

**FDAC Legislative Status Report**  
**Report Date: 3/14/2015**



**[AB 2](#)**

**(Alejo D) Community revitalization authority.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 12/1/2014 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 12/1/2014

**Status:** 12/2/2014-From printer. May be heard in committee January 1.

**Location:** 12/1/2014-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would authorize certain local agencies to form a community revitalization authority within a community revitalization and investment area, as defined, to carry out provisions of the Community Redevelopment Law in that area for purposes related to, among other things, infrastructure, affordable housing, and economic revitalization, and to provide for the financing of these activities by, among other things, the issuance of bonds serviced by tax increment revenues.

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Priority</b>	<b>Assigned</b>	<b>Subject</b>
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	Redevelopment

**[AB 10](#)**

**(Gatto D) Political Reform Act of 1974: economic interest disclosures.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 12/1/2014 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 12/1/2014

**Status:** 1/16/2015-Referred to Com. on E. & R.

**Location:** 1/16/2015-A. E. & R.

**Summary:** Would increase the thresholds at which a public official has a disqualifying financial interest in sources of income from \$500 to \$1,000, in investments in business entities from \$2,000 to \$5,000, and in interests in real property from \$2,000 to \$10,000. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Priority</b>	<b>Assigned</b>	<b>Subject</b>
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 22](#)**

**(Rodriguez D) Office of Emergency Services: oil-by-rail spills: firefighters.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 12/1/2014 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 12/1/2014

**Status:** 2/17/2015-Referred to Com. on G.O.

**Location:** 2/17/2015-A. G.O.

**Summary:** Would require the Curriculum Development Advisory Committee to review the curriculum and courses of instruction offered by public and private programs that train firefighters in response methods for oil-by-rail spills, require the Office of Emergency Services to compile a list of those curriculum and courses of instruction and make that list available to all fire departments and establish a program to reimburse fire departments for costs incurred by those departments in sending firefighters to trainings, as provided.

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Priority</b>	<b>Assigned</b>	<b>Subject</b>
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 37](#)**

**(Campos D) Unmanned aircraft systems.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 12/1/2014 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 12/1/2014

**Status:** 1/22/2015-Referred to Coms. on PUB. S. and P. & C.P.

**Location:** 1/22/2015-A. PUB. S.

**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.

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Priority</b>	<b>Assigned</b>	<b>Subject</b>
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 67](#)**

**(Gonzalez D) Double Pay on the Holiday Act of 2015.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 12/17/2014 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 12/17/2014

**Status:** 1/22/2015-Referred to Com. on L. & E.

**Location:** 1/22/2015-A. L. & E.

**Calendar:** 3/18/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, ROGER HERNÁNDEZ, Chair

**Summary:** Would enact the Double Pay on the Holiday Act of 2015 that would require an employer to

pay at least 2 times the regular rate of pay to an employee for work on a family holiday as defined. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 83](#) (Gatto D) Information Practices Act of 1977.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 1/6/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 1/6/2015

**Status:** 1/7/2015-From printer. May be heard in committee February 6.

**Location:** 1/6/2015-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law, the Information Practices Act of 1977, defines specified terms for its purposes. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 102](#) (Rodriguez D) Railroad safety and emergency planning and response.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 1/8/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 1/8/2015

**Status:** 1/9/2015-From printer. May be heard in committee February 8.

**Location:** 1/8/2015-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law requires the California Environmental Protection Agency to develop a state railroad accident prevention and immediate deployment plan, in consultation with specified state entities, other potentially affected state, local, or federal agencies, and affected businesses, and designates the Railroad Accident Prevention and Immediate Deployment Force as being responsible for implementing the plan, acting cooperatively and in concert with existing local emergency response units. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to these provisions. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 168](#) (Maienschein R) Local government finance.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 1/22/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 1/22/2015

**Status:** 1/23/2015-From printer. May be heard in committee February 22.

**Location:** 1/22/2015-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law requires the county auditor, in the case in which a qualifying city becomes the successor agency to a special district as a result of a merger with that district as described in a specified statute, to additionally allocate to that successor qualifying city that amount of property tax revenue that otherwise would have been allocated to that special district pursuant to general allocation requirements. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to the provision pertaining to property tax revenue allocations to a qualifying city that merges with a special district.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC	Watch		RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 182](#) (Alejo D) California Voting Rights Act of 2001.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 1/26/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 1/26/2015

**Status:** 2/2/2015-Referred to Coms. on E. & R. and JUD.

**Location:** 2/2/2015-A. E. & R.

**Summary:** Would provide parallel provisions that prohibit the use of a district-based election in a political subdivision if it would impair the ability of a protected class, as defined, to elect candidates of its choice or otherwise influence the outcome of an election. The bill would require a court to implement specified remedies upon a finding that a district-based election was imposed or applied in a manner that impaired the ability of a protected class to elect candidates of its choice or otherwise influence the outcome of an election.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 183](#) (Waldron R) Local government finance.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 1/26/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 1/26/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Com. on B. & F.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-A. B. & F.

**Summary:** Current law requires the county auditor, in the case in which a "qualifying city" becomes the

successor agency to a special district as a result of a merger with that district as described in a specified statute, to additionally allocate to that successor qualifying city that amount of property tax revenue that otherwise would have been allocated to that special district pursuant to general allocation requirements. This bill would make a nonsubstantive change to the provision pertaining to property tax revenue allocations to a qualifying city that merges with a special district.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 203 (Obernolte R) State responsibility areas: fire prevention fees.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 1/29/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 1/29/2015

**Status:** 2/9/2015-Referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

**Location:** 2/9/2015-A. NAT. RES.

**Calendar:** 3/23/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY NATURAL RESOURCES, WILLIAMS, Chair

**Summary:** Current law requires that a fire prevention fee be charged on each habitable structure on a parcel that is within a state responsibility area, collected annually by the State Board of Equalization, and specifies that the annual fee shall be due and payable 30 days from the date of assessment by the state board. Current law authorizes a petition for redetermination of the fee to be filed within 30 days after service of a notice of determination. This bill would extend the time when the fire prevention fee is due and payable from 30 to 60 days from the date of assessment by the State Board of Equalization and would authorize the petition for redetermination to be filed within 60 days after service of the notice of determination, as specified.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC	Support		RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 237 (Daly D) Local governments: parcel taxes: notice.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/5/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/5/2015

