

CETPA - Bills of Interest April 9, 2018

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[AB 1743](#) (O'Donnell D) California Career Technical Education Incentive Grant Program.

Status: 3/22/2018-Coauthors revised. From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 6. Noes 0.) (March 21). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/22/2018-A. APPR.

Summary: Current law establishes the California Career Technical Education Incentive Grant Program, administered by the State Department of Education, with the purpose of encouraging and maintaining the delivery of career technical education programs during implementation of the school district and charter school local control funding formula. Current law appropriates specified amounts for the program from the General Fund for the 2015-16, 2016-17, and 2017-18 fiscal years, and provides minimum eligibility standards for grant applicants. This bill would instead specify that the purpose of the program is to encourage and maintain the delivery of high-quality career technical education programs.

Position

Support

Curriculum and Instruction

[AB 1861](#) (Rodriguez D) Pupil instruction: human trafficking: use of social media and mobile device applications.

Status: 3/22/2018-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 6. Noes 0.) (March 21). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/22/2018-A. APPR.

Summary: The California Healthy Youth Act requires school districts to ensure that all pupils in grades 7 to 12, inclusive, receive comprehensive sexual health education and human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) prevention education, as specified. Under the act, this instruction includes, among other things, information about human trafficking, as specified. This bill would require the information about human trafficking to also include information on how social media and mobile device applications are used for human trafficking. By imposing additional duties on school districts, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

Position

[AB 2186](#) (Thurmond D) Education finance: science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) teacher preparation, recruitment, and professional development: grant programs.

Status: 3/21/2018-Re-referred to Com. on ED.

Location: 3/19/2018-A. ED.

Summary: Would appropriate \$50,000,000 from the General Fund to the Department of Education for the 2018-19 fiscal year to establish the Early Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Professional Learning Grants Program to provide one-time competitive grants to local educational agencies to develop, replicate, or expand evidence-based professional development programs for the purpose of enabling local educational agencies to provide transitional kindergarten to grade 8, inclusive, teachers, principals, and other school leaders with high-quality, evidence-based professional development opportunities in order to improve standards-based STEM pedagogical content knowledge, strategies, and leadership.

Position

Support if
Amended

[AB 2265](#) (Obernolte R) High school diplomas: State Seal of STEM.

Status: 3/1/2018-Referred to Com. on ED.

Location: 3/1/2018-A. ED.

Summary: Would establish a State Seal of STEM to recognize high school graduates who have attained a high level of proficiency in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics fields. The bill would establish criteria for the receipt of the State Seal of STEM, would require the Superintendent of Public Instruction to prepare and deliver to participating school districts an appropriate insignia to be affixed to pupil diplomas or transcripts, and would require participating school districts to maintain appropriate records and affix the appropriate insignia to diplomas or transcripts of recipient pupils.

Position

[AB 2523](#) (Grayson D) Computer science: content standards: digital literacy.

Status: 4/2/2018-Re-referred to Com. on ED.

Location: 3/22/2018-A. ED.

Summary: Would require the commission to also consider content standards that include standards for teaching digital literacy, as defined, when considering developing and recommending those computer science content standards.

Position

[ACR 166](#) (Baker R) International Day of Women and Girls in Science.

Status: 3/22/2018-Chaptered by Secretary of State- Chapter 27, Statutes of 2018

Location: 3/22/2018-A. CHAPTERED

Summary: This measure would designate February 11, 2018, as International Day of Women and Girls in Science in the State of California and would encourage all Californians to observe the day and recognize the critical role women and girls play in advancing technology and innovation.

Position

Support

[SB 947](#) (Jackson D) Pupil instruction: digital citizenship and media literacy.

Status: 3/14/2018-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 4. Noes 2.) (March 14). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/14/2018-S. APPR.

