

Legislative Summary

2009-2010 Session

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INTRODUCTION

This booklet provides a summary of legislation from the 2009-2010 Regular Session of the California Legislature that impacts the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS). The format for this booklet contains four main parts:

Index of Bills by Program Area

The index identifies the bill number, author, topic, and final status for each bill pertaining to that subject. Under each program area heading, the bills are listed in bill number order grouped by each status type: enacted, failed, vetoed, or amended. Bills listed with an asterisk (*) in the status column contained provisions pertaining to that subject at some point during the legislative session, but were subsequently amended to no longer relate to that subject. Bills with provisions pertaining to multiple subjects are listed under each applicable subject heading.

Summary of Legislation by Bill Number

The summary of legislation presents, in bill number order, the bill number, author, final status, CalPERS Board position (if any), title, and summary for each bill identified in the list of legislative bills by subject. For bills that were enacted as an urgency statute, the last line of the summary identifies it as an "urgency measure" and notes the effective date of the bill. The effective date for all other bills enacted without an urgency provision is January 1 following the year of enactment.

Cross Reference of Enacted Legislation

These tables provide for a quick overview of all chaptered bills included in this summary, and have been organized by bill number, as well as by chapter number.

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Governor's Veto Messages



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CalPERS Administration

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
ABX3 10	Evans	Budget Act of 2009: revisions	Failed
SB 278	Negrete McLeod	CalPERS: Board of Administration	Failed

Health Benefits: Administration

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 1904	Villines	Out-of-state carriers	Failed
AB 2586	Chesbro	Health care coverage: network modification: contracting agencies	Failed
ABX3 8	Evans	State and local government	Failed
ABX3 13	Evans	State and local government	Enacted
SB 54	Leno	Family law: out-of-state same-sex marriages	Enacted
SB 594	Ashburn	Taxation: cafeteria plans: credits	Failed
SBX3 8	Ducheny	State and local government	Enacted
SBX8 65	Huff	Out-of-state carriers	Failed

Health Benefits: Contracts

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 1759	Blumenfield	Health care coverage: premium rates	Vetoed
AB 1892	Mendoza	Community colleges: part-time faculty: health insurance	Failed
AB 2093	V.M. Perez	Immunizations for children: reimbursement of physicians	Vetoed
AB 2533	Fuentes	Health care coverage: quality rating	Failed
AB 2578	Jones	Health care coverage: rate approval	Failed
SB 270	Alquist	Health care providers: medical information	Enacted

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Health Benefits: General and Statewide

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 56	Portantino	Health care coverage: mammographies	Vetoed
AB 65	Hayashi	Public employee health benefits: vision care: local, school, and university members	Enacted
AB 115	Beall	Adult Health Coverage Expansion Program	Vetoed
AB 235	Hayashi	Emergency services and care	Enacted
AB 259	Skinner	Health care coverage: certified nurse-midwives: direct access	Amended*
AB 278	Monning	Health information exchange: demonstration projects	Enacted
AB 326	Garrick	Income tax: health savings accounts	Failed
AB 353	Calderon	Civil actions: statute of limitations	Failed
AB 389	Saldana	Long-term care insurance	Enacted
AB 542	Feuer	Hospital acquired conditions	Vetoed
AB 556	Conway	Personal services contracts	Failed
AB 615	Niello	Workers' compensation	Failed
AB 648	Chesbro	Rural hospitals: physician services	Failed
AB 657	Hernandez	Health professions workforce: master plan	Vetoed
AB 812	De La Torre	Health care coverage: medical loss ratio	Failed
AB 1011	Jones	Insurance: green investments	Enacted
AB 1201	V.M. Perez	Immunizations for children: reimbursement of physicians	Failed
AB 1218	Jones	Health care coverage: rate approval	Failed
AB 1314	Jones	Medi-Cal: health care coverage	Failed
AB 1445	Chesbro	Medi-Cal: federally qualified health centers and rural health clinics	Failed
AB 1455	Hill	Ephedrine: retail sale	Failed
AB 1503	Lieu	Health facilities: emergency physicians: emergency medical care: billing	Enacted
AB 1542	Jones	Medical homes	Failed
AB 1776	Anderson	Health facilities: general acute care hospitals	Failed
AB 1814	Buchanan	Discrimination in employment	Enacted

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Health Benefits: General and Statewide (Continued)

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 1882	Portantino	Health facilities: chilling or therapeutic hypothermia	Failed
AB 1887	Villines	Temporary high risk pool	Enacted
AB 1976	Cook	Health care coverage: report of claim information	Failed
AB 2110	De La Torre	Health care coverage: premium payments: grace periods	Failed
AB 2334	Salas	Malpractice insurance: volunteer dentists	Failed
AB 2389	Gaines	Health care coverage: health facilities: cost and quality information	Failed
AB 2470	De La Torre	Health care coverage	Enacted
AB 2540	De La Torre	Health insurance: postclaims underwriting: unfair and deceptive practices	Vetoed
AB 2608	Chesbro	Rural Health Care Equity Program	Failed
SB 57	Aanestad	California Major Risk Medical Insurance Program: health care service plans: individual health coverage	Failed
SB 158	Wiggins	Health care coverage: cervical cancer screening: human papillomavirus vaccination	Vetoed
SB 196	Corbett	Emergency medical services	Vetoed
SB 227	Alquist	Health Care Coverage: temporary high risk pool	Enacted
SB 316	Alquist	Health care coverage: disclosures	Failed
SB 727	Cox	Cal-COBRA	Failed
SB 771	Alquist	Medi-Cal: foster children: eligibility	Failed
SB 998	Liu	Long-term care: assessment and planning	Failed
SB 1063	Cox	Healthy Families Program	Failed
SB 1163	Leno	Health care coverage: denials: premium rates	Enacted
SB 1169	Lowenthal	Health care coverage: claims: prior authorization: mental health	Amended*
SB 1246	Negrete McLeod	Naturopathic medicine	Enacted
SB 1282	Steinberg	Health care coverage	Failed

Health Benefits: Healthcare Reform

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 591	De La Torre	Individual health care coverage: premium rates	Failed
AB 1602	J. Perez	California Health Benefit Exchange	Enacted

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Health Benefits: Healthcare Reform (Continued)

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 2244	Feuer	Health care coverage	Enacted
AB 2345	De La Torre	Health care coverage: preventative services	Enacted
AB 2787	Monning	Office of the California Health Ombudsman	Failed
SB 56	Alquist	Health Plans: joint ventures	Vetoed
SB 890	Alquist	Health care coverage	Vetoed
SB 900	Alquist	California Health Benefit Exchange	Enacted
SB 1088	Price	Health care coverage: dependents	Enacted

Health Benefits: Mandated Coverage

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 98	De La Torre	Maternity services	Enacted
AB 113	Portantino	Health Care Coverage: mammographies	Vetoed
AB 163	Emmerson	Amino acid-based elemental formulas	Failed
AB 214	Chesbro	Health care coverage: durable medical equipment	Failed
AB 244	Beall	Health care coverage: mental health services	Vetoed
AB 513	De Leon	Health care coverage: breast-feeding	Vetoed
AB 1600	Beall	Health care coverage: mental health services	Vetoed
AB 1825	De La Torre	Maternity Services	Vetoed
AB 2587	T. Berryhill	Health care coverage: benefit mandates	Failed
SB 161	Wright	Health care coverage: cancer treatment	Vetoed
SB 220	Yee	Health Care Coverage: preventative health services: tobacco cessation	Vetoed
SB 296	Lowenthal	Mental health services	Enacted
SB 630	Steinberg	Health care coverage: cleft palate reconstructive surgery: dental and orthodontic services	Enacted
SB 961	Wright	Health care coverage: cancer treatment	Vetoed
SB 1104	Cedillo	Health care coverage: diabetes-related complications	Failed
SB 1283	Steinberg	Health care coverage: grievance system	Vetoed

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Health Benefits: PEMHCA

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 29	Price	Health care coverage	Failed
AB 186	Committee on Budget	State employees: payroll: health care	Amended*
AB 468	Hayashi	Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Care Act: employer contributions	Enacted
AB 803	Duvall	Health care coverage: state employees and legislative employees: cash payments	Failed
AB 1126	Hernandez	The Public Employees' Health Care Act: billing disputes	Failed
AB 2510	Fletcher	Public employees' retirement: contracting agencies: postretirement health coverage	Enacted
ABX3 46	Evans	State government	Failed
ABX4 12	Evans	State government	Enacted
SB 72	Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review	State employees: payroll: health care	Enacted
SB 92	Aanestad	Health care reform	Failed
SB 628	Ashburn	County employees: health benefit system	Failed
SB 856	Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review	State Government	Enacted
SB 921	Ashburn	Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Care Act: employer contributions: Shasta County	Amended*
SB 922	Ashburn	Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Act: employer contributions: Placer County	Failed
SB 1262	Aanestad	High deductible health plans: health savings accounts	Failed

