

CCDA Legislative Status Report

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AB 29 (Cooper D) State bodies: meetings.

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

Status: 5/25/2021- Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(5). (Last location was APPROPRIATIONS SUSPENSE FILE on 4/21/2021) (May be acted upon Jan 2022).

Is Urgency: No

Is Fiscal: Yes

Location: 5/25/2021-ASSEMBLY 2 YEAR

Summary:

Existing law, the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act, requires that all meetings of a state body, as defined, be open and public, and that all persons be permitted to attend any meeting of a state body, except as otherwise provided in that act. Existing law requires the state body to provide notice of its meeting, including specified information and a specific agenda of the meeting, as provided, to any person who requests that notice in writing and to make that notice available on the internet at least 10 days in advance of the meeting.

This bill would require that notice to include all writings or materials provided for the noticed meeting to a member of the state body by the staff of a state agency, board, or commission, or another member of the state body that are in connection with a matter subject to discussion or consideration at the meeting. The bill would require those writings or materials to be made available on the state body's internet website, and to any person who requests the writings or materials in writing, on the same day as the dissemination of the writings and materials to members of the state body or at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting, whichever is earlier. The bill would prohibit a state body from discussing those writings or materials, or from taking action on an item to which those writings or materials pertain, at a meeting of the state body unless the state body has complied with these provisions.

[AB 105](#) ([Holden D](#)) The Upward Mobility Act of 2021: boards and commissions:

civil service: examinations: classifications.

Current Text: Amended: 6/23/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Status: 6/28/2021-In committee: Hearing postponed by committee.

Is Urgency: No

Is Fiscal: Yes

Location: 6/9/2021-SENATE JUDICIARY

Calendar: 7/13/2021 1:30 p.m. - Senate Chamber SENATE JUDICIARY, UMBERG, Chair

Summary:

Existing law provides that it is the policy of the State of California that the composition of state boards and commissions shall be broadly reflective of the general public, including ethnic minorities and women. This bill would require that, on or after January 1, 2022, all state boards and commissions consisting of one or more volunteer members have at least one board member or commissioner from an underrepresented community. The bill would define the term “board member or commissioner from an underrepresented community” as an individual who self-identifies as Black, African American, Hispanic, Latino, Asian, Pacific Islander, Native American, Native Hawaiian, or Alaska Native, or who self-identifies as gay, lesbian, bisexual, or transgender. The bill would apply these requirements only as vacancies on state boards and commissions occur. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 580](#) ([Rodriguez D](#)) Emergency services: vulnerable populations.

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

Status: 7/5/2021- In committee: Referred to suspense file.

Is Urgency: No

Is Fiscal: Yes

Location: 7/5/2021-SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUSPENSE FILE

Summary:

Existing law, the California Emergency Services Act, establishes, within the office of the Governor, the Office of Emergency Services (OES) under the supervision of the Director of Emergency Services. Existing law makes OES responsible for addressing natural, technological, or manmade disasters and emergencies, including activities necessary to prevent, respond to, recover from, and mitigate the effects of emergencies and disasters to people and property. This bill instead would require the director to appoint representatives of the access and functional needs population, provided a majority of appointees are from specified groups, to serve on those

committees and to ensure the needs of that population are met within that system. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

AB 1429 (Holden D) State agency records: management coordinator duties: personnel training.

Current Text: Amended: 6/29/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Status: 6/29/2021- From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Committee APPROPRIATIONS

Is Urgency: No

Is Fiscal: Yes

Location: 6/22/2021-SENATE APPROPRIATIONS

Summary:

Existing law, the State Records Management Act, requires each head of a state agency to establish and maintain an active, continuing program for the economical and efficient management of the records and information collection practices of the agency, and to appoint a representative from the agency to serve as the records management coordinator. Existing law requires the coordinator to, among other duties, attend records management training classes offered by the Secretary of State, act as liaison between the agency, the California Records and Information Management Program (CalRIM), the State Records Center, and the State Records Appraisal Program (SRAP), and schedule CalRIM and SRAP training for agency staff who have records management duties.

This bill would also require a records management coordinator to provide records management training to all agency personnel who prepare, own, use, or retain public records on behalf of the agency, and to ensure that agency personnel complete the records management training within 60 days of employment and complete refresher records management training annually thereafter.

AB 1291 (Frazier D) State bodies: open meetings.

Current Text: Enrolled: 6/25/2021 [html](#) [pdf](#)

Status: 6/24/2021-Read third time. Passed. Ordered to the Assembly. (Ayes 39. Noes 0.). In Assembly. Ordered to Engrossing and Enrolling.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Location: 6/24/2021-ASSEMBLY ENROLLMENT

Summary:

Current law provides that, subject to certain exceptions and reasonable regulations,

the state body shall provide members of the public an opportunity to directly address the state body on agenda items. Current law authorizes the state body to limit the amount of time allotted for each member of the public to speak but specifies that members of the public who use translators shall be given twice that allotted amount of time. This bill would also require a state body, when it limits time for public comment, to provide at least twice the allotted time to a member of the public who utilizes translating technology to address the state body. The bill would additionally make technical, nonsubstantive changes.

Total Measures: 5