Summary: Would require, on or before December 1, 2019, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, in consultation with the executive director of the State Board of Education, to identify best practices and recommendations for instruction in digital citizenship, Internet safety, and media literacy and to report to the appropriate fiscal and policy committees of the Legislature on strategies to implement the best practices and recommendations statewide. The bill would require the Superintendent to convene and consult with an advisory committee consisting of specified representatives in developing the best practices and recommendations.

Position

Support

Data Privacy

[AB 1906](#) (Irwin D) Business regulations: information privacy: connected devices: security features.

Status: 2/5/2018-Referred to Com. on P. & C.P.

Location: 2/5/2018-A. P. & C.P.

Summary: Would require a manufacturer that sells or offers to sell a connected device in California to equip the connected device, as defined, with reasonable security features appropriate to the nature of the device and the information that it may collect, contain, or transmit, to protect the device and any information contained within it from unauthorized access or use. The bill would require the equipped security features for any connected device to include either a security feature that requires a preprogrammed password for access that is unique to each device manufactured or sold, or a security feature that requires the user to create a new password before access is granted for the first time.

Position

[AB 2225](#) (Limón D) State government: storing and recording electronic media.

Status: 3/20/2018-Re-referred to Com. on P. & C.P.

Location: 3/19/2018-A. P. & C.P.

Summary: Would require the Department of Technology and the Secretary of State to approve and adopt appropriate uniform statewide standards for the purpose of storing and recording permanent documents in electronic media, and would specify that "cloud computing" shall be defined by the Department of Technology based on industry-recognized standards, consistent with the intent of the state law.

Position

Watch

[AB 2511](#) (Chau D) The Parent's Social Media Accountability and Child Protection Act.

Status: 3/22/2018-Re-referred to Com. on P. & C.P.

Location: 3/5/2018-A. P. & C.P.

Summary: Would prohibit a person or business that conducts business in California, that operates an Internet Web site or application that uses a minor's name, picture, or any information about the minor on a social media Internet Web site, as specified, or that sells those products and services that are to sell to a minor or that requires permission from a parent or legal guardian in order to sell to a minor, from engaging in specified acts, including soliciting or knowingly permitting the minor to agree to terms or conditions on behalf of an adult, or obtaining or seeking to obtain consent from the minor for any policy, practice, term, or condition through the business' generally applicable terms and conditions of use, as specified.

Position

[AB 2678](#) (Irwin D) Privacy: personal information: breach: notification.

Status: 4/2/2018-Re-referred to Com. on P. & C.P.

Location: 3/22/2018-A. P. & C.P.

Summary: Current law requires a person or business conducting business in California that owns or licenses computerized data that includes personal information, as defined, to disclose a breach in the security of the data to a resident of California whose encrypted or unencrypted personal information was, or is reasonably believed to have been, acquired by an unauthorized person, as specified. The bill would require the notification provided to an affected person, if the breach exposed or may have exposed specified personal information, to include, among other things, notice that the affected person may elect to place a security freeze on his or her credit report and an explanation of how a security freeze differs from identity theft prevention and mitigation services.

Position

[AB 2812](#) (Limón D) Data storage and protection standards: local agencies.

Status: 4/2/2018-Re-referred to Com. on P. & C.P.

Location: 3/22/2018-A. P. & C.P.

Summary: Would create the Office of Cloud Migration in the Department of Technology, contingent upon the appropriation of the necessary funds by the Legislature. The bill would require the office to promote cloud-based data storage as an efficient and cost-effective means of data storage and protection for local agencies and to assist local agencies in integrating cloud-based storage into their information technology systems and their technology recovery plans, as specified. The bill would require the office to operate in partnership with private industry and the nonprofit community to maximize the assistance provided to local agencies.

Position

Energy

[AB 2068](#) (Chu D) Electricity: rates: public schools.

Status: 4/4/2018-Re-referred to Com. on U. & E.

Location: 2/16/2018-A. U. & E.

Summary: Would require the Public Utilities Commission to coordinate with all electrical and gas corporations to evaluate the feasibility and economic impacts of establishing a public school electric and gas rate that would reflect a discount of at least 15% from the current rate structure. This report shall be submitted to the Legislature, by January 1, 2020, and includes specified requirements. The California Constitution requires the state to reimburse local agencies and school districts for certain costs mandated by the state. Statutory provisions establish procedures for making that reimbursement. This bill would provide that no reimbursement is required by this act for a specified reason.

Position

[SB 1338](#) (Hueso D) Electrical and gas corporations: rates.

Status: 3/1/2018-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/16/2018-S. RLS.

Summary: Current law requires the Public Utilities Commission to develop policies, rules, or regulations with a goal of reducing, by January 1, 2024, the statewide level of gas and electric service disconnections for nonpayment by residential customers, as specified, and requires the commission, in each gas and electrical corporation general rate case, to, among other things, conduct an assessment of and properly identify the impact of any proposed increase in rates on disconnections for nonpayment. Current law requires the commission to adopt residential utility disconnections for

nonpayment as a metric and to incorporate the metric into each gas and electrical corporation's general rate case. This bill would make a nonsubstantive change to the requirement that the commission adopt residential utility disconnections for nonpayment as a metric and incorporate that metric into each gas and electrical corporation's general rate case.

Position

Governance/ Operations

[SB 1036](#) (Wilk R) Local educational agencies: minutes of meetings of governing bodies: release of directory information and personal information of pupils and parents or guardians of pupils.

Status: 4/3/2018-Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 4/3/2018-S. APPR.

Summary: Current law authorizes school districts to release pupil directory information, as specified, and defines directory information as one or more prescribed items, including, among others, a pupil's name, address, telephone number, and date of birth. This bill would prohibit the release of directory information, as defined, and personal information, as defined, of a pupil or of the parent or guardian of a pupil in the minutes of a meeting of the governing body, as defined, of a local educational agency, as defined, except with written permission, as specified. To the extent the bill would add to the duties of local educational agencies, it would impose a state-mandated local program.

Position

Guns

[AB 1747](#) (Rodriguez D) School safety plans.

Status: 4/4/2018-Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 4/3/2018-A. APPR.

Summary: Would provide that it is the intent of the Legislature that all public schools, in kindergarten, and grades 1 to 12, inclusive, operated by school districts or charter schools, develop a comprehensive school safety plan. The bill, for purposes of the comprehensive school safety plan provisions, would define "school".

Position

[AB 2067](#) (Gallagher R) School safety: armed school resource officers.

Status: 4/4/2018-Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 4/3/2018-A. APPR.

Summary: Would require a school district or a charter school to hire or contract with at least one armed school resource officer, as defined, authorized to carry a loaded firearm, to be present at each school of the school district or charter school during regular school hours and any other time when pupils are present on campus. By imposing an additional requirement on school districts and charter schools, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

Position

[AB 2318](#) (Flora R) Gun-free school zone.

Status: 3/19/2018-Re-referred to Com. on PUB. S.

Location: 3/15/2018-A. PUB. S.

Summary: Current law makes it a crime to possess a firearm in a place that the person knows, or reasonably should know, is a school zone. This bill would exempt from that crime a person who holds a valid concealed carry license who is carrying the firearm described in the license to, from, or in a church, synagogue, or building used as a place of worship on the grounds of a public or private school providing instruction in kindergarten or grades 1 to 12, inclusive, if the person has the written permission of the school authority. The bill would apply other conditions to the exemption.

Position

LCFF

[AB 2583](#) (Muratsuchi D) Education finance: local control funding formula.
Status: 2/16/2018-From printer. May be heard in committee March 18.
Location: 2/15/2018-A. PRINT
Summary: Current law, commencing with the 2017–18 fiscal year, requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to add a specified amount to the annual apportionment to each county superintendent of schools as part of the county local control funding formula, as provided, and, commencing with the 2018–19 fiscal year, requires that amount to be adjusted by a specified cost-of-living adjustment. Existing law requires a specified adjustment to revenue limit funding for school districts and charter school block grant funding for charter schools for the 2012–13 fiscal year and prior fiscal years. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Position
Watch

[AB 2808](#) (Muratsuchi D) Education finance: local control funding formula: funding increase.
Status: 4/3/2018-Re-referred to Com. on ED.
Location: 3/8/2018-A. ED.
Summary: Would delete the provision specifying the amount of the base grant in the 2013–14 fiscal year and would instead specify new, higher amounts for the 2019–20 fiscal year, which would also increase the supplemental and concentration grant amounts and result in various other changes to funding calculations for purposes of the local control funding formula. The bill instead would impose that average class enrollment condition upon full implementation of the local control funding formula or commencing with the 2019–20 fiscal year, whichever is earlier.

Position
Watch

Retirement/ PERS/ STRS

[SB 1031](#) (Moorlach R) Public employees' retirement: cost-of-living adjustments: prohibitions.
Status: 4/5/2018-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on P.E. & R.
Location: 2/22/2018-S. P.E. & R.
Summary: Would prohibit a public retirement system, as defined, from making a cost-of-living adjustment to any allowance payable to, or on behalf of, a person retired under the system who becomes a new member on or after January 1, 2019, or to any survivor or beneficiary of that member or person retired under the system, for any year in which the unfunded actuarial liability of that system is greater than 20%. The bill would require that the determination of unfunded actuarial liability be based on a specified financial report and would apply the prohibition on cost-of-living adjustments, if any, to the calendar year following the fiscal year upon which the report is based.

Position
Oppose

School Finance

[AB 1974](#) (Gonzalez Fletcher D) Pupils: collection of debt.
Status: 4/4/2018-Re-referred to Com. on APPR.
Location: 4/3/2018-A. APPR.
Summary: Would enact the Public School Fair Debt Collection Act. The act would provide that a pupil or former pupil, unless emancipated at the time the debt is incurred, can never owe or be billed for a debt owed to a public school or school district, county office of education, charter school, or state special school. The act would prohibit those educational entities from taking negative actions against a pupil or former pupil because of a debt owed to the educational entity, including, among other things, denying or withholding grades or transcripts, or denying or withholding a diploma.

Position

School Safety

[AB 2291](#) (Chiu D) School safety: bullying.
Status: 3/1/2018-Referred to Com. on ED.
Location: 3/1/2018-A. ED.

Summary: Current law provides that school districts and county offices of education are responsible for the overall development of a comprehensive school safety plan for each of its schools, and requires the plans to include, among other elements, appropriate strategies that will address the school's procedures for complying with current laws related to school safety, including a discrimination and harassment policy, as specified. Current law provides that the Legislature encourages, as comprehensive school safety plans are reviewed and updated, all plans, to the extent that resources are available, to include policies and procedures aimed at the prevention of bullying. This bill would delete the statement encouraging comprehensive school safety plans to include policies and procedures aimed at the prevention of bullying.

Position

[AB 3067](#) (Chau D) Internet: marketing: minors: cannabis.

Status: 3/22/2018-Referred to Coms. on B. & P. and P. & C.P.

Location: 3/22/2018-A. B.&P.

Summary: Would prohibit an operator of an Internet Web site, online service, online application, or mobile application directed to minors, or an advertising service that is notified by an operator that the site, service, or application is directed to minors, from marketing or advertising any cannabis, cannabis product, cannabis business, or cannabis-related instrument or paraphernalia on the Internet Web site, online service, online application, or mobile application.

Position

[SB 1315](#) (Nielsen R) Cannabis: packaging and labeling.

Status: 3/1/2018-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/16/2018-S. RLS.

Summary: The Medicinal and Adult-Use Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act (MAUCRSA), which includes the Control, Regulate and Tax Adult Use of Marijuana Act (AUMA), enacted by the voters at the November 8, 2016, statewide general election, provides for the licensure and regulation of commercial cannabis activity. Current law places restrictions on the packaging and labeling of cannabis and cannabis products, including prohibiting the packaging and labeling from being attractive to children and prescribing statements to be printed on the packaging. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Position

[SB 1385](#) (Hueso D) School safety: policies and procedures: pupil harassment and bias-based bullying.

Status: 3/8/2018-Referred to Com. on RLS.

Location: 2/16/2018-S. RLS.

Summary: Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would require school districts to implement policies and procedures to effectively address pupil harassment and bias-based bullying in California schools.

Position

Technology

[AB 2182](#) (Levine D) Privacy: Department of Consumer Affairs: California Data Protection Authority.

Status: 3/19/2018-Re-referred to Com. on P. & C.P.

Location: 3/15/2018-A. P. & C.P.

Summary: Would require the Department of Consumer Affairs to establish the California Data Protection Authority to, among other things, adopt regulations as necessary to protect California residents, including regulations to standardize online user agreements to facilitate the removal of personal information from an edge provider database and to prohibit edge provider Internet Web sites from conducting potentially harmful experiments on nonconsenting users. This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to ensure that personal information can be removed from the database of an edge provider, as defined, when a user chooses not to continue to be a customer of that edge provider.

Position

[AB 2662](#) (Chau D) State government: Office of Planning and Research: electronic media: child development.

Status: 4/4/2018-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on A., E., S., T., & I.M. (Ayes 10. Noes 0.)

(April 3). Re-referred to Com. on A.,E.,S.,T., & I.M.

Location: 4/3/2018-A. A.,E.,S.,T., & I.M.

Summary: Would require the Office of Planning and Research to enter into appropriate arrangements with relevant state agencies to establish an independent panel of experts to review, synthesize, and report on research, theory, and applications in the social, behavioral, and biological sciences and to establish research priorities regarding the positive and negative roles and impacts of electronic media use, and exposure to its content and the medium on youth, as specified. The bill would require the office, during the first year in which the panel is implementing these duties, to provide for the conduct of initial pilot projects to supplement and inform the panel in its work.

Position

AB 3193 (Chau D) Information security.

Status: 4/2/2018-Re-referred to Com. on P. & C.P.

Location: 3/22/2018-A. P. & C.P.

Summary: Current law requires the State Chief Information Officer to establish an information security program, including, among other things, the creation, updating, and publishing of information security and privacy policies, standards, and procedures the State Administrative Manual. Current law requires certain state entities to implement and comply with the policies and procedures issued by the office. This bill would revise the implementation requirement described above to provide that all state agencies, as defined, must implement and comply with the policies and procedures issued by the office.

Position

SB 822 (Wiener D) Communications: broadband Internet access service.

Status: 3/23/2018-Set for hearing April 17.

Location: 3/21/2018-S. E. U., & C.



Summary: Would revise the Consumers Legal Remedies Act to prohibit specified actions by an Internet service provider, as defined, that provides broadband Internet access service, as defined, and would authorize the Attorney General to enforce those prohibitions pursuant to specified laws. This bill would prohibit a public entity, as defined, from purchasing, or providing funding for the purchase of, any fixed or mobile broadband Internet access services that violate these prohibitions.

Position

Support

SR 74 (De León D) Relative to net neutrality.

Status: 2/12/2018-Read. Adopted. (Ayes 25. Noes 8.)

Location: 2/12/2018-S. ADOPTED

Summary: Would resolve by the Senate of the State of California, That the public interest in a free and open Internet outweighs the profits and political motives of Internet service providers. The Senate urges the FCC to reinstate the 2015 Open Internet Order. The Senate urges the United States Congress to intervene to protect net neutrality and codify its principles in statute. The Senate commends the efforts of United States Senator Markey, Congressman Doyle, and their colleagues to use the Congressional Review Act to issue a resolution of disapproval to reverse the FCC's misguided decision to repeal the 2015 Open Internet Order.

Position

Total Measures: 31

Total Tracking Forms: 31