Health Benefits: Prescription Drugs

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 602	Price	Health care coverage: prescriptions	Amended*
AB 718	Emmerson	Health care coverage: federally eligible defined individuals: preferred provider products: premium rates	Failed
AB 977	Skinner	Pharmacists: immunization protocols	Failed
AB 1144	Price	Health care coverage: prescriptions	Failed
AB 1458	Davis	Drugs: adverse effects: reporting	Failed
AB 1826	Huffman	Health care coverage: prescriptions	Failed
AB 2112	Monning	Prescription Record Privacy Act	Failed

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Health Benefits: Prescription Drugs (Continued)

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 2170	B. Lowenthal	Health care coverage: prescriptions: formularies	Failed
SB 238	R. Calderon	Prescription Drugs	Failed
SB 341	DeSaulnier	Pharmaceuticals: adverse drug reactions: Drug Safety and Effectiveness Program	Failed
SB 484	Wright	Ephedrine and pseudoephedrine	Failed
SB 971	Pavley	Bleeding disorders: blood clotting products	Vetoed
SB 1390	Corbett	Prescription drug labels	Failed

Health Benefits: Universal Coverage

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 23	Jones	Cal-COBRA: premium assistance	Enacted
SB 1	Steinberg	Health care coverage: children	Failed
SB 810	Leno	Single-payer health care coverage	Failed

Investments (Including Corporate Governance and Home Loans)

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 33	Nava	Department of Financial Services	Amended*
AB 118	Logue	California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006	Failed
AB 177	Ruskin	Public Contracts: small businesses and disabled veteran business enterprises	Enacted
AB 699	Portantino	Economic Development	Failed
AB 919	Nava	Corporations: political activities: shareholder objections	Failed
AB 1491	V.M. Perez	Corporations: boards of directors: diversity	Failed
AB 1558	V.M. Perez	State government	Failed
AB 1584	Hernandez	Public employees' retirement: retirement boards	Enacted
AB 1588	Bass	Monitored Mortgage Workout Program	Failed
AB 1639	Nava	Facilitated Mortgage Workout Program	Failed

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Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 1743	Hernandez	Political Reform Act of 1974: placement agents	Enacted
AB 1779	Niello	Taxation: cancellation of indebtedness: mortgage debt forgiveness	Failed
AB 1873	Huffman	Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) bonds	Enacted
AB 1913	Davis	Retirement: pension fund management	Failed
AB 1919	Davis	Retirement: pension fund management	Failed
AB 2024	Blumenfield	Loan modification	Failed
AB 2236	Monning	Mortgages: notices to the borrower	Failed
AB 2337	Ammiano	Public retirement system: investments: predatory investment practices	Failed
AB 2677	Torrico	Residential mortgage loans: foreclosure procedures	Amended*
AB 2678	Fuentes	Mortgages: notice of sale	Failed
SB 931	Ducheny	Mortgages: deficiency judgments	Enacted
SB 1000	Correa	Mortgages and deeds of trust: portable appraisals	Failed
SB 1275	Leno	Mortgages: foreclosures	Failed
SBX8 38	Corbett	Mortgages: foreclosures	Failed
SBX8 51	Dutton	Capital access: companies	Failed
SCR 113	Cedillo	Arizona law	Failed
SJR 30	Kehoe	Deferred compensation plans	Enacted

Other Systems: Local Government

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 609	Conway	County employees' retirement: administrative costs	Enacted
AB 1034	Huffman	County employees' retirement	Failed
AB 1136	Fong	County employees' retirement: optional settlements	Vetoed
AB 1354	Fong	County employees' retirement	Enacted
AB 1355	Fong	County employees' retirement: survivor's allowances	Enacted

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Other Systems: Local Government (Continued)

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 1406	Emmerson	County board of retirement: San Bernardino County	Enacted
AB 1658	Lieu	County employees' retirement: service credit: safety members	Enacted
AB 1667	Swanson	Public employment: County of Alameda	Enacted
AB 1739	Lieu	County employees' retirement: disability: military leave	Enacted
AB 1902	Portantino	County employees' retirement: Los Angeles County	Enacted
AB 2452	Silva	County employees' retirement systems: Orange County: retirement benefits	Failed
SB 11	Negrete McLeod	County employees retirement: San Bernardino County	Enacted
SB 345	Negrete McLeod	Government of counties: death benefits	Enacted
SB 414	Correa	County employee retirement boards	Vetoed
SB 538	Committee on PER	County employees' retirement: mandatory retirement	Enacted
SB 1479	Committee on PER	Public employment: retirement benefits: administration	Enacted

Other Systems: STRS

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 226	Torrico	County employees retirement: compensation	Vetoed
AB 232	Hill	Teachers' retirement	Enacted
AB 360	Ma	State teachers' retirement: creditable service: community colleges	Failed
AB 506	Furutani	State teachers' retirement: postretirement earnings	Enacted
AB 654	Mendoza	State teachers' retirement	Enacted
AB 1267	Eng	State teachers' retirement system: credited service	Failed
AB 1862	Eng	Teachers' Retirement Board: members	Vetoed
AB 2260	Committee on PERSS	State teachers' retirement: administration: benefits	Enacted
SB 280	R.Calderon	State teachers' retirement	Failed
SB 634	Committee on PER	State Teachers' Retirement System	Enacted

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Other Systems: UC

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
ACR 4	Anderson	University of California: divestment from Iran	Failed

Retirement: Administration

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 637	Hill	Public Employees' Retirement System: contracting agencies	Failed
AB 898	Lieu	Documents: notaries public: solicitations	Vetoed
AB 966	Committee on PERSS	Public employee benefits	Enacted
AB 1227	Feuer	Workers' compensation: public employees: leaves of absence	Enacted
AB 2341	Huber	Public Employees' Retirement System: Board of Administration	Failed
SB 54	Leno	Family law: out-of-state same-sex marriages	Enacted
SB 642	Denham	Public contracts: Small Business Procurement and Contract Act	Failed
SB 643	Denham	California Prompt Payment Act: disabled veteran business enterprises	Failed

Retirement: Benefits

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 399	Brownley	Public employee benefits	Enacted
AB 704	C. Calderon	Public employees' retirement: Deferred Retirement Option Program	Failed
AB 820	Conway	Public employees	Enacted
AB 939	Committee on Judiciary	Family law proceedings	Enacted
AB 1477	Krekorian	Public employees' retirement: postretirement death benefits	Failed
AB 1696	B. Berryhill	Death benefits: payment duration	Enacted
AB 1821	Ma	Public Employees' Retirement System: preretirement death benefit	Vetoed
AB 1987	Ma	Public retirement: final compensation: computation: retirees	Vetoed
AB 2742	Blakeslee	Public employment: retirement: survivors' benefits	Enacted
AJR 10	Torlakson	Social Security: retirement benefits: public employees	Enacted

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Retirement: Benefits (Continued)

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
SB 519	Ashburn	Public employment	Enacted
SB 593	Romero	Public employees' retirement: postretirement death benefits	Failed
SB 1139	Correa	State retirement: benefit programs	Enacted
SB 1209	Romero	Public employees' retirement: postretirement death benefits	Failed
SB 1425	Simitian	Public retirement: final compensation: computation: retirees	Vetoed
SBX6 22	Hollingsworth	State employees: benefits: retirement	Enacted

Retirement: Contracting

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 86	Nava	Public employees' retirement: airport police officers	Enacted
SB 752	Wiggins	Pension Obligation Bond Procedures for Joint Contracts	Enacted*
SB 919	Hollingsworth	State employee benefits	Failed
SB 1059	Liu	Community college districts: transfers between district funds	Amended*

Retirement: General

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 104	Calderon	Income Taxes: pensions	Failed
AB 125	De Leon	Retirement: California Employee Savings Program	Failed
AB 192	Gatto	Public retirement benefits: excess salaries	Failed
AB 194	Torricono	Retirement: local employees	Vetoed
AB 493	Tran	Employment and Benefits Appeals Board	Failed
AB 1665	Swanson	School employees: scope of representation	Failed
AB 1955	De La Torre	Local government: compensation	Failed
SB 501	Correa	Local government: compensation disclosure	Failed
SB 632	Correa	Government compensation: disclosure	Failed
SB 867	Hollingsworth	Public employee benefits: contribution rates: reports	Enacted
SB 1082	Ashburn	Public Retirement: social security	Failed

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Retirement: JRS/LRS

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
SB 377	Corbett	Courts: judgeships	Failed

Retirement: Membership (Including Classifications)

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 2250	Harkey	Public employees' retirement: safety members	Failed
SB 44	Denham	Integrated Waste Management	Failed
SB 1085	Runner	50 th District Agricultural Association: joint powers agreement	Enacted