**Status:** 2/17/2015-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

**Location:** 2/17/2015-A. L. GOV.

**Summary:** Would require, before the adoption of any new parcel tax, the legislative body of a local agency, as defined, to provide at least 90 days' notice of the vote to enact the proposed parcel tax to the owner of each parcel affected by the tax. This bill would require the notice to include specified information and to be provided to the property owner in a specified manner. This bill would provide that the local agency may recover the reasonable costs of the notice from the proceeds of the parcel tax.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 241 (Gordon D) Bankruptcy: retired employees: disclosure of names and mailing addresses.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/5/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/5/2015

**Status:** 2/17/2015-Referred to Coms. on L. GOV. and P. & C.P.

**Location:** 2/17/2015-A. L. GOV.

**Summary:** Would require, notwithstanding any other law and under certain conditions, a local public entity to provide the name and mailing address of each retired employee or his or her beneficiary receiving the retired employee's retirement benefit to any organization that is incorporated and qualified under specific state and federal laws for the purpose of representing retired employees or their beneficiaries as members of the organization in a neutral evaluation process, the declaration of a fiscal emergency and adoption of a resolution, or a bankruptcy proceeding, as specified.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 251 (Levine D) Public works: public subsidies.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/9/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/9/2015

**Status:** 2/17/2015-Referred to Com. on L. & E.

**Location:** 2/17/2015-A. L. & E.

**Calendar:** 3/18/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT, ROGER HERNÁNDEZ, Chair

**Summary:** Would provide that a public subsidy is de minimis if it is both less than \$25,000 and less than 1% of the total project cost. The bill would specify that those provisions do not apply to a project that was advertised for bid, or a contract that was awarded, before January 1, 2016.

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**[AB 259](#) (Dababneh D) Personal information: privacy.****Current Text:** Introduced: 2/9/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)**Introduced:** 2/9/2015**Status:** 2/17/2015-Referred to Com. on P. & C.P.**Location:** 2/17/2015-A. P. & C.P.**Calendar:** 3/17/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 126 ASSEMBLY PRIVACY AND CONSUMER PROTECTION, GATTO, Chair**Summary:** Current law requires an agency that owns or licenses computerized data that includes personal information, as defined, to provide notification of any breach in the security of that data to any California resident whose personal information may have been compromised by the breach, as specified. This bill would additionally require an agency, if the agency was the source of the breach and the breach compromised a person's social security number, driver's license number, or California identification card number, to offer to provide the person with identity theft prevention and mitigation services at no cost for not less than 12 months, as specified.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 278](#) (Hernández, Roger D) District-based municipal elections.****Current Text:** Introduced: 2/11/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)**Introduced:** 2/11/2015**Status:** 2/23/2015-Referred to Coms. on E. & R. and L. GOV.**Location:** 2/23/2015-A. E. & R.**Calendar:** 3/25/2015 9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 444 ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS AND REDISTRICTING, RIDLEY-THOMAS, Chair**Summary:** Would require the legislative body of a city with a population of 100,000 or more to adopt an ordinance, without submitting the ordinance to the voters of the city for approval, for the election of members of the legislative body by district. This bill would require that the boundary lines of each district be adjusted in accordance with specified provisions of law. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 283](#) (Dababneh D) Financial affairs.****Current Text:** Introduced: 2/11/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)**Introduced:** 2/11/2015**Status:** 2/23/2015-Referred to Coms. on L. GOV. and B. & F.**Location:** 2/23/2015-A. L. GOV.**Summary:** With respect to investments other than a certificate of deposit, current law limits the percentage of local agency funds that may be invested by any one private sector entity. Current law, on and after January 1, 2017, limits this authority to invest surplus funds to investments in certificates of deposit. This bill would eliminate the limitation that would become operative on January 1, 2017, and thus would indefinitely continue the existing authority for a local agency to invest its surplus funds, in certificates of deposit or in another form of investment.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 295](#) (Gipson D) Public employment: employee organizations.****Current Text:** Introduced: 2/12/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)**Introduced:** 2/12/2015**Status:** 2/23/2015-Referred to Com. on P.E., R., & S.S.**Location:** 2/23/2015-A. P.E.,R. & S.S.**Summary:** Would require a public agency, if the public agency becomes the successor employer to a private employer that offers emergency medical transportation services, to immediately recognize a new bargaining unit consisting of the emergency medical transportation employees of the predecessor private employer and recognize an employee organization as the exclusive representative of the new bargaining unit if the employee organization meets specified certification or recognition requirements.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 299](#) (Brown D) Public health: drownings.****Current Text:** Introduced: 2/12/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)**Introduced:** 2/12/2015**Status:** 2/23/2015-Referred to Com. on HEALTH.

**Location:** 2/23/2015-A. HEALTH

**Summary:** Would require the State Department of Public Health to create, by regulation, a submersion incident report form for the reporting of all statewide drownings or near drownings, as specified. The bill would require the form to be used and completed by every local law enforcement entity, fire department, and any other first responder, as defined, for every drowning or near drowning for which the entity, department, or first responder provides services or investigates. The bill would require the form to be submitted to the department, and as specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 301 (Bigelow R) State responsibility areas: fire prevention fees.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/12/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/12/2015

**Status:** 2/23/2015-Referred to Com. on NAT. RES.

**Location:** 2/23/2015-A. NAT. RES.

**Calendar:** 3/23/2015 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY NATURAL RESOURCES, WILLIAMS, Chair

**Summary:** Current law requires the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection to adopt emergency regulations to establish a fire prevention fee in an amount not to exceed \$150 to be charged annually on each habitable structure on a parcel that is within a state responsibility area. This bill would require the fee to be prorated for an owner, upon whom a fee is imposed, if that owner owns the habitable structure for only a portion of the year for which the fee is due.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 313 (Atkins D) Enhanced infrastructure financing districts.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/12/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/12/2015

**Status:** 2/23/2015-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

**Location:** 2/23/2015-A. L. GOV.

**Summary:** Would require, after the adoption of a resolution of intention to establish a proposed district, the legislative body to send a copy of the resolution to the public financing authority. This bill would revise the duties of the public financing authority after the resolution of intention to establish the proposed district has been adopted, so that the public financing authority, instead of the legislative body, will perform the specified duties related to the preparation, proposal, and adoption of the infrastructure financing plan and the adoption of the formation of the district.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 327 (Gordon D) Public works: volunteers.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/13/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/13/2015

**Status:** 2/23/2015-Referred to Com. on L. & E.

**Location:** 2/23/2015-A. L. & E.

**Summary:** All workers employed on public works projects are required to be paid not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for work, except as specified. Current law governing public works does not apply to specified work performed by a volunteer, a volunteer coordinator, or a member of the California Conservation Corps or a community conservation corps. These provisions are effective only until January 1, 2017, and as of that date are repealed. This bill would delete that repeal date provision, effectively extending those provisions indefinitely. The bill would also delete an obsolete provision.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 341 (Achadjian R) Financial affairs: reports.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/13/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/13/2015

**Status:** 2/23/2015-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

**Location:** 2/23/2015-A. L. GOV.

**Summary:** Current law requires the officer of each local agency, who has charge of the financial records of the local agency, to furnish to the Controller a report of all the financial transactions of the local agency during the next preceding fiscal year within 90 days of the close of each fiscal year, or within 110 days if the report is furnished in an electronic format. This bill would require the report to contain underlying data from audited financial statements, as specified, if this data is available.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

[AB 368](#) **(Steinorth R) Community redevelopment.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/17/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/17/2015

**Status:** 2/18/2015-From printer. May be heard in committee March 20.

**Location:** 2/17/2015-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law relating to redevelopment agencies provides for specified payments with respect to development project areas. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

[AB 385](#) **(Chu D) Local agencies.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/18/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/18/2015

**Status:** 2/19/2015-From printer. May be heard in committee March 21.

**Location:** 2/18/2015-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law defines the term "legislative body" for purposes of laws relating to cities, counties, and other local agencies. This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to that definition.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

[AB 402](#) **(Dodd D) Local agency services: contracts.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/19/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/19/2015

**Status:** 3/2/2015-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

**Location:** 3/2/2015-A. L. GOV.

**Summary:** Would allow a local agency formation commission to authorize a city or district to provide new or extended services outside its jurisdictional boundaries to support existing or planned uses involving public or private properties, subject to approval at a publicly noticed hearing where the commission makes specified determinations. The bill would also make technical and conforming changes.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

[AB 448](#) **(Brown D) Local government finance: property tax revenue allocations: vehicle license fee adjustments.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/23/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/23/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-A. L. GOV.

**Summary:** Current property tax law requires the county auditor, in each fiscal year, to allocate property tax revenue to local jurisdictions in accordance with specified formulas and procedures, and generally provides that each jurisdiction shall be allocated an amount equal to the total of the amount of revenue allocated to that jurisdiction in the prior fiscal year, subject to certain modifications, and that jurisdiction's portion of the annual tax increment, as defined. This bill would modify these reduction and transfer provisions, for the 2015-16 fiscal year and for each fiscal year thereafter, by providing for a vehicle license fee adjustment amount calculated on the basis of changes in assessed valuation.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

[AB 510](#) **(Rodriguez D) Emergency services: 911 emergency communication system.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/23/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/23/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on G.O.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-A. G.O.

**Summary:** Would require the Office of Emergency Services, by January 1, 2017, to conduct a comprehensive review of California's 911 emergency communications system, including all public safety answering points, available technology, funding needs, and telephone and equipment limitations, and provide a report on its findings to the Legislature, to include specified information and recommendations. This bill contains other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 537](#) (Allen, Travis R) Public employees' benefits.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/23/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/23/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on P.E., R., & S.S.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-A. P.E.,R. & S.S.

**Summary:** Current law permits the Board of Administration of the Public Employees' Retirement System to authorize an employer to participate in the prefunding of health care coverage and other postemployment benefits for annuitants. This bill would prohibit a public agency, state employer, employee organization, or public employee from entering into a memorandum of understanding that provides postemployment health care benefits without a strategy for permanently prefunding members' postemployment health care benefits.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 571](#) (Brown D) Property taxation.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/24/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/24/2015

**Status:** 3/9/2015-Referred to Com. on REV. & TAX.

**Location:** 3/9/2015-A. REV. & TAX

**Summary:** The California Constitution and existing property tax law authorize persons over the age of 55 and persons who are severely and permanently disabled, as specified, to transfer the base year value, as defined, of property to replacement property, if certain conditions are met. This bill would additionally authorize the transfer of the base year value of property to replacement property for persons who have a severely and permanently disabled child.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 644](#) (Wood D) Land use: general plan: safety element: fire hazard impacts.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/24/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/24/2015

**Status:** 3/9/2015-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.

**Location:** 3/9/2015-A. L. GOV.

**Summary:** Under the Subdivision Map Act, the legislative body of a county is required to make 3 specified findings before approving a tentative map, or a parcel map for which a tentative map was not required, for an area located in a state responsibility area or a very high fire hazard severity zone, as defined. This bill would exempt from those requirements the approval of a tentative map, or a parcel map for which a tentative map was not required, that would subdivide land identified in the open space element of the general plan for the management of resources, as defined.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 651](#) (Cooper D) Public safety officers and firefighters: investigations and interviews.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/24/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/24/2015

**Status:** 3/9/2015-Referred to Com. on P.E., R., & S.S.

**Location:** 3/9/2015-A. P.E.,R. & S.S.

**Summary:** The Firefighters Procedural Bill of Rights Act and the Public Safety Officers Procedural Bill of Rights Act require that, when a firefighter or public safety officer is under investigation and is interrogated by his or her commanding officer, or another member of the employing agency, on matters than that could lead to punitive action, the interrogation be conducted under certain conditions. This bill would authorize an employing public agency to grant the right of representation to a firefighter or public safety officer if an interview regarding the investigation of another firefighter or public safety officer focuses on matters that may, or are likely to, result in punitive action against the firefighter or officer who is not formally under investigation.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 654](#) (Brown D) Community redevelopment.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/24/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/24/2015

**Status:** 2/25/2015-From printer. May be heard in committee March 27.

**Location:** 2/24/2015-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Would state the intent of the Legislature that the use of residual revenues, derived from an additional property tax rate approved by the voters of a city, county, city and county, or special district to make payments in support of capital projects and programs related to the State Water Project, be consistent with the use of those revenues approved by the voters of the relevant jurisdiction.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 712** (Mullin D) **Redevelopment: successor agencies: Recognized Obligation Payment Schedule.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/25/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/25/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Coms. on L. GOV. and H. & C.D.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-A. L. GOV.

**Summary:** Would, commencing July 1, 2016, revise the timeline for the preparation of the required Recognized Obligation Payment Schedule to provide that the successor agency prepare a schedule for a 12-month fiscal period, with the first of these periods beginning July 1, 2016, and would authorize the Recognized Obligation Payment Schedule to be amended by the oversight board during a 12-month fiscal period if the amendment is approved at least 90 days before the date of the next property tax distribution.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 806** (Dodd D) **Redevelopment: successor agencies to redevelopment agencies.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/26/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/26/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Coms. on L. GOV. and H. & C.D.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-A. L. GOV.

**Summary:** Would authorize a successor agency, if the successor agency has received a finding of completion, to enter into, or amend existing, contracts and agreements, or otherwise administer projects in connection with enforceable obligations, if the contract, agreement, or project will not commit new property tax funds or otherwise adversely affect the flow of specified tax revenues or payments to the taxing agencies, as specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 814** (Daly D) **Local tax payment.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/26/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/26/2015

**Status:** 2/27/2015-From printer. May be heard in committee March 29.

**Location:** 2/26/2015-A. PRINT

**Summary:** Whenever an amount of money paid by a person to the state includes a sum that can be identified as intended as payment of a locally administered tax that should have been paid directly to a local government within the state, the state is authorized to pay the amount to the local government and notify the payor of its action. Current law prohibits this procedure from being followed unless the governing body of the local government has, by resolution, agreed with respect to those payments that a timely payment received by the state will be regarded as a timely payment to the local government concerned, as provided. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 843** (Hadley R) **Public Employees' Retirement System: public information.**

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**Summary:** Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that improves the methods by which the Public Employees' Retirement System delivers information to the public, that more fully reflects the information practices of the system, and that provides for delivery of information that better satisfies the public's need to understand its operations.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 849** (Bonilla D) **Unlawfully causing a fire: explosion.**

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**Summary:** Unlawfully causing a fire of property is a misdemeanor, except as specified. Current law also imposes sentence enhancements for those crimes, if specified circumstances apply, such as if emergency personnel suffer great bodily injury as a result of the offense. This bill would revise those provisions to specify that they also apply to unlawfully causing an explosion. The bill would also provide that unlawfully causing a fire or an explosion that causes the contents of an inhabited structure or an inhabited property to burn or be damaged by an explosion is a felony punishable by imprisonment in the state prison for 2, 3, or 4 years, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than one year, or by a fine, or by both that imprisonment and fine.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 851** (Mayes R) Local government: organization: disincorporations.

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**Summary:** Would, in the case of a disincorporation or reorganization that includes a disincorporation, require the plan for services to include specific provisions, including, among others, an enumeration and description of the services currently provided by the city proposed for disincorporation and an outline of current retirement obligations, as specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 863** (Dodd D) Modified limousines: passenger safety.

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**Summary:** Current law, on and after January 1, 2016, prohibits any person from operating a modified limousine that is modified prior to July 1, 2015, unless it is equipped with at least 2 rear side doors and one or 2 rear windows that the rear seat passengers or all passengers of the vehicle may open from the inside of the vehicle in case of any fire or other emergency, as specified. This bill would instead make this prohibition operative on January 1, 2017. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 867** (Wagner R) Tax administration: refunds: property tax: state assessment: actions.

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**Summary:** Would, notwithstanding existing law regarding the rule of res judicata, where a tax, fee, assessment, surcharge, or other amount levied or collected by the tax agency, which this bill would define to include the board and the Franchise Tax Board, has been determined to have been illegally levied or collected in a final and nonappealable decision of a court of competent jurisdiction, authorize any person who paid that tax, fee, assessment, surcharge, or other amount to file with the tax agency a claim for refund, within one year after the date of the final and nonappealable decision and would require the tax agency to refund the amount so paid.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 874** (Rendon D) Collective bargaining.

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**Summary:** Current law governs collective bargaining between public employers and recognized employee organizations. Current law generally delegates jurisdiction to the Public Employment Relations Board to resolve disputes and enforce the statutory duties and rights of state, local, and public school employers and employees. This bill would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact

legislation relating to collective bargaining.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 883](#) (Low D) Employment: public employee status.**

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**Summary:** Would prohibit private and public employers from publishing or posting a job advertisement or announcement that states or indicates directly or indirectly that the applicant for employment must not be a current or former public employee. The bill would also prohibit these employers from communicating, directly or indirectly, that an applicant's status as a current or former public employee disqualifies an individual from eligibility for employment or from basing an employment decision on an applicant's current or former employment as a public employee.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 896](#) (Wagner R) Counties: search or rescue: costs.**

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**Summary:** This bill, notwithstanding the specified existing provisions relating to liability for specified emergency response expenses, would provide that whenever a county or city and county either receives a reimbursement claim from another county or city and county for a search or rescue, or conducts its own search or rescue, of one of its residents who is 16 years of age or older, the county or city and county may in turn seek reimbursement for the actual costs incurred from that resident, if the need for the search or rescue necessitated the use of extraordinary methods and was caused by specified acts or omissions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 951](#) (Wilk R) Local agencies.**

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**Summary:** Current law, the Ralph M. Brown Act, requires the legislative body of a local agency to provide the time and place for holding regular meetings of the legislative body. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to this law.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 952](#) (Garcia, Cristina D) Local government: cities: special districts: governing boards: vacancies.**

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**Summary:** Current law requires a school district or community college district governing board, whenever a vacancy occurs or a resignation containing a deferred effective date has been filed with the county superintendent of schools, to either order an election or make a provisional appointment. Current law requires a person appointed to fill a vacancy to hold office only until the next regularly scheduled election for district governing board members that is scheduled 130 or more days after the effective date of the vacancy, at which time an election is required to be held to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the unexpired term. This bill would require the provisional appointee to serve on the board until the next regularly scheduled election.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 966](#) (Baker R) Public works: prevailing wage.**

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**Summary:** Current law requires the Director of Industrial Relations to determine the general prevailing rate of per diem wages in accordance with specified standards. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to that provision.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 992 (Committee on Public Employees, Retirement, and Soc) County Employees Retirement Law of 1937: disability retirement: modification of allowance.**

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**Summary:** CERL permits a member who is eligible to retire for service to do so when an application for disability retirement is pending and provides that the type of retirement allowance selected at the time of retirement for service is not binding if the member is awarded a disability retirement. This bill would specify that a member who applies for disability and is granted a service retirement pending a determination of disability may change the type of allowance that he or she elected at the time of the service retirement, as specified.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1009 (Garcia, Cristina D) Local government: redevelopment: revenues from property tax override rates.**

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**Summary:** Would authorize a city or county that levies a property tax rate, approved by the voters of a city or county to make payments in support of pension programs and levied in addition to the general property tax rate, to make a request to an oversight board to prohibit revenues derived from that property tax rate from being deposited into a Redevelopment Property Tax Fund. This bill would authorize an oversight board to deny this request based on substantial evidence that a former redevelopment agency made a pledge of revenues that specifically included revenues derived from the imposition of that property tax rate.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1027 (Gatto D) Automobile insurance coverage: medical transportation services.**

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**Summary:** Current law provides that an automobile liability insurer that is responsible for coverage for ordinary, reasonable, and necessary medical transportation services to an insured, or to a valid claimant on behalf of an insured, is liable to the person performing those services. Current law provides that the insurer may discharge the obligation by making payment to the person performing those services, to the insured, or to the claimant on behalf of the insured. Current law provides that an insured or claimant who receives that payment, as specified, from the insurer is liable for those charges to the person performing those services. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1072 (Daly D) Insurance: firefighters or police officers' benefit and relief associations.**

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**Summary:** Current law exempts from the requirements set forth in the Insurance Code firemen's, policemen's, and peace officers' benefit and relief associations that comply with specified criteria, including, among other things, a requirement that the membership consist solely of peace officers, members of police or fire departments, and emergency medical personnel employed by fire departments, as specified. Current law prohibits an association from operating or doing business in the state without a certificate of authority, and imposes a filing fee of \$590 for the application for that

certificate. This bill would repeal those provisions and would enact new provisions governing those entities.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1079 (Obernolte R) Successor agencies: due diligence review: finding of completion.**

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**Summary:** Current law requires a successor agency to employ a licensed accountant to conduct a due diligence review to determine the unobligated balances of the former redevelopment agency that are available for transfer to taxing entities. Current law requires the Department of Finance to issue a finding of completion to a successor agency that completes the due diligence review and meets other requirements. This bill would provide that the requirements of a due diligence review have been satisfied if specified conditions with respect to a transfer of assets are met, and would provide in that event, that the successor agency is entitled to a finding of completion by the department.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1111 (Gatto D) Vehicles: parking.**

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**Summary:** Current law generally prohibits a person from stopping or parking a vehicle within 15 feet of a fire hydrant. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to that provision.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1129 (Burke D) Emergency medical services: data and information system.**

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**Summary:** Would require an emergency medical care provider to, when collecting and sharing data with a local EMS agency, use a system that is compliant with the California Emergency Medical Services Information System (CEMSIS) and the National Emergency Medical Services Information System (NEMSIS) standards and ensure that the system can be integrated with the local EMS agency's system, as specified. The bill would prohibit a local EMS agency from mandating that a provider use a specified system to collect and share data with the agency.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1172 (Chau D) California cyber security.**

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**Summary:** Would continue in existence the California Cyber Security Task Force, consisting of specified members, previously created by the Governor's Office of Emergency Services and the Department of Technology, in the Governor's Office of Emergency Services. This bill would authorize the task force to convene stakeholders to act in an advisory capacity and compile policy recommendations on cyber security for the state.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1190 (Cooley D) Public employees: retirement: elections.**

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**Summary:** Current law vests the management and control of the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) in the Board of Administration of the PERS. Existing law provides that the membership of the

board includes 6 members elected under the supervision of the board. Existing law requires the board to distribute ballots to each member of the retirement system in advance of each election, the results of which are required to be certified by the Secretary of State. This bill would additionally authorize an entity designated by the Secretary of the State to provide that mandatory certification of election results.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1202](#) (Mayes R) Fire prevention fee: fee reduction.**

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**Summary:** Would require the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection to reduce the amount of the fire prevention fee to be charged on a habitable structure by an amount equal to the amount paid by the owner of the structure to a local fire district for fire prevention services during the year for which the fee is due, if the owner of the structure provides the board with written documentation of the amount paid to the local fire district for those services.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC	Support		RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1203](#) (Jones-Sawyer D) Office of Emergency Services: Fire Fighter Apprenticeship Program: training: crude oil spills.**

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**Summary:** Would authorize the Office of Emergency Services to contract with the California Fire Fighter Joint Apprenticeship Program to develop a course of instruction on the responsibilities of first responders to incidents involving crude oil spills by rail, and would additionally require the course of instruction to be developed in consultation with individuals knowledgeable about crude oil spills by rail.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1215](#) (Ting D) Open government.**

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**Summary:** Current law requires, with specified exceptions, that all meetings of state and local government entities be open and public and that all persons be permitted to attend and participate. Current law also requires that public records be open to inspection at all times during the office hours of a state or local government entity and that every person has a right to inspect any public record, except as specifically provided. This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to strengthen the state's commitment to an open and transparent government.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1223](#) (O'Donnell D) Emergency medical services: noncritical cases.**

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**Summary:** The Prehospital Emergency Medical Care Personnel Act authorizes a local emergency medical services (EMS) agency to develop and submit a plan to the Emergency Medical Services Authority for an emergency medical services system, and requires the local EMS agency, using state minimum standards, to establish policies and procedures that may require basic life support emergency medical transportation services to meet any medical control requirements including dispatch, patient destination policies, patient care guidelines, and quality assurance requirements. This bill would authorize the policies and procedures to allow for the transportation of a noncritical case that cannot be immediately admitted to a hospital emergency room to another appropriate medical treatment facility, including, but not limited to, a clinic, as defined, or a doctors' office.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1231](#) (Wood D) Medi-Cal: nonmedical transportation.**

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**Summary:** Current law provides for a schedule of benefits under the Medi-Cal program, which includes medical transportation services, subject to utilization controls. This bill would add to the schedule of benefits nonmedical transportation, as defined, for a beneficiary to obtain covered specialty care Medi-Cal services, if those services are more than 60 minutes or 30 miles from the beneficiary's place of residence.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1260](#) (Thurmond D) Enhanced infrastructure financing districts: public financing authority.**

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**Summary:** Current law authorizes the legislative body of a city or a county to establish an enhanced infrastructure financing district, adopt an infrastructure financing plan, and issue bonds, for which only the district is liable, upon approval by 55% of the voters to finance public capital facilities or other specified projects of communitywide significance. Current law requires the legislative body to establish a public financing authority, defined as the governing board of the enhanced infrastructure financing authority, comprised of members of the legislative body of the participating entities and of the public, as provided. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1264](#) (Medina D) Vehicles: emergency contact locator database.**

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**Summary:** Would enact the "Motor Vehicle Emergency Contact Locator Act of 2015" and would require a vehicle identification number emergency contact locator database to be established by motor vehicle manufacturers in conjunction with law enforcement agencies and the National Law Enforcement Telecommunications System. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1290](#) (Dahle R) Community redevelopment.**

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**Summary:** Current law dissolved redevelopment agencies and community development agencies, as of February 1, 2012, and designates successor agencies, as defined. Current law requires successor agencies to wind down the affairs of the dissolved redevelopment agencies. Current law requires a successor agency to, among other things, continue to make payments due for enforceable obligations, remit unencumbered balances to the county auditor-controller for distribution, and dispose of assets, as directed. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1291](#) (Williams D) The County Employees Retirement Law of 1937.**

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**Summary:** Current law, the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937, authorizes counties to establish retirement systems, as specified, in order to provide pension benefits to county, city, and district employees. Current law defines a district for these purposes and includes specified county retirement systems within the definition. This bill would include the retirement system established under these provisions in the County of Ventura within the definition of district. This bill contains other related provisions and other current laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1345](#) (Dahle R) California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: wildfires.**

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**Summary:** Would require the State Air Resources Board, in consultation with the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, no later than January 1, 2017, to estimate the annual greenhouse gas emissions associated with wildfires in California between the years 1990 and 2015, inclusive. The bill would require the state board to develop, no later than January 1, 2017, an emissions baseline for wildfires by calculating the average of the annual greenhouse gas emissions associated with wildfires between the years 1990 and 2015, inclusive.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1346](#) (Gray D) State Emergency Plan.**

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**Summary:** Would require the Office of Emergency Services to update the State Emergency Plan on or before January 1, 2017, and every 5 years thereafter.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1347](#) (Chiu D) Public contracts: claims.**

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**Summary:** Would establish, for contracts entered into on or after January 1, 2016, a claim resolution process applicable to all public entity contracts. The bill would define a claim as a contractor's written demand or assertion, including a request for a modification, contract amendment, or change order, seeking an adjustment or interpretation of the terms of the contract documents, payment of money, extension of time, or other relief, including a determination of disputes or matters arising out of, or related to, the contract documents or the performance of work on a public work. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1396](#) (Bonta D) Medi-Cal.**

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**Summary:** Current federal law requires that a state plan for medical assistance provide methods and procedures relating to the utilization of, and the payment for, care and services available under the plan as may be necessary to assure that payments are consistent with efficiency, economy, and quality of care and are sufficient to enlist enough providers so that care and services are available under the plan at least to the extent that care and services are available to the general population in the geographic area. This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to align state law with federal law, as specified above, and to require an independent, third party to establish standardized metrics on access to care and quality of care, and to assess services using those metrics.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[AB 1411](#) (Garcia, Eduardo D) Fire protection: type 1 clothes dryers.**

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**Summary:** Would require, on or before July 1, 2017, the State Fire Marshal, with the advice of the

State Board of Fire Services, to adopt regulations and standards requiring a visual warning device on a type 1 clothes dryer, as defined, that indicates a hazardous lint buildup. The bill would prohibit, after January 1, 2018, a type 1 clothes dryer from being marketed, distributed, offered for sale, or sold in this state by a retailer unless the dryer incorporates a visual warning device that indicates a hazardous lint buildup.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1412 (Perea D) Redevelopment: successor agencies to redevelopment agencies.**

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**Summary:** Would provide that upon application by the successor agency and approval by the oversight board, loan agreements entered into between the redevelopment agency and the city, county, or city and county that created the redevelopment agency, where the outstanding principal balance of the loan is \$1,250,000 or less, are enforceable obligations if the oversight board finds, among other things, that the loan was for legitimate redevelopment purposes, it was entered into more than 2 years after the creation of the former redevelopment agency and prior to January 1, 2011, and it is the only debt of the former redevelopment agency remaining to be paid on the recognized obligation payment schedule.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1462 (Gonzalez D) Local government.**

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**Summary:** Current law specifies certain hiring practices and other procedures governing officers and employees of local agencies. Current law prohibits local agencies and districts from requiring that their employees be residents of that jurisdiction. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to this prohibition.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**AB 1499 (Gray D) Property tax: revenue allocations.**

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**Summary:** Current property tax law generally requires the county auditor, in each fiscal year, to allocate property tax revenues to local jurisdictions in accordance with specified formulas and procedures, and generally requires that each jurisdiction be allocated an amount equal to the total of the amount of revenue allocated to that jurisdiction in the prior fiscal year, subject to certain modifications, and that jurisdiction's portion of the annual tax increment, as defined. This bill would make a nonsubstantive change to that provision.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**ACA 3 (Gallagher R) Public employees' retirement.**

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**Summary:** Would require, with respect to any public retirement systems, that any enhancement to a public employee's retirement formula or retirement benefit, adopted on or after the measure's effective date, apply only to service performed on and after the operative date of the enhancement and shall not be applied to any service performed prior to the operative date of the change. The measure would specify how changes in membership classification or changes in employment are to be applied in this context. The measure would provide that specified cost-of-living adjustments are not enhancements of retirement benefits.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	



[ACR 10](#)

**(Rodriguez D) Emergency Medical Services Week.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 1/21/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 1/21/2015

**Status:** 2/2/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 2/2/2015-A. RLS.

**Summary:** This measure would proclaim the week of May 17, 2015, through May 23, 2015, as Emergency Medical Services Week.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

[SB 3](#)

**(Leno D) Minimum wage: adjustment.**

**Current Text:** Amended: 3/11/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 12/1/2014

**Last Amend:** 3/11/2015

**Status:** 3/11/2015-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on L. & I.R.

**Location:** 3/11/2015-S. L. & I.R.

**Summary:** Would increase the minimum wage, on and after January 1, 2016, to not less than \$11 per hour, and on and after July 1, 2017, to not less than \$13 per hour. The bill would require, commencing January 1, 2019, the annual automatic adjustment of the minimum wage to maintain employee purchasing power diminished by the rate of inflation during the previous year. The adjustment would be calculated using the California Consumer Price Index, as specified. This bill contains other related provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

[SB 8](#)

**(Hertzberg D) Taxation.**

**Current Text:** Amended: 2/10/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 12/1/2014

**Last Amend:** 2/10/2015

**Status:** 2/19/2015-Re-referred to Com. on GOV. & F.

**Location:** 2/19/2015-S. G. & F.

**Summary:** Would state legislative findings regarding the Upward Mobility Act, key provisions of which would expand the application of the Sales and Use Tax law by imposing a tax on specified services, would enhance the state's business climate, would incentivize entrepreneurship and business creation by evaluating the corporate tax, and would examine the impacts of a lower and simpler personal income tax. This bill contains other related provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

[SB 45](#)

**(Mendoza D) Workforce development: federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act.**

**Current Text:** Amended: 3/9/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 12/12/2014

**Last Amend:** 3/9/2015

**Status:** 3/13/2015-Set for hearing March 25.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-S. L. & I.R.

**Calendar:** 3/25/2015 9:30 a.m. - Rose Ann Vuich Hearing Room (2040) SENATE LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS, MENDOZA, Chair

**Summary:** Would require the state, in conformity with WIOA and after consultation with local boards and chief elected officials, to identify planning regions. The bill would require local boards and chief elected officials to prepare regional plans for those planning regions, as specified. By imposing this requirement on local government, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. The bill would also require the board to aid the Governor in facilitating system alignment across the core programs of WIOA, as defined, and make related and conforming changes. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

[SB 198](#)

**(Morrell R) State responsibility areas: fire prevention fees.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/10/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/10/2015

**Status:** 2/19/2015-Referred to Coms. on N.R. & W. and GOV. & F.

**Location:** 2/19/2015-S. N.R. & W.

**Calendar:** 3/24/2015 Anticipated Hearing SENATE N.R. & W., Not in daily file.

**Summary:** Current law establishes the State Responsibility Area Fire Prevention Fund and prohibits the collection of fire prevention fees if there are sufficient amounts of moneys in the fund to finance specified fire prevention activities for a fiscal year. Current law requires that the fire prevention fees collected, except as provided, be deposited into the fund and be made available to the board and the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection for certain fire protection activities that benefit the owners of structures in state responsibility areas who are required to pay the fee. Current law further requires the board to submit an annual written report to the Legislature on specified topics. This bill would repeal these provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 201** **(Wieckowski D) California Public Records Act.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/10/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/10/2015

**Status:** 2/19/2015-Referred to Com. on JUD.

**Location:** 2/19/2015-S. JUD.

**Summary:** Would require a court, in an action by a third party to enjoin disclosure of a public record or declaratory relief concerning a request to inspect a public record, to apply the provisions of the California Public Records Act as if the action had been initiated by a person requesting disclosure of a public record. The bill would also require the third party seeking an injunction or declaratory relief to provide notice to the person whose request prompted the action at the same time the defendant public agency in the action is served.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 239** **(Hertzberg D) Cities and districts: extended services.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/17/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/17/2015

**Status:** 2/26/2015-Referred to Com. on GOV. & F.

**Location:** 2/26/2015-S. G. & F.

**Summary:** Current law requires the executive officer of a local agency formation commission, within 30 days of receipt of a request for approval by a city or district of a contract to extend services outside its jurisdictional boundary, to determine whether the request is complete and acceptable for filing, as specified. This bill would extend the period within which the executive officer is required to make that determination to 45 days.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 250** **(Gaines R) State responsibility areas: fire prevention fees.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/18/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/18/2015

**Status:** 2/26/2015-Referred to Com. on GOV. & F.

**Location:** 2/26/2015-S. G. & F.

**Summary:** Would extend the time when the fire prevention fee is due and payable from 30 to 60 days from the date of assessment by the State Board of Equalization and would authorize the petition for redetermination to be filed within 60 days after service of the notice of determination, as specified.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 258** **(Bates R) Local government.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/18/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/18/2015

**Status:** 2/26/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 2/26/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would protect the right of the public to participate in open deliberations of the legislative bodies of local agencies by clarifying the appropriate use of special meetings.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 263** **(Gaines R) Fire prevention: state responsibility areas.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/18/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/18/2015

**Status:** 2/26/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 2/26/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Current law makes certain findings and declarations regarding fire protection of the public trust resources on lands in state responsibility areas, including that the costs of fire prevention activities aimed at reducing the effects of structures in state responsibility areas should be borne by the owners of the structures. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to this law.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 265** **(Gaines R) Fire prevention fee.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/18/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/18/2015

**Status:** 2/26/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 2/26/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Current law requires the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection, on or before September 1, 2011, to adopt emergency regulations to establish a fire prevention fee in an amount not to exceed \$150 to be charged on each habitable structure on a parcel that is within a state responsibility area, as defined, and authorizes the board to annually adjust the fire prevention fee using prescribed methods. This bill would make a nonsubstantive change to that law.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 272** **(Hertzberg D) The California Public Records Act: local agencies: inventory.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/19/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/19/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Coms. on GOV. & F. and JUD.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. G. & F.

**Summary:** Would require each local agency, in implementing the California Public Records Act, to conduct an inventory of data gathered by the agency that discloses what data is maintained by the agency, by whom, and with what frequency it is collected. The bill would require the inventory to be available to the public. Because the bill would require local agencies to perform additional duties, it would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 287** **(Hueso D) Automated external defibrillators (AEDs).**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/19/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/19/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Coms. on HEALTH and JUD.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. HEALTH

**Summary:** Would require certain structures that are not owned or operated by the state or any local government entity and are constructed on or after January 1, 2016, to have an AED on the premises. This bill would require a person or entity that supplies an AED to comply with specified existing law regarding AEDs, and would exempt a person or entity that supplies an AED from liability for civil damages resulting from certain uses, attempted uses, or nonuses of an AED, as specified.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 292** **(Pan D) Public Employees' Retirement System: membership: exclusions.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/23/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/23/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** The Public Employees' Retirement Law (PERL) creates the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), which provides a defined benefit to its members based on age at retirement, service credit, and final compensation. Current law defines "member" for purposes of PERL and excludes certain people from membership in PERS. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 293** **(Pan D) Public employees: retirement.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/23/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/23/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Current law, the Public Employees' Retirement Law establishes the Public Employees' Retirement System for the purpose of providing pension benefits to specified public employees. This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to the provision that names that law.

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Priority</b>	<b>Assigned</b>	<b>Subject</b>
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 309** **(Morrell R) County employees' retirement: contribution rates.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/23/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/23/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** The County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL) authorizes counties to establish retirement systems pursuant to its provisions in order to provide pension benefits to county and district employees. CERL establishes the normal rates of contribution for members based on providing a specified, average annuity at 60 years of age. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to those provisions.

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Priority</b>	<b>Assigned</b>	<b>Subject</b>
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 314** **(Berryhill R) Arson.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/23/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/23/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Current law provides that a person is guilty of the crime of arson when he or she willfully and maliciously sets fire to or burns or causes to be burned, or who aids, counsels, or procures the burning of, any structure, forest land, or property. The crime of arson is punishable by imprisonment in the state prison, as specified. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to that provision.

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Priority</b>	<b>Assigned</b>	<b>Subject</b>
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 330** **(Mendoza D) Public officers: contracts: financial interest.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/23/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/23/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on GOV. & F.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. G. & F.

**Summary:** Would, on and after January 1, 2017, and notwithstanding any other law, expand specified prohibitions to deem that a public officer who is an elected member of any state or local body, board, or commission has a prohibited financial interest in a contract pursuant to these provisions, if that public officer's spouse, child, parent, sibling, or the spouse of the child, parent, or sibling has a financial interest in any contract made by that public officer in his or her official capacity, or by any body, board, or commission of which that public officer is a member. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Priority</b>	<b>Assigned</b>	<b>Subject</b>
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 331** **(Mendoza D) Local government: transparency.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/23/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/23/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** The California Public Records Act requires that the public records of a local agency be open to inspection and provides that every person has a right to inspect any public record, except as specified. The Ralph M. Brown Act requires that all meetings of a legislative body, as defined, of a local agency be open and public and all persons permitted to attend unless a closed session is authorized. This bill would express the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would increase transparency in local government.

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Position</b>	<b>Priority</b>	<b>Assigned</b>	<b>Subject</b>
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 354** **(Huff R) Public Employees' Retirement System.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/24/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/24/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** The Public Employees' Retirement Law creates the Public Employees' Retirement System, which provides a defined benefit to its members based on age at retirement, service credit, and final compensation. Current law defines "member" for purposes of that law. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to that definition.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[SB 375](#) (Berryhill R) Public employees' retirement.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/24/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/24/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** The Public Employees' Retirement Law governs the rate of employer contributions to the Public Employees' Retirement System. The law requires, among other things, that all assets of an employer be used in the determination of the employer contribution rate for the membership comprising the basis of the computation and that those assets held be recognized over the same funding period used to amortize unfunded accrued actuarial obligations, as specified. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to that provision.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[SB 393](#) (Nguyen R) Local agencies.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/25/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/25/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Current law, the Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000, establishes the sole and exclusive authority and procedure for the initiation, conduct, and completion of changes of organization and reorganization for cities and districts. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to the above-described law.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[SB 415](#) (Hueso D) Local election dates.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/25/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/25/2015

**Status:** 3/5/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/5/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would prohibit a political subdivision from holding an election on a date other than the date of a statewide direct primary election or statewide general election if doing so would result in a significant decrease in voter turnout as compared to the voter turnout at a statewide election.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[SB 494](#) (Hill D) Emergency services: earthquake early warning system.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/26/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/26/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Current law requires various entities, including the Office of Emergency Services, through a public-private partnership, to develop a comprehensive statewide earthquake early warning system in California that includes certain features, including the installation of field sensors. This bill would declare that it is the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would further the implementation goals of the statewide earthquake early warning system.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**[SB 520](#) (Berryhill R) State responsibility areas: fire prevention fees.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/26/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/26/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Coms. on N.R. & W. and GOV. & F.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-S. N.R. & W.

**Summary:** Current law requires that the fire prevention fees collected, except as provided, be deposited into the State Responsibility Area Fire Prevention Fund and be made available to the State Board of Forestry and Fire Protection and the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection for certain fire protection activities that benefit the owners of habitable structures in state responsibility areas who are required to pay the fee. Current law further requires the board to submit an annual written report to the Legislature on specified topics relating to the fund. This bill would repeal these provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 534 (Pan D) Medi-Cal: ground emergency medical transportation services: supplemental reimbursement.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/26/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/26/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Current law authorizes certain ground emergency medical transportation providers to receive supplemental Medi-Cal reimbursement in addition to the rate of payment that the provider would otherwise receive for those services. Current law provides that participation in the supplemental reimbursement program by an eligible provider is voluntary, and requires the nonfederal share of the supplemental reimbursement to be paid only with funds from specified governmental entities. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to this provision.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 556 (De León D) Claims against public entities.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/26/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/26/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Current law requires the board, the governing body of the local public entity, the California Victim Compensation and Government Claims Board, the Judicial Council, or the Trustees of the California State University, as appropriate, to grant or deny the application for leave to present a personal injury claim within 45 days after it is presented to the board. This bill would require the board, the governing body of the local public entity, the California Victim Compensation and Government Claims Board, the Judicial Council, or the Trustees of the California State University, as appropriate, to grant or deny the application for leave to present the claim within 45 days after it is received by the board.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 598 (Hill D) Sales and use taxes: consumer designation: all volunteer fire department.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/27/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/27/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Com. on GOV. & F.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-S. G. & F.

**Summary:** Would provide that an all volunteer fire department, as defined, is a consumer, and not a retailer, of all tangible personal property sold by it, if the profits are used solely and exclusively in furtherance of the purposes of the all volunteer fire department, so that the retail sale subject to tax is the sale of tangible personal property to the all volunteer fire department. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 612 (Jackson D) Hazardous materials.**

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/27/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/27/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Com. on E.Q.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-S. E.Q.

**Summary:** Would require the Department of Toxic Substances Control to adopt regulations establishing criteria and guidelines by December 31, 2016, for determining onsite generation quantities to determine the California generator status, as defined, of a person who generates hazardous waste at an individual site. The bill would require a generator to determine the quantities of all hazardous waste generated onsite each calendar month and to use this quantity to determine

his or her California generator status for proper management of those wastes, as specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 658** (Hill D) Automated external defibrillators.

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/27/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/27/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Coms. on HEALTH and JUD.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-S. HEALTH

**Summary:** Would remove the conditions required for the exemption from civil liability of a person or entity that acquires an AED for emergency use and any person or entity responsible for the site where the AED is located. The bill would require a person or entity that acquires an AED to, among other things, comply with specified regulations for the placement of the device and ensure that the AED is maintained and annually tested. The bill would make related changes.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 663** (Fuller R) Liability for fires.

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/27/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/27/2015

**Status:** 3/12/2015-Referred to Com. on RLS.

**Location:** 3/12/2015-S. RLS.

**Summary:** Under current law, a person who commits certain acts, including, among others, negligently setting a fire that escapes onto any public or private property or failing to correct a fire hazard prohibited by law, is liable for the costs incurred in fighting the fire and the cost of providing rescue or emergency medical services. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

**SB 677** (Mendoza D) Smog check: penalties.

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/27/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/27/2015

**Status:** 3/2/2015-Read first time.

**Location:** 2/27/2015-S. PRINT

**Summary:** Current law establishes a motor vehicle inspection and maintenance program, referred to as a smog check program, developed, implemented, and administered by the Department of Consumer Affairs. The duty of enforcing and administering the program is vested in the Chief of the Bureau of Automotive Repair within the department. Current law authorizes the department to issue a citation to a licensee, contractor, or fleet owner for a violation of the requirements of the smog check program, and the citation may specify certain civil or administrative penalties. This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to those provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC	Spot Bill		RHeim, RNoack	Fireworks

**SB 700** (Berryhill R) Emergency medical services.

**Current Text:** Introduced: 2/27/2015 [pdf](#) [html](#)

**Introduced:** 2/27/2015

**Status:** 3/2/2015-Read first time.

**Location:** 2/27/2015-S. PRINT

**Summary:** Under current law, the Emergency Medical Services System and the Prehospital Emergency Medical Care Personnel Act, the Emergency Medical Services Authority is responsible for establishing minimum standards and promulgating regulations for the training and scope of practice for emergency medical technician-paramedic (EMT-P). This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

Organization	Position	Priority	Assigned	Subject
FDAC			RHeim, RNoack	

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