assist in the development and implementation of highly leveraged, regionally integrated natural resources projects that maximize greenhouse gas emissions reductions or sequestration. The bill would authorize moneys from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to be available, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to the state board to implement the Natural Resources Climate Improvement Program.

SB 1319 **(Pavley D) Groundwater.**

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 8/29/2014

Status: 9/16/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 348, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/16/2014-S. CHAPTERED

Summary: Would authorize the state board to designate certain high- and medium-priority basins as a probationary basin if, after January 31, 2025, prescribed criteria are met, including that the state board determines that the basin is in a condition where groundwater extractions result in significant depletions of interconnected surface waters. This bill would add to the prescribed determinations that would prevent the state board from designating the basin as a probationary basin for a specified time period.

SB 1337 **(DeSaulnier D) Reports.**

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 5/27/2014

Status: 8/25/2014-Vetoed by the Governor

Location: 8/25/2014-S. VETOED

Summary: Would require a written report, as defined, submitted by any state agency or department to the Legislature, a Member of the Legislature, or any state legislative or executive body to include a signed statement by the head of the agency or department declaring that the factual contents of the written report are true, accurate, and complete to the best of his or her knowledge. This bill contains other related provisions.

SB 1345 **(Committee on Natural Resources and Water) Natural resources.**

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 6/17/2014

Status: 9/19/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 489, Statutes of 2014.

Location: 9/19/2014-S. CHAPTERED

Summary: Current law requires a working forest landowner who owns, leases, or otherwise controls or operates on all or any portion of any timberland within the boundaries of an approved plan, and who plans to harvest any of the timber during a given year, to file a working forest harvest notice, as defined, with the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection in writing. Current law exempts the Southern Subdistrict of the Coast Forest District, as described in regulations, from these provisions. This bill would correct an erroneous cross-reference to the regulations describing the Southern Subdistrict of the Coast Forest District.

SB 1370 **(Galgiani D) Reliable Water Supply Bond Act of 2014.**

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 3/24/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was A. NAT. RES. on 4/8/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-A. DEAD

Summary: Current law creates the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Current law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election. This bill would repeal these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

SB 1390 **(Correa D) Santa Ana River Conservancy Program.**

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 8/21/2014

Status: 9/4/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 11 a.m.

Location: 9/4/2014-S. ENROLLED

Summary: Would establish the Santa Ana River Conservancy Program, to be administered by the State Coastal Conservancy, to address the resource and recreational goals of the Santa Ana River region. The bill would authorize the conservancy to acquire interests and options in real property and would prescribe the management, powers, and duties of the conservancy for purposes of the program.

SB 1398 **(Cannella R) Environmental quality: flood control activities: Salinas River.**

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Status: 5/9/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(6). (Last location was N.R. & W. on 3/17/2014)

Location: 5/9/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Would, for maintenance activities along the Salinas River meeting specified requirements, prohibit the court in such an action from staying or enjoining those maintenance activities unless those activities present an imminent threat to public health and safety or would materially, permanently, and adversely affect unforeseen important Native American artifacts, or unforeseen important historical, archaeological, or ecological values. This bill contains other related provisions.

SB 1410 **(Wolk D) Wildlife management areas: payments.**

Introduced: 2/21/2014

Last Amend: 4/21/2014

Status: 8/31/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(17). (Last location was S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE on 5/23/2014)

Location: 8/31/2014-S. DEAD

Summary: Current law requires the Department of Fish and Wildlife, when income is derived directly from real property acquired and operated by the state as a wildlife management area, as defined, to pay annually to the county in which the property is located an amount equal to the county taxes levied upon the property at the time title to the property was transferred to the state, and any assessments levied upon the property by any irrigation, drainage, or reclamation district. This bill would appropriate \$19,000,000 from the General Fund to the department to make payments to counties for unpaid amounts under these provisions.

SB 1434 **(Wolk D) Funding of fish and wildlife programs: State Duck Stamp Account advisory committee.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 6/11/2014
Status: 8/22/2014-Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 259, Statutes of 2014.
Location: 8/22/2014-S. CHAPTERED
Summary: The Federal Aid in Wildlife Restoration Act authorizes a state, through its fish and wildlife department, to submit programs or projects for wildlife restoration and hunter safety education to the Secretary of the Interior for funding of up to 75% of the cost of those programs or projects from the amount apportioned to the state. This bill would require the expenditure of all federal grant moneys made available to the state under the federal act to be consistent with that federal act. The bill would require the department, in applying for these federal grant moneys, to give priority to projects that fulfill one or more specified purposes.

SB 1451 **(Hill D) Environmental quality: judicial review: standing.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 4/21/2014
Status: 5/9/2014-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(6). (Last location was JUD. on 5/1/2014)
Location: 5/9/2014-S. DEAD
Summary: CEQA requires a lead agency to prepare a mitigated negative declaration for a project that may have a significant effect on the environment if revisions in the project would avoid or mitigate that effect and there is no substantial evidence that the project, as revised, would have a significant effect on the environment. This bill would require that the alleged grounds for noncompliance shall have been presented to a public agency prior to the close of the public hearing on the project if the grounds for noncompliance were not known and could not have been known with the exercise of reasonable diligence during the public comment period or if no public comment period was provided by CEQA.

SB 1454 **(Gaines R) Department of Fish and Wildlife: enforcement: patrol vehicle mounted video and audio systems.**
Introduced: 2/21/2014
Last Amend: 5/27/2014
Status: 8/25/2014-Enrolled and presented to the Governor at 11 a.m.
Location: 8/25/2014-S. ENROLLED
Summary: Would authorize the Department of Fish and Wildlife to install patrol vehicle mounted video and audio systems, commonly known as dashboard cameras, in patrol vehicles used by the department's peace officers. The bill would authorize a peace officer to use a patrol vehicle mounted video and audio system to record any communications or other actions involving the officer while the officer is in uniform and acting within the scope of his or her authority.

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