Retirement: Service Credit

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 446	Niello	Public employees' retirement: additional retirement service credits	Failed
AB 964	Committee on PERSS	State employees: memorandum of understanding	Failed
AB 1651	De La Torre	Public Employees' Retirement Law: furloughs: retirement credit	Enacted
AB 1712	Furutani	School employees: leaves of absence: classified employees elected to the Legislature	Vetoed
AB 1856	Fong	Public employees' retirement	Enacted
SB 75	Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review	Judiciary	Enacted
SB 506	Ashburn	Public employees' retirement: service credit	Failed
SB 883	Ashburn	Public employees' retirement: service credit	Failed
SB 884	Ashburn	Public employees' retirement: service credit	Amended*
SB 1081	Ashburn	Retirement: military service	Failed

State Administration (Not limited to CalPERS)

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 31	Price	Public contracts: Small Business Procurement and Contract Act	Enacted
AB 53	Portantino	State Employment: salary freeze	Failed
AB 155	Mendoza	Local Government: bankruptcy proceedings	Failed

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Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 224	Portantino	State employment: salary freeze	Amended*
AB 309	Price	Public contracts: small business participation	Failed
AB 400	De Leon	State agencies: FISCal funds	Enacted
AB 456	Emmerson	State agencies: periodic review	Amended*
AB 471	Nava	Legal services	Vetoed
AB 472	Blumenfield	Earthquake and emergency preparedness	Vetoed
AB 514	De Leon	Employment: lactation accomodation	Failed
AB 579	Huber	State boards and commissions: audits	Vetoed
AB 617	Blumenfield	State government: information technology: environmental practices	Failed
AB 749	Fong	Public employment: adverse action	Failed
AB 755	Brownley	Civil service appointments	Vetoed
AB 756	Eng	Public contracts: information: Internet Web site	Vetoed
AB 781	Jeffries	Bilingual services	Failed
AB 790	Hernandez	State employees: compensation	Failed
AB 843	Block	State employees	Failed
AB 849	Swanson	Family and medical leave	Failed
AB 850	De La Torre	Conflicts of interest: contracts	Failed
AB 903	Chesbro	Solid waste: state agency recycling: electronic waste	Amended*
AB 926	Ruskin	State contracts: goods: loss leader	Enacted
AB 961	Krekorian	Public contracts: state contract eligibility: genocidal regimes	Failed
AB 965	Karnette	State employees: memorandum of understanding	Failed
AB 1001	Skinner	Employment: familial status protection	Failed
AB 1125	Hernandez	State employees: compensation	Failed
AB 1161	Buchanan	State employment: adverse actions	Failed
AB 1215	De La Torre	Public Employment: furloughs	Failed
AB 1290	Conway	Public employment: internship program	Failed

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Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 1494	Eng	Public meetings: definition	Enacted
AB 1580	C. Calderon	Taxation: federal conformity	Vetoed
AB 1585	Committee on Accountability and Administrative Review	State government: reporting requirements: required repealer	Enacted
AB 1592	Buchanan	State employees: memorandum of understanding	Enacted
AB 1625	J. Perez	Public employment: collective bargaining	Enacted
AB 1645	Nestande	General Fund obligations and liabilities: Governor's Budget	Failed
AB 1650	Feuer	Public contracts: state and local contract eligibility: energy sector investment activities in Iran	Enacted
AB 1666	Swanson	Local government: whistleblower hotline	Enacted
AB 1699	Hernandez	Interim appropriations	Failed
AB 1729	Yamada	Civil service examinations: veterans' preference	Enacted
AB 1744	Portantino	Public employees: rights	Failed
AB 1764	Portantino	State employment: salary freeze	Failed
AB 1765	Solorio	Public employment: furloughs	Vetoed
AB 1787	Swanson	Administrative procedure: regulations: narrative description	Failed
AB 1813	Lieu	Public officials: personal information	Enacted
AB 1820	Portantino	Office of the California Inspector General: establishment	Failed
AB 1853	Huffman	Public contracts: bid preferences: employee health care expenditures	Amended*
AB 1878	Lieu	Statewide Forms Management Program	Failed
AB 1891	Portantino	State government: Bureau of State Audits and Inspector General	Amended*
AB 1899	Eng	State agencies: information: Internet Web site	Vetoed
AB 1957	Silva	Administrative Procedure Act: notice of proposed actions: local government agencies	Failed
AB 1993	A. Strickland	Reports: declarations	Failed
AB 2008	Arambula	Public employment: furloughs	Vetoed
AB 2064	Huber	State and local government: salary disclosure	Failed

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Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 2091	Conway	Public records: information security	Enacted
AB 2249	Ruskin	State government: small business or disabled veteran business enterprise certification	Enacted
AB 2287	Monning	California Health and Human Services Agency: public health: federal grant opportunities	Failed
AB 2340	Monning	Employees' right to bereavement leave	Vetoed
AB 2403	A. Strickland	State government: audits and contracts: reporting	Failed
AB 2408	Smyth	State government information technology	Enacted
AB 2466	Smyth	Regulations: legislative validation: effective date	Failed
AB 2529	Fuentes	State agencies: regulations: review	Failed
AB 2559	J. Perez	Social security numbers	Failed
AB 2627	Nielsen	State contracts: participation goals	Failed
AB 2652	Niello	Administrative regulations: legislative review	Failed
AB 2708	B. Berryhill	State contracts: procurement practices: small businesses	Failed
AB 2738	Niello	Regulations: agency statement of reasons	Enacted
ABX2 1	Portantino	State employment: salary freeze	Failed
ABX3 80	Portantino	State employment: salary freeze	Failed
ABX4 1	Evans	Budget Act of 2009: revisions	Enacted
ABX6 2	Portantino	State employment: salary freeze	Failed
ABX8 32	Nestande	State Budget: key liabilities	Failed
ABX8 33	Portantino	State employment: salary freeze	Failed
SB 8	Huff	State Finance: performance budgeting	Failed
SB 9	Wyland	State Auditor: duties	Failed
SB 20	Simitian	Personal information: privacy	Vetoed
SB 37	Strickland	State employees: statement of deductions	Enacted
SB 40	Correa	Personal information: social security numbers	Enacted
SB 88	DeSaulnier	Local Government: bankruptcy	Amended*

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Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
SB 257	Pavley	Lactation: accomodation: state employees	Vetoed
SB 401	Wolk	Taxation: federal conformity	Enacted
SB 502	Walters	State agency Web sites: information	Failed
SB 548	Huff	California Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Program	Enacted
SB 653	Correa	State employees: memorandum of understanding	Failed
SB 719	Huff	State agency Internet Web sites: information	Failed
SB 755	Negrete McLeod	State contracts: participation goals: persons with developmental disabilities business enterprises	Failed
SB 802	Leno	Works of improvement: progress payments: notice: retention proceeds	Vetoed
SB 835	Strickland	Government reorganization: realignment or closure	Failed
SB 846	Correa	State employees: memoranda of understanding	Enacted
SB 925	Huff	Public postsecondary education: California State University personnel	Failed
SB 942	Dutton	Regulations: review process	Failed
SB 1020	Wolk	State Budget	Failed
SB 1052	Oropeza	Electronic waste: state agencies	Failed
SB 1055	Ashburn	State Chief Information Officer: fingerprints: criminal history	Enacted
SB 1057	Denham	State holidays: Veterans Day: state office closure	Enacted
SB 1079	Walters	Office of State Printing: paid advertisements: authorization	Enacted
SB 1108	Price	Public contracts: small business participation	Failed
SB 1160	Dutton	State fiscal analysis	Failed
SB 1166	Simitian	Personal information: privacy	Vetoed
SB 1217	Committee on PER	State government: warrants: employee designees	Enacted
SB 1230	DeSaulnier	Employment: posting requirements	Vetoed
SB 1249	Ducheny	Contracting by state agencies: best value competitive bid contracts	Amended*
SB 1304	DeSaulnier	Employment: leave and benefits	Amended*

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Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
SB 1330	Committee on Judiciary	Maintenance of the codes	Enacted
SB 1351	Wright	California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: State Air Resources Board regulations	Failed
SB 1426	DeSaulnier	State budget	Failed
SB 1484	Wright	Public contracts: procurement: small business, microbusiness, and disabled veteran business enterprises	Failed
SBX1 13	Wyland	State Auditor: duties	Failed
SBX2 1	Wyland	State Auditor: duties	Failed
SBX8 29	Steinberg	Public employment: furloughs	Vetoed
SBX8 48	Dutton	State Auditor: analysis of regulations	Failed
SCA 28	Wyland	State Auditor: duties	Failed
SR 25	Negrete McLeod	Relative to state employee furloughs	Failed

State Administration: Political Reform
(Not limited to CalPERS)

Bill No.	Author	Topic	Status
AB 9	J. Perez	Political Reform Act of 1974: expenditures	Enacted
AB 1181	Huber	Political Reform Act of 1974: statements and reports	Enacted
AB 1412	Torricono	Political Reform Act of 1974: gifts	Failed
AB 2007	Adams	Political Reform Act of 1974: gifts	Vetoed
AB 2368	Blakeslee	Political Reform Act of 1974: gift limitations	Failed
SB 1007	Hancock	Political Reform Act of 1974: retirement system boards	Enacted
SB 1271	Romero	Political Reform Act of 1974: conflict of interest codes	Enacted

*Later version(s) of this bill do not include this subject matter or amendments no longer apply.

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AB 9 John A. Perez 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 363, Statutes of 2009.		Political Reform Act of 1974: Expenditures For the purposes of the Political Reform Act, this bill specifies that a contribution includes the payment of public moneys by a state or local governmental agency for a communication to the public which expressly advocates the election or defeat of a clearly identified candidate or the qualification, passage, or defeat of a clearly identified measure, or taken as a whole and in context, unambiguously urges a particular result in an election, and which is made at the behest of the affected candidate or committee. The bill would further provide that an independent expenditure includes the payment of public moneys by a state or local governmental agency.
AB 23 Jones 05/12/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 3, Statutes of 2009.		Cal-COBRA: Premium Assistance Requires health care service plans and health insurers to provide notice of the availability of premium assistance under the federal American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 to qualified beneficiaries who may be eligible for that assistance, as specified, and requires the notice to include certain information to be sent within specified periods of time. The bill also allows a qualified beneficiary eligible for the federal premium assistance to elect Cal-COBRA coverage within a certain period of time and allows individuals enrolled in Cal-COBRA coverage as of February 17, 2009, to request application of the federal premium assistance, as specified. This is an urgency measure.
AB 29 Price 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage Prohibits health plan contracts or insurance policies that cover dependent children from establishing a limiting age for coverage of less than 27 years of age.
AB 31 Price 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 212, Statutes of 2009.		Public Contracts: Small Business Procurement and Contract Act Increases, under the Small Business Procurement and Contract Act, the maximum amount of the contract from \$100,000 to \$250,000.

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AB 33 Nava 03/08/2010- Relevant content removed from bill on March 8, 2010.		Department of Financial Services Effective July 1, 2011, reorganizes the Departments of Financial Institutions and Corporations as divisions, under a newly-created Department of Financial Services; consolidates the Office of Real Estate Appraisals into the Department of Real Estate; and creates an Office of Financial and Real Estate Consumer Advocacy within the Department of Financial Services. Effective July 1, 2012, shifts certain mortgage lending, brokering, servicing functions, and business opportunity activities out from under the Real Estate Law and over to a new law administered by the new Division of Corporations, as specified. <i>This content was removed from the bill on March 8, 2010.</i>
AB 53 Portantino 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		State Employment: Salary Freeze Prohibits state employees whose base salaries are greater than \$150,000 per year on or after the effective date of the bill from receiving a salary increase while employed in the same position or classification, and from receiving payment for overtime work. The bill exempts persons whose compensation is governed by an operative memorandum of understanding, who have been exempted by executive order of the Governor, or whose salaries are set pursuant to the California Constitution.
AB 56 Portantino 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Health Care Coverage: Mammographies Requires health care service plan contracts and individual or group policies of health insurance issued, amended, delivered, or renewed on or after July 1, 2010, to provide coverage for mammographies for screening or diagnostic purposes upon referral of a participating nurse practitioner, participating certified nurse-midwife, participating physician assistant, or participating physician, as specified. <i>See veto message on page 99.</i>
AB 65 Hayashi 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 265, Statutes of 2009.	Support, if amended	Public Employee Health Benefits: Vision Care: Local, School and University Members Creates the Retired Public Employees Vision Care Program to provide vision care benefits to retired annuitants of contracting public agencies, school districts, and the University of California. CalPERS would administer the program which would be funded entirely by annuitants' premiums and must be implemented no later than January 1, 2011, provided sufficient funding exists.

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AB 86 Nava 08/06/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 79, Statutes of 2009.	Neutral	Public Employees' Retirement: Airport Police Officers Authorizes CalPERS contracting agencies to include specified airport law enforcement officers within the local safety member classification. The bill would exclude these airport law enforcement officers who are classified as local safety members from participation in the federal Social Security Act.
AB 98 De La Torre 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Maternity Services Requires new forms for health insurance policies submitted to the Department of Insurance after January 1, 2010, to provide coverage for maternity services, as defined. With respect to policy forms on file with the department as of January 1, 2010, the bill would require health insurers to submit to the department, on or before March 1, 2010, revised policy forms that provide coverage for maternity services and would require insurers to include that coverage in the corresponding policies that are issued, amended, or renewed following the department's approval of the revised forms, as specified. <i>See veto message on page 100.</i>
AB 104 Calderon, Charles 07/08/2010- Failed Passage		Income Taxes: Pensions Provides further conformity to federal income tax laws by conforming to provisions of the federal Pension Protection Act of 2006 relating to waiver of the 10% early withdrawal penalty tax on certain distributions of pension plans for public safety employees.
AB 113 Portantino 09/29/2010- Vetoed		Health Care Coverage: Mammographies Requires health care service plan contracts and individual or group policies of health insurance issued, amended, delivered, or renewed on or after July 1, 2011, to provide coverage for mammographies for screening or diagnostic purposes upon referral of a participating nurse practitioner, participating certified nurse-midwife, participating physician assistant, or participating physician, as specified. <i>See veto message on page 101.</i>
AB 115 Beall 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Adult Health Coverage Expansion Program Revises the Adult Health Coverage Expansion Program (AHCEP) in Santa Clara County, authorized pursuant to AB 12 (Beall), Chapter 677, Statutes of 2007, for the purpose of allowing AHCEP to provide health care coverage products to the spouses, domestic partners, and eligible children of program enrollees, as specified. <i>See veto message on page 102.</i>

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AB 118 Logue 01/11/2010- Failed Passage		California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 Suspends the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 until the state unemployment rate is 5.5% or lower for four consecutive calendar quarters. The bill would require the re-suspension of the act whenever the state unemployment rate rises above 5.5% for four consecutive calendar quarters. The bill also requests local agencies to refrain from adopting rules, regulations, and policies that derive authority or responsibility from the act and to revise or repeal those rules, regulations, or policies adopted prior to January 1, 2011, until the suspension is lifted.
AB 125 De Leon 08/27/2009- Failed Passage		Retirement: California Employee Savings Program Establishes the California Employee Savings Program (CESP) to allow any Californian employed by a private or nonprofit employer to participate in an individual retirement plan developed and administered by CalPERS, if the required regulatory approvals are obtained and adequate funding through a State budget appropriation or a nonprofit or private entity is provided.
AB 155 Mendoza 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		Local Government: Bankruptcy Proceedings Provides that a local public entity may only file under federal bankruptcy law with the approval of the California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission. The bill also provides an alternative procedure for a local entity to file under federal bankruptcy law by submitting specific analyses regarding its financial position to the State Auditor who would be required to audit the analyses and financial position of the local entity.
AB 163 Emmerson 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Amino Acid-based Elemental Formulas Requires specified health care service plan contracts and health insurance policies to provide coverage for the use of amino acid-based elemental formulas, regardless of the delivery method, for the diagnosis and treatment of eosinophilic gastrointestinal disorders, as defined, when the prescribing physician has issued a written order stating that the amino acid-based elemental formula is medically necessary.
AB 177 Ruskin 09/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 342, Statutes of 2010		Public Contracts: Small Businesses and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises Increases the period of certification revocation and suspension for violations related to withholding or providing misleading public contract information, revokes the disabled veteran business enterprise certification of the business if the business has both certifications, revises the types of costs payable to the state, and prohibits a business or person from contracting with the state until the amounts are paid.

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<p>AB 186 Committee on Budget</p> <p>03/18/2010- Relevant content was removed from the bill on March 18, 2010.</p>		<p>State Employees: Payroll: Health Care</p> <p>Makes technical, non-substantive and clarifying changes to provisions enacted pursuant to ABX4 12, regarding payday deferral and health benefit plan premiums: (1) clarifies that the payday deferral applies only to June 30th paychecks, and (2) makes technical clarifying amendments to the provision authorizing the Public Employees' Retirement System to use reserves generated by one or more self-funded benefit plans to reduce premiums charged.</p> <p><i>This content was removed from the bill on March 18, 2010.</i></p>
<p>AB 192 Gatto</p> <p>08/31/2010- Failed Passage</p>		<p>Public Retirement Benefits: Excess Salaries</p> <p>On and after January 1, 2011, requires the contracting agency from which a non-represented CalPERS member retires, or otherwise has his or her final compensation calculated, to pay that portion of the liability for creditable service performed for a prior contracting agency that exceeds 115 percent of the last salary paid by that agency, as adjusted for actuarially assumed salary increases.</p>
<p>AB 194 Torrice</p> <p>09/30/2010- Vetoed</p>		<p>Retirement: Local Employees</p> <p>Specifies that, for the purpose of determining the retirement benefit payable to a member of a public retirement system first hired on or after January 1, 2011, the maximum salary shall not exceed 125 percent of the salary recommended by the California Citizen's Compensation Commission to be paid to the Governor. The bill would also provide for yearly adjustments to this amount based on the All Urban California Consumer Price Index.</p> <p><i>See veto message on page 103.</i></p>
<p>AB 214 Chesbro</p> <p>05/28/2009- Failed Passage</p>		<p>Health Care Coverage: Durable Medical Equipment</p> <p>Requires a health care service plan and a health insurer to provide coverage for durable medical equipment, as defined, as part of their plan contracts or health insurance policies.</p>
<p>AB 224 Portantino</p> <p>08/17/2009- Relevant content was removed from the bill on August 17, 2009.</p>	<p>Oppose, unless amended</p>	<p>State Employment: Salary Freeze</p> <p>Prohibits, until 24 months after these provisions take effect, a person employed by the state whose base salary on or after the effective date of the bill is greater than \$150,000 per year from receiving a salary increase while employed in the same position or classification, and from receiving a bonus or other compensation in excess of that person's base salary. The bill exempts a person whose compensation is governed by an operative memorandum of understanding or a person who has been exempted by executive order of the Governor, as specified, and a person whose salary is set pursuant to the California Constitution.</p> <p><i>This content was removed from the bill on August 17, 2009.</i></p>

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AB 226 Torrico 09/30/2010- Vetoed		County Employees Retirement: Compensation Provides that compensation paid to a retiring member to restore compensation the member would have been entitled to receive pursuant to a collective bargaining agreement fully executed on or before July 1, 2010, that was subsequently deferred or otherwise modified as a result of a concessionary amendment executed prior to September 1, 2010, shall be considered compensation earnable and not be deemed to have been paid for the purpose of enhancing a member's retirement benefit. <i>See veto message on page 104.</i>
AB 232 Hill 08/06/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 90, Statutes of 2009.		Teachers' Retirement Under the Teachers' Retirement Law, this bill requires, for an application or document requiring a signature, the signature to be in a form prescribed by the retirement system, including on paper or made by electronic means.
AB 235 Hayashi 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 423, Statutes of 2009.		Emergency Services and Care Extends the definition of emergency services and care to include additional screening, examination, and evaluation by appropriate medical professionals to determine if a psychiatric emergency medical condition exists, and clarifies hospital and health plan responsibilities regarding psychiatric emergencies.
AB 244 Beall 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Health Care Coverage: Mental Health Services Expands the coverage requirement for severe mental illnesses for certain health care service plan contracts and health insurance policies issued, amended, or renewed on or after January 1, 2010, to include the diagnosis and treatment of a mental illness of a person of any age and defines mental illness for this purpose as a mental disorder defined in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual IV. The bill specifies that this requirement does not apply to a health care benefit plan, contract, or health insurance policy with CalPERS unless the Board elects to purchase a plan, contract, or policy that provides mental health coverage. <i>See veto message on page 105.</i>

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<p>AB 259 Skinner</p> <p>01/04/2010- Relevant content was removed from bill on January 4, 2010</p>		<p>Health Care Coverage: Certified Nurse-Midwives: Direct Access</p> <p>Requires a health care service plan contract or health insurance policy to allow an enrollee or policyholder the option to seek obstetrical and gynecological services from a certified nurse-midwife, as specified.</p> <p><i>This content was removed from the bill on January 4, 2010.</i></p>
<p>AB 278 Monning</p> <p>09/24/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 227, Statutes of 2010.</p>		<p>Health Information Exchange: Demonstration Projects</p> <p>Authorizes the California Office of Health Information Integrity (CaOHII) to establish and administer demonstration projects to evaluate potential solutions to facilitate a health information exchange (HIE), as specified.</p>
<p>AB 309 Price</p> <p>05/28/2009- Failed Passage</p>		<p>Public Contracts: Small Business Participation</p> <p>Requires all state agencies, departments, boards, and commissions to establish and achieve an annual goal of 25% small business participation in state procurements and contracts, and to report to the Director of General Services statistics regarding small business participation in the agency's procurements and contracts.</p>
<p>AB 326 Garrick</p> <p>05/19/2009- Failed Passage</p>		<p>Income Tax: Health Savings Accounts</p> <p>For taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2010, allows a deduction in connection with health savings accounts in conformity with federal law. This bill also provides, for taxable years beginning on and after January 1, 2010, related conformity to federal law with respect to treatment of the account as a tax-exempt trust, the allowance of rollovers from Archer Medical Savings Accounts, flexible health spending arrangements, or health reimbursement accounts to a health savings account and penalties in connection therewith.</p>
<p>AB 353 Calderon, Charles</p> <p>02/02/2010- Failed Passage</p>		<p>Civil Actions: Statute of Limitations</p> <p>Specifies that a civil action for relief on the grounds of libel or slander must be commenced within 3 years.</p>

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AB 360 Ma 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		State Teachers' Retirement: Creditable Service: Community Colleges Encourages the State Teachers' Retirement System to conduct a study that would examine the feasibility and cost-effectiveness of either creating a new program for part-time instructors or making appropriate modifications to the Defined Benefit Program to more appropriately reflect the career of a part-time instructor.
AB 389 Saldana 08/06/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 101, Statutes of 2009.		Long-term Care Insurance For policies issued before new premium rate schedules are approved and for which rate revisions are filed on or after January 1, 2010, this bill deems benefits reasonable in relation to premiums if the premium rate schedules have a lifetime expected loss ratio of at least 60% of the premium scale in effect on December 31, 2009, plus 70% of premium increases filed on or after January 1, 2010. The bill also authorizes, notwithstanding these provisions, the commissioner, for rate increases filed on or after January 1, 2010, to approve an application for a rate revision based on less than a 70% loss ratio, but not less than a 60% loss ratio, for the portion attributable to the rate increase if an insurer can demonstrate that the rates are necessary to protect the financial condition of the insurer.
AB 399 Brownley 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 240, Statutes of 2009.	Sponsor	Public Employee Benefits Requires a member who is permanently separated from all service covered by PERS, who is not in specified public service, and 70 years of age, be provided with an election to withdraw contributions or, if vested, an election to either apply for service retirement or withdraw contributions. The bill would require that failure to apply for service retirement or to make an election to withdraw contributions within 90 days be deemed an election to withdraw contributions.
AB 400 De Leon 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 440, Statutes of 2009.		State Agencies: FISCaL Funds Requires the FISCaL system to include a state budget transparency component that allows the public to access non-confidential General Fund and federal fund expenditure data, such as the amount of an expenditure and a brief description of its purpose, using an Internet Web site. The bill would define "General Fund and federal fund expenditures" as expenditures or transfers of funds in excess of \$5,000, but would not include transfers between 2 state departments or agencies, or payments of federal or state assistance to any individual recipient.
AB 446 Niello 06/04/2009- Failed Passage		Public Employees' Retirement: Additional Retirement Service Credits Requires CalPERS to submit a copy of the additional retirement service credits (ARSC) section of a specified experience study to the Legislature by February 1, 2010. Requires the study to provide information on the ARSC program from inception through June 30, 2007.

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AB 456 Emmerson 04/14/2009- Relevant content removed from bill on April 14, 2009		State Agencies: Periodic Review States legislative intent to enact legislation establishing a periodic review of all state agencies. <i>This content was removed from the bill on April 14, 2009.</i>
AB 468 Hayashi 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 320, Statutes of 2009.	Neutral	Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Care Act: Employer Contributions For employees hired on or after November 1, 2004, prohibits the Alameda County Transportation Improvement Authority (ACTIA) from contributing to annuitant's postretirement health benefits for the first five years of credited service. After five years of credited service, requires ACTIA to pay an employer contribution of 50% and increase its contribution by 5% for each year of credited service until the employer contribution reaches 100% of the weighted average of the health benefits plan premiums for employees or annuitants enrolled for self alone.
AB 471 Nava 09/27/2010- Vetoed		Legal Services Makes various non-substantive technical changes to an assortment of existing statutes relating to the authority of state agencies to retain legal counsel and to use the services of the Attorney General (AG), as well as other statutes relating to the authority of the AG. <i>See veto message on page 106.</i>
AB 472 Blumenfield 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Earthquake and Emergency Preparedness Authorizes, beginning on July 1, 2010, California Emergency Management Agency (Cal EMA) to require any state entity that publishes an Internet Web site to prominently display on the homepage of that Internet Web site a link, as specified by Cal EMA, that connects a user to an Internet Web page created and maintained by Cal EMA, in consultation with the Seismic Safety Commission, that provides specified information regarding earthquake and emergency preparedness for the home and workplace. <i>See veto message on page 107.</i>
AB 493 Tran 04/22/2009- Failed Passage		Employment and Benefits Appeals Board Abolishes the Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board, the California Occupational Safety and Health Appeals Board, and the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board and transfers their duties to the Employment and Benefits Appeals Board, which this bill creates in the Labor and Workforce Development Agency.

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AB 506 Furutani 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 306, Statutes of 2009.		State Teachers' Retirement: Postretirement Earnings Applies, as of July 1, 2010, a limitation of \$0 to the compensation for performance of specified activities as an employee of an employer, an employee of a third party, or as an independent contractor during the first 6 calendar months after a member retired for service under the Teachers' Retirement Law, if the member is below normal retirement age at the time the compensation is earned. This bill would also extend the operation of these provisions until June 30, 2012.
AB 513 De Leon 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Health Care Coverage: Breast-feeding Requires specified health care service plans and health insurers to include coverage for lactation consultation and the provision or rental of specified types of breast pumps, as defined, as part of their health care service plan contracts or health insurance policies that provide maternity coverage. <i>See veto message on page 108.</i>
AB 514 De Leon 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Employment: Lactation Accomodation Requires an employer to provide a 20-minute paid rest period for lactation purposes during each 4-hour work period, immediately preceding or following the employee's rest period, and specifies that compliance with this requirement does not satisfy or affect an employer's separate obligation to provide a meal or rest period required by statute, an Industrial Welfare Commission order, or a collective bargaining agreement.
AB 542 Feuer 09/29/2010- Vetoed	Support, if amended	Hospital Acquired Conditions Requires the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to convene a technical working group to evaluate options for implementing non-payment policies and procedures for hospital acquired conditions (HACs) for Medi-Cal consistent with federal laws and regulations. Requires DHCS to implement non-payment policies and procedures for HACs for Medi-Cal by July 1, 2011 that are consistent with the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PPACA) and to consider the recommendations of the technical working group. Requires MRMIB to implement non-payment policies and practices, consistent with those adopted by DHCS for the Medi-Cal program, for the programs it administers. Requires hospitals to report to their governing boards specified information concerning adverse events and hospital acquired conditions. <i>See veto message on page 109.</i>

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AB 556 Conway 02/01/2010- Failed Passage		Personal Services Contracts Prohibits state agencies' personal services contracts from adversely affecting the state's equal employment opportunity efforts, rather than the state's affirmative action standards, and requires the contracts to include assurances that the contractor's hiring practices meet applicable nondiscrimination and equal employment opportunity standards.
AB 579 Huber 10/11/2009- Vetoed		State Boards and Commissions: Audits Requires the State Auditor to audit annually, upon appropriation by the Legislature, the workload of at least 2 state boards or commissions comprised of board members or commissioners to whom the state pays an annual salary for their service on those state boards and commissions. It also requires the State Auditor to complete these audits and make these findings by December 31 of each year, and report annually to the Legislature and the Governor regarding its audits and findings. In addition, it requires the State Auditor to audit the workload of the California Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board by December 31, 2010. <i>See veto message on page 110.</i>
AB 591 De La Torre 08/12/2010- Failed Passage		Individual Health Care Coverage: Premium Rates Prohibits health plans or insurers from increasing premiums for a period of 90 days from the date this bill becomes operative, with exceptions. The bill also imposes specified restrictions on annual premium increases, including Department of Managed Care or Department of Insurance approval.
AB 602 Price 08/27/2009- Relevant content was removed from the bill on August 27, 2009.		Health Care Coverage: Prescriptions Prohibits a health care service plan or a health insurer covering prescription drug benefits from requiring prior authorization criteria that requires the trial and failure of more than 2 formulary alternatives for pain treatment in advance of providing access to the prescribed drug, or requiring an enrollee or insured to try and fail on pain medication supported only by an off-label indication before providing access to a pain medication supported by an FDA-approved indication. The bill would specify that these provisions do not apply to a health benefit plan, health care service plan contract, or health insurance policy with or purchased by the Board of Administration of the Public Employees' Retirement System. <i>This content was removed from the bill on August 27, 2009.</i>

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AB 609 Conway 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 663, Statutes of 2010.		County Employees Retirement: Administrative Costs Prohibits administration expenses of a county retirement system incurred in any year from exceeding the greater of 21/100 of 1% of the accrued actuarial liability of the retirement system or \$2,000,000, as adjusted annually by a specified annual cost-of-living adjustment. This bill would eliminate the exclusion of expenditures for legal services and costs of litigation from the costs of administration of the retirement system and would, instead, exclude from those costs of administration expenditures for computer software and hardware and computer technology consulting services in support of these products.
AB 615 Niello 02/02/2010- Failed Passage		Workers' Compensation Deletes the workers' compensation definition of first aid in existing law and authorizes the administrative director to adopt regulations to define various terms, as specified. Until these regulations are adopted, the bill would define medical treatment and first aid.
AB 617 Blumenfield 02/02/2010- Failed Passage		State Government: Information Technology: Environmental Practices Requires the State Chief Information Officer to establish and enforce a state information technology strategic plan to protect the environment and reduce energy use, as specified.
AB 637 Hill 08/06/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 117, Statutes of 2009.	Sponsor	Public Employees' Retirement System: Contracting Agencies Requires all contracting agencies to submit retirement contributions and health premium payments due to CalPERS through electronic funds transfer (EFT), unless granted a waiver by the Board. It would also change the rate of interest CalPERS can charge on late payments to an actuarial rate of interest, rather than a market rate.
AB 648 Chesbro 07/06/2010- Failed Passage		Rural Hospitals: Physician Services Establishes, until January 1, 2020, a demonstration project authorizing a rural hospital, as specified, to employ up to 10 physicians and surgeons at one time to provide medical services, and to retain all or part of the income generated by the physicians and surgeons for medical services billed and collected by the rural hospital if the physician and surgeon in whose name the charges are made approves the charges. The bill requires the rural hospital to develop and implement a policy regarding the independent medical judgment of the physician and surgeon.

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AB 654 Mendoza 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 249, Statutes of 2009.		State Teachers' Retirement Requires regular interest to be charged on the unpaid balance if a transfer to the retirement fund is made in installments, pursuant to a specified portion of the Teachers' Retirement Law. The bill modifies the definition of "regular interest" for purposes of the State Teachers' Retirement Law.
AB 657 Hernandez 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Health Professions Workforce: Master Plan Requires the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development (OSHPD), in collaboration with the California Workforce Investment Board, to establish the Health Professions Workforce Task Force composed of specified members, to assist in the development of a health professions workforce master plan for the state, and prescribes the functions and duties of the task force in that regard. The bill requires the task force to submit a complete statewide health professions workforce master plan to the OSHPD and the Legislature. <i>See veto message on page 111.</i>
AB 699 Portantino 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Economic Development Updates the requirements, as specified, for the development of a State Economic Development Strategy and requires it be submitted to the Legislature by May 1, 2010.
AB 704 Calderon, Charles 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Public Employees' Retirement: Deferred Retirement Option Program Establishes the Deferred Retirement Option Program (DROP) as a voluntary program in the Public Employees' Retirement System for the excluded or exempt state employees of State Bargaining Units 5, 6, 7, and 8. The program provides eligible members, upon retirement, access to a lump sum in addition to a monthly retirement allowance. The bill requires the program to provide a cost savings or be cost neutral to the State, directs CalPERS to prepare a cost analysis of the program, and directs the CalPERS Board of Administration to implement the program on July 1, 2010.
AB 718 Emmerson 08/04/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Federally Eligible Defined Individuals: Preferred Provider Products: Premium Rates Defines the "average premium paid" as an amount calculated on an annual basis by the Managed Risk Medical Insurance Board using a weighted average based on each plan's or insurer's enrollment in the Medical Risk Medical Insurance Program, as specified. The bill also requires plans and insurers to include a statement regarding those maximum premium rates in certain solicitation and sales materials.

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AB 749 Fong 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Public Employment: Adverse Action Prohibits disciplinary action from being imposed upon an employee until the State Personnel Board hearing has been completed and an administrative law judge has sustained the charges, except that an employee may be dismissed from state service prior to that time if the presence of the employee at the workplace presents a clear and present danger to the facility or the public.
AB 755 Brownley 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Civil Service Appointments Specifies that the temporary assignment or loan of civil service employees shall not exceed 4 years, as specified. <i>See veto message on page 112.</i>
AB 756 Eng 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Public Contracts: Information: Internet Web site Requires a state agency, except as specified, to provide a link to a centrally located and accessible state-run Internet Web site that includes a list of the personal services and consulting services contracts, as defined, entered into by the agency. This bill requires the listings on the state's Internet Web site to include specified information, and requires, on and after January 1, 2012, a summary of a contract to be initially posted within 15 working days of being signed by all parties. This bill also requires the Director of the Department of General Services to maintain the Internet Web site and to establish the publishing of the contract listing information. <i>See veto message on page 113.</i>
AB 781 Jeffries 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		Bilingual Services Prohibits a city, county, or state governmental entity from discriminating against an employee or an applicant for employment on the basis of the ability of the employee or applicant to speak a language other than English, unless an ability to speak a language other than English constitutes a bona fide occupational qualification.
AB 790 Hernandez 08/18/2010- Failed Passage		State Employees: Compensation In any year in which a state budget is not enacted by July 1, this bill provides a continuous appropriation to pay state employee salaries and benefits for the period of time between July 1 and when the budget is enacted, specifies that employees shall be paid at rates consistent with memoranda of understanding, or the salaries they were receiving in the fiscal year immediately preceding the new budget year, and allows the Department of Finance to reduce the new budget, once enacted and without further legislative action, to reflect the monies already paid for employee compensation under the continuous appropriation.

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AB 803 Duvall 04/14/2009- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: State Employees and Legislative Employees: Cash Payments Requires the state to offer employees the option of a cash payment in lieu of health care coverage, as specified.
AB 812 De La Torre 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Medical Loss Ratio Requires a health care service plan or health insurer to report annually to the Director of the Department of Managed Health Care or the Insurance Commissioner the medical loss ratio of each health care service plan product or health insurance policy form issued, amended, or renewed by the plan or insurer in California. The bill also requires this information be available to the public.
AB 820 Conway 08/06/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 125, Statutes of 2009.	Support	Public Employees Allows the Department of Personnel Administration to charge annuitants an administrative fee for participating in group legal services plans and allows vision care plan providers to bill annuitants directly if the plan premium exceeds the annuitant's premium allowance.
AB 843 Block 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		State Employees Existing law prescribes procedures for taking adverse action against state employees, other than managerial employees. This bill would remove the exclusion for managerial employees with respect to these procedures. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.
AB 849 Swanson 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Family and Medical Leave Expands the circumstances under which an employee is entitled to protected leave pursuant to the Family Rights Act by: (1) eliminating the age and dependency elements from the definition of "child," thereby permitting an employee to take protected leave to care for his or her independent adult child suffering from a serious health condition, (2) expanding the definition of "parent" to include an employee's parent-in-law, and (3) permitting an employee to also take leave to care for a seriously ill grandparent, sibling, grandchild, or domestic partner, as defined.
AB 850 De La Torre 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Conflicts of Interest: Contracts Prohibits a person from knowingly inducing another to, or participating in the commission of, a violation of the existing prohibition, or conspiring in a violation of the existing prohibition, of specified public officials being financially interested in public contracts.

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AB 898 Lieu 09/30/2010- Vetoed		Documents: Notaries Public: Solicitations Revises the law governing notaries public to: (1) authorize the Secretary of State to refuse to process (authenticate) documents that are clearly intended for fraudulent purposes, (2) prohibit the use of a subscribing witness when establishing a power of attorney, and (3) eliminate the duty of a notary public to process antiquated documents, unless the notary public works for a financial institution. <i>See veto message on page 115.</i>
AB 903 Chesbro 08/17/2009- Relevant content was removed from the bill on August 17, 2009.		Solid Waste: State Agency Recycling: Electronic Waste Requires each state agency to submit an annual report to the California Integrated Waste Management Board regarding solid waste reduction for the previous calendar year, including specified information regarding electronic waste. <i>This content was removed from the bill on August 17, 2009.</i>
AB 919 Nava 06/16/2010- Failed Passage		Corporations: Political Activities: Shareholder Objections Requires a corporation, as defined, that makes a contribution or expenditure to, or in support of, or in opposition to, a candidate, ballot measure campaign, or a signature-gathering effort on behalf of a ballot measure, political party, or political action committee, to report those contributions or expenditures to shareholders by specified means, including posting the report on the corporation's Internet Web site, if any, and to refund to an objecting shareholder, in the form of a dividend, a pro rata share of the dollar value of those contributions or expenditures, based on the shareholder's share ownership.
AB 926 Ruskin 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 490, Statutes of 2009.		State Contracts: Goods: Loss Leader Requires certain advertising of state contracting opportunities to include a statement explaining current state law against the use of "loss leaders."
AB 939 Committee on Judiciary 09/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 352, Statutes of 2010		Family Law Proceedings Revises various family law code sections, including requiring the court to enter a judgment of dissolution six months after the joint petition is filed, unless either party has filed a revocation of the joint petition. It also changes how the length of the marriage is measured by specifying it to be no more than five years as of the date of separation, rather than as of the filing of the petition.

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AB 961 Krekorian 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Public Contracts: State Contract Eligibility: Genocidal Regimes Prohibits "scrutinized companies," defined as those companies that were engaged in business with perpetrators of specified genocides that still hold looted or deposited assets of genocide victims or their heirs, from bidding on, or submitting proposals for, contracts with state agencies.
AB 964 Committee on PERSS 05/04/2009- Failed Passage		State Employees: Memorandum of Understanding Approves provisions of a memoranda of understanding between the State and Bargaining Units 1, 3, 4, 11, 14, 15, 17, 20, and 21 that require the expenditure of funds. It also requires that the retirement allowance calculations for CalPERS members in all state bargaining units and excluded and exempt categories shall include earnings, contributions, and compensation earnable that would have been reported to CalPERS had the member not been subject to a mandatory furlough, with the costs that result from the restored service paid by the State.
AB 965 Karnette 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		State Employees: Memorandum of Understanding Approves the provisions of a memorandum of understanding proposed between the State and Bargaining Unit 10, represented by the California Association of Professional Scientists.
AB 966 Committee on PERSS 08/06/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 129, Statutes of 2009.	Sponsor	Public Employee Benefits Makes various technical and minor policy changes to the statutes governing CalPERS and its administration. The changes are primarily non-substantive in nature.
AB 977 Skinner 06/14/2010- Failed Passage		Pharmacists: Immunization Protocols Creates a pilot program that will permit a pharmacist associated with an independent community pharmacy, as defined, to administer an influenza immunization to any person 18 years or older pursuant to a standardized protocol developed by the Medical Board of California (MBC) in consultation with public health officers. This program will sunset on January 1, 2015.
AB 1001 Skinner 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Employment: Familial Status Protection Includes "familial status" as an additional basis upon which the right to seek, obtain, and hold employment cannot be denied. The bill would, for employment purposes, define "familial status" as having or providing care for a child, domestic partner, grandchild, grandparent, parent, parent-in-law, sibling, or spouse.

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AB 1011 Jones 09/28/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 418, Statutes of 2010.		Insurance: Green Investments Makes findings and declarations relating to California's role in greenhouse gas reduction, and includes green investments, as defined, as community development investments. The bill requires the Insurance Commissioner, on the department's Internet Web site, to identify biennially those insurers that make investments that qualify as green investments and the aggregate amount of identified insurer investments in green investments. The bill would extend the date for repealing those provisions to January 1, 2015.
AB 1034 Huffman 02/02/2010- Failed Passage		County Employees' Retirement The County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 authorizes the board of retirement of Orange County to appoint specified management, investment, and legal personnel. These appointees are not classified as county employees and are therefore not subject to the civil service system, but are employees of that retirement system, subject to the terms of employment determined by the board of retirement. Existing law authorizes the board of retirement of San Bernardino County to adopt, by resolution, those provisions classifying specified personnel of their respective systems as employees of the retirement system. This bill would additionally authorize the board of retirement of Marin County to adopt these provisions by resolution, but would limit to specified management positions those personnel who may be classified as employees of the retirement system.
AB 1125 Hernandez 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		State Employees: Compensation Continuously appropriates from the General Fund and other specified funds to the Controller an amount necessary for the payment of compensation and employee benefits to state employees, as defined, for work performed on or after July 1 of a fiscal year for which no budget has been enacted.
AB 1126 Hernandez 05/06/2009- Failed Passage		The Public Employees' Health Care Act: Billing Disputes Prohibits health-care providers from delivering emergency services and care to an employee or annuitant, from seeking reimbursement from them, and from attempting to obtain payment from them for any covered services they were provided.
AB 1136 Fong 10/11/2009- Vetoed		County Employees' Retirement: Optional Settlements Permits, upon adoption by a county, a retired member to revoke certain optional settlements if, at retirement, the member was unmarried or had been married less than one year, the member had retired before the county adopted other specified optional retirement settlements, and the application to revoke includes the signature of the designated beneficiary of the optional settlement or a written declaration, as specified. <i>See veto message on page 116.</i>

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AB 1144 Price 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Prescriptions Requires health care service plans or insurers covering prescription drug benefits to provide a written report annually to the Department of Managed Health Care or to the Department of Insurance that documents whenever it has required an enrollee or an insured to use certain pain medications prior to providing access to a pain medication supported by a federal Food and Drug Administration approved indication, or to a pain medication prescribed by the enrollee's or insured's health care provider, as specified.
AB 1161 Buchanan 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		State Employment: Adverse Actions Requires an adverse action against a state managerial employee, state confidential employee, or state supervisory employee, as defined, to commence within one year of the discovery of the cause for discipline. The bill also requires the notice of the adverse action against those employees based on fraud, embezzlement, or the falsification of records to be served within 3 years after the discovery of the fraud, embezzlement, or falsification.
AB 1181 Huber 05/07/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 18, Statutes of 2010		Political Reform Act of 1974: Statements and Reports Requires that if a late contribution or late independent expenditure is required to be reported to the Secretary of State, the report to the Secretary of State must be by online or electronic transmission only.
AB 1201 V. Manuel Perez 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Immunizations for Children: Reimbursement of Physicians Requires a health care service plan or health insurer that provides coverage for childhood and adolescent immunizations to reimburse a physician or physician group in an amount not less than the actual cost of acquiring the vaccine plus the cost of administration of the vaccine, as specified. The bill also prohibits a health care service plan contract or health insurance policy providing coverage for childhood or adolescent immunizations from imposing a deductible, copayment, coinsurance, or other cost-sharing mechanism for the administration of a childhood or adolescent immunization or for related procedures.
AB 1215 De La Torre 08/30/2010- Failed Passage		Public Employment: Furloughs Exempts employees of the Franchise Tax Board and employees of the State Board of Equalization from furloughs implemented by any state agency, board, and commission.

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AB 1218 Jones 04/28/2009- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Rate Approval Starting January 1, 2011, this bill requires that HMOs and health insurers need approval from the Department of Managed Health Care or Department of Insurance for proposed rate increases. Rates requiring approval include premiums, co-payments and deductibles. This bill exempts increases of less than 5% if the health service plan or insurer's medical loss ratio is 90% or higher for the previous three years. The applications of insurers or health care service plans with a medical loss ratio of at least 88%, but deemed less than 90% (with a proposed premium increase of less than 5%) will automatically be deemed approved 60 days after the filing.
AB 1227 Feuer 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 389, Statutes of 2009.		Workers' Compensation: Public Employees: Leaves of Absence Removes a specified restriction in workers' compensation law on a one-year leave of absence (aka 4850 time), which provides that only specified safety employees who are members of certain pension plans are eligible.
AB 1267 Eng 02/02/2010- Failed Passage		State Teachers' Retirement System: Credited Service Permits any member of the State Teachers' Retirement System who retires for service on or after January 1, 2001, and has 30 or more years of credited service prior to July 1, 2016, to receive specified additional benefit increases.
AB 1290 Conway 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Public Employment: Internship Program Directs the State Personnel Board to establish a state internship program with eligibility for an internship classification based upon a competitive assessment. The bill requires an appointing power to prepare written job performance evaluations during an internship, and that evaluation must contain a recommendation as to whether or not to appoint the intern to a civil service classification related to the internship. With the approval of the Board, would permit the appointing power to appoint the intern to that classification.
AB 1314 Jones 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Medi-Cal: Health Care Coverage Requires the California Health and Human Services Agency, in consultation with specified entities, to develop a plan to enact comprehensive reforms to the California health care system and to make recommendations for statutory changes necessary to implement the plan. The plan would include strategies to accomplish various goals, including, but not limited to, expanding health care coverage for low- and moderate-income children and adults through a shared responsibility approach that includes contributions from individuals, employers, and the government, and reducing the number of uninsured persons in the state.

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AB 1354 Fong 08/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 188, Statutes of 2010.		County Employees' Retirement Specifies that a retirement system established pursuant to the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL) must act in accordance with the requirements of federal law, as specified. The bill also requires service for vesting purposes be credited to a member who dies while performing qualified military service for the period of his or her qualified military service. These provisions would apply to deaths that occur on or after January 1, 2007.
AB 1355 Fong 06/29/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 9, Statutes of 2009.		County Employees' Retirement: Survivor's Allowances Revises the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (CERL) to appropriately cross-reference an alternative method of calculating survivor's allowances, as specified.
AB 1406 Emmerson 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 393, Statutes of 2009.		County Board of Retirement: San Bernardino County Authorizes the San Bernardino County Board of Retirement, upon adoption by resolution, to appoint specified personnel outside the civil service system, including supervisors and employees with specialized training and knowledge in pension benefit member services, investment reporting compliance, investment accounting, pension benefit tax reporting, pension benefit financial accounting, pension law, and legal counsel.
AB 1412 Torrice 08/17/2009- Failed Passage		Political Reform Act of 1974: Gifts Prohibits a lobbyist employer, as defined, from making gifts to a Member of the Legislature aggregating more than \$10 in a calendar month.
AB 1445 Chesbro 08/09/2010- Failed Passage		Medi-Cal: Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC) and Rural Health Clinics (RHC) Provides that a maximum of 2 visits, as defined, taking place on the same day at a single FQHC or RHC location shall be reimbursed when either after the first visit the patient suffers illness or injury requiring additional diagnosis or treatment or the patient has a medical visit, as defined, and another health visit, as defined, or both.
AB 1455 Hill 06/29/2010- Failed Passage		Ephedrine: Retail Sale Implements a statewide electronic tracking program in retail outlets that monitors all California over-the-counter pseudoephedrine purchases in real-time.

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AB 1458 Davis 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Drugs: Adverse Effects: Reporting Requires health professionals, as defined, to report serious adverse drug events, as defined, to the federal Food and Drug Administration and exempts violations from related criminal provisions.
AB 1477 Krekorian 05/28/2009- Failed Passage	Neutral, if amended	Public Employees' Retirement: Postretirement Death Benefits Increases to \$6,163, from \$2,000, the death benefit paid to the designated beneficiary of a retired school member, with the additional employer contributions required to fund this benefit be computed as a level percentage of member compensation.
AB 1491 V.M. Perez 01/21/2010- Failed Passage		Corporations: Boards of Directors: Diversity Allows for the release of specified information about the diversity corporate board of directors registry with the registrant's consent, and requires the Secretary of State to request recommendations from public pension funds on how to improve the registry's effectiveness on or before 6/1/10.
AB 1494 Eng 08/06/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 149, Statutes of 2009.		Public Meetings: Definition Revises the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act prohibition regarding the use of specified communications or devices to develop a collective concurrence. This bill prohibits a majority of the members of a state body from using a series of communications of any kind, directly or through intermediaries, to discuss, deliberate, or take action on any item of business that is within the subject matter of the state body. The bill excludes from that prohibition an employee or official of a state agency engaging in a separate conversation or communication with a member of a legislative body for the purpose of answering questions or providing information, as specified.
AB 1503 Lieu 09/29/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 445, Statutes of 2010.		Health Facilities: Emergency Physicians: Emergency Medical Care: Billing Provides that uninsured patients or patients with high medical costs who are at or below 350% of the federal poverty level are eligible to apply to the emergency physician, as defined, who provides emergency medical services in a general acute care hospital, for a discount payment pursuant to a discount payment policy.
AB 1542 Jones 09/01/2010- Failed Passage		Medical Homes Establishes the Patient-Centered Medical Home Act of 2010 to encourage licensed health care providers and patients to partner in a patient-centered medical home, as defined, that promotes access to high-quality, comprehensive care, in accordance with prescribed requirements.

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<p>AB 1558 V. Manuel Perez</p> <p>08/12/2010- Failed Passage</p>	<p>State Government</p>	<p>Revises and recasts provisions relating to the preparation of the California Economic Development Strategic Plan, which this bill renames the California Economic and Workforce Development Strategy. Among its provisions, the bill requires that strategy to be updated every 5 years rather than biennially, requires the Secretary of Labor and Workforce Development to lead the preparation of the strategy, requires the Secretary to prepare a preliminary strategy and post that document on the agency's Internet Web site, and requires specified public and legislative review of the preliminary plan.</p>
<p>AB 1580 Calderon, Charles</p> <p>10/11/2009- Vetoed</p>	<p>Taxation: Federal Conformity</p>	<p>Conforms specified provisions of the California Personal Income Tax Law, Corporation Tax Law, and administration of franchise and income tax laws to federal income tax laws as set forth in the Internal Revenue Code as of January 1, 2009.</p> <p><i>See veto message on page 117.</i></p>
<p>AB 1584 Hernandez</p> <p>10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 301, Statutes of 2009.</p>	<p>Public Employees' Retirement: Retirement Boards</p>	<p>Requires investment placement agent fee disclosure. The bill also requires disclosure of campaign contributions and gifts by placement agents to retirement board members, prohibits retirement board members from selling investments to other public retirement systems, and lengthens post-employment restrictions on influencing retirement board actions for former system executives and board members. This is an urgency measure.</p>
<p>AB 1585 Committee on Accountability and Administrative Review</p> <p>02/26/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 7, Statutes of 2010.</p>	<p>State Government: Reporting Requirements: Required Repealer</p>	<p>Requires that reports submitted by a state or local agency to the Members of either house of the Legislature generally, be submitted as a printed copy to both the Legislative Counsel and the Secretary of the Senate, and as an electronic copy to the Chief Clerk of the Assembly. The bill further requires that the summary of a report made by a state agency to either house of the Legislature be submitted to the Members of the appropriate house by that agency, instead of by the Legislative Counsel. The bill also specifically requires the Legislative Counsel to maintