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AB 1547 (Quirk-Silva D) California Americans with Disabilities Act Small Business Capital Access Loan **Program.** Current Text: Amended: 1/11/2018 html pdf **Current Analysis:** 01/24/2018 Assembly Floor Analysis (*text 1/11/2018*) Introduced: 2/17/2017 Last Amend: 1/11/2018 Status: 1/29/2018-Read third time. Passed. Ordered to the Senate. In Senate. Read first time. To Com. on RLS. for assignment. Location: 1/29/2018-S. DESK Support: None Oppose: None Desk Policy Fiscal Floor Desk Policy Fiscal Floor Conf. Enrolled Vetoed Chaptered Conc. 1st House 2nd House

Summary: Current law establishes the California Americans with Disabilities Act Small Business Capital Access Loan Program (ADA program), within the Capital Access Loan Program, to assist small businesses in financing the costs of projects that alter or retrofit existing small business facilities to comply with the federal Americans with Disabilities Act. This bill would modify the definition of a small business for purposes of the ADA program to instead mean a business that is independently owned and operated and not dominant in its field, and that has 30 or fewer full-time employees or that has less than \$5,000,000 in total gross annual income from all sources. The bill would thereby expand the types of businesses that qualify for funding under the ADA program.

AB 2263 (Friedman D) Qualified historical structures: parking spaces.

Current Text: Amended: 3/23/2018 <u>html</u> pdf Introduced: 2/13/2018 Last Amend: 3/23/2018 Status: 4/2/2018-Re-referred to Com. on H. & C.D. Location: 3/1/2018-A. H. & C.D. Support: N/A Oppose: N/A Desk Policy Fiscal Floor Desk Policy Fi

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Summary: Would prohibit a local agency from imposing parking standards on a qualified historical structure, or a structure that is eligible to be listed as a qualified historical structure, that exceed the parking standards required by rules and regulations adopted pursuant to the State Historical Building Code.

AB 2531 (Gallagher R) Access to judicial and nonjudicial proceedings: hearing impaired.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/14/2018 <u>html pdf</u> Introduced: 2/14/2018 Status: 4/2/2018-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author. Location: 3/5/2018-A. JUD. Support: N/A Oppose: N/A Desk Policy Fiscal Floor Desk Policy Fiscal Floor Conf. Enrolled Vetoed Ch

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Calendar: 4/10/2018 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY JUDICIARY, STONE, Chair

Summary: Current law requires that a participant in any civil or criminal proceeding, court-ordered or courtprovided alternative dispute resolution, or administrative hearing of a public agency, who is hearing impaired be provided with a functioning assistive listening system or a computer-aided transcription system, upon his or her request. Existing law requires, if a computer-aided transcription system is requested, sufficient display terminals be provided to allow the hearing impaired individual to read the real-time transcript of the proceeding without difficulty. This bill would require an operator of a computer-aided transcription system to be certified by a state or national association approved by the Court Reporters Board of California.

<u>AB 2958</u> (<u>Quirk</u> D) State bodies: meetings: teleconference.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/16/2018 <u>html</u> <u>pdf</u> Introduced: 2/16/2018 Status: 3/8/2018-Referred to Com. on G.O. Location: 3/8/2018-A. G.O. Support: N/A Oppose: N/A Desk Policy Fiscal Floor Desk Policy I

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Summary: The Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act requires, with specified exceptions, that all meetings of a state body, as defined, be open and public, and all persons be permitted to attend any meeting of a state body, except as provided. Existing law does not prohibit a state body from holding an open or closed meeting by teleconference for the benefit of the public and state body. This bill would require a member of a state body participating by teleconference to be listed in the meeting minutes.

(Holden D) Building standards: public restrooms: grab bars. **AB 2994**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/16/2018 html pdf Introduced: 2/16/2018 Status: 3/12/2018-Referred to Com. on B. & P. Location: 3/12/2018-A. B.&P. Support: N/A Oppose: N/A

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Summary: The California Building Standards Law provides for the adoption of building standards by state agencies by requiring all state agencies that adopt or propose any building standard to submit the building standard to the California Building Standards Commission for approval or adoption. This bill would require the commission, in the next triennial adoption process of the California Building Standards Code, to adopt standards requiring newly constructed public restrooms to be equipped with grab bars.

AB 3002 (Grayson D) Disability access requirements: information.

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Current Text: Amended: 3/22/2018 html pdf Current Analysis: 04/01/2018 Assembly Judiciary (*text 3/19/2018*) Introduced: 2/16/2018 Last Amend: 3/22/2018 Status: 4/3/2018-Action From JUD.: Do pass as amended. To APPR.. Location: 4/3/2018-A. APPR. Support: California Advocates for Nursing Home Reform; Disability Rights California Oppose: None Desk Policy Floor || Conf. Fiscal Floor Desk Policy Fiscal Enrolled Vetoed Chaptered Conc.

Summary: Existing law requires each city, county, or city and county to provide applicants for a business license or equivalent instrument or permit with certain information regarding compliance with disability access provisions under federal and state law, including information on legal obligations from specified state agencies. This bill would require the above local jurisdictions issuing building permits for renovation or new construction to provide, prior to approval of the accompanying building plan by a local building inspector or planning department, an informational notice directly attached to the applicant's application for a building permit containing specified information.

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<u>AB 3158</u> (<u>Mathis</u> R) Disability access: construction-related access barrier: civil actions.

Current Text: Amended: 3/19/2018 <u>html</u> <u>pdf</u>

Current Analysis: 04/01/2018 Assembly Judiciary (text 3/19/2018)

Introduced: 2/16/2018

Last Amend: 3/19/2018

Status: 4/2/2018-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author. Location: 3/15/2018-A. JUD.

Support: California Apartment Association; California Grocers Association; One individual; California Independent Oil Marketers Association (CIOMA)

Oppose: California Advocates for Nursing Home Reform; Consumer Attorneys of California; Disability Rights California; Californias for Disability Rights; American Civil Liberties Union of Northern California (ACLU)

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Calendar: 4/10/2018 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY JUDICIARY - SPECIAL ORDER, STONE, Chair

Summary: Current law imposes civil liability upon any person or persons, firm, or corporation who denies or interferes with admittance to or enjoyment of public facilities or otherwise interferes with the rights of an individual with a disability, as specified. This bill would prohibit a cause of action on the basis of a construction-related access barrier in an existing public accommodation by an individual who alleges to have been aggrieved by the existence of the access barrier from accruing unless specified conditions are met, including that a written notice has been sent to the owner and operator, as specified.

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Calendar: 4/10/2018 9:30 a.m. - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203) SENATE GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION, DODD, Chair

Summary: Current law establishes various boards and commissions within state government. Under current law, it is the policy of the State of California that the composition of these state boards and commissions broadly reflect the general public, including ethnic minorities and women. Under current law, the Governor and other appointing authorities are responsible for nominating to these boards and commissions persons of different backgrounds, abilities, interests, and opinions. This bill would require the composition of state boards and commissions to be comprised of, at a minimum, 50% women.

<u>SB 1038</u> (Leyva D) California Fair Employment and Housing Act: violations: personal liability.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/8/2018 html pdf Introduced: 2/8/2018 Status: 3/29/2018-Set for hearing April 17. Location: 2/22/2018-S. JUD. Support: N/A Oppose: N/A Desk **Policy** Fiscal Desk Policy Fiscal Floor Floor Conf. Enrolled Vetoed Chaptered Conc. 1st House 2nd House

Calendar: 4/17/2018 1:30 p.m. - Room 112 SENATE JUDICIARY, JACKSON, Chair

Summary: Current law prohibits discrimination and harassment in employment based on certain factors, including race, religious creed, gender, or sex. Current law prohibits discharging or discriminating against a person who has opposed any practices prohibited by these provisions or has filed a complaint, testified, or assisted in any proceeding for a violation of these provisions. This bill would impose personal liability on an employee of an entity subject to these provisions for violating the prohibition against discharging or discriminating against a person who has opposed any practices prohibited by these provisions or has filed a complaint, testified, or account discriminating against a person who has opposed any practices prohibited by these provisions or has filed a complaint, testified, or assisted in any proceeding for a violation, regardless of whether the employer or covered entity knew or should have known of the conduct.

Total Measures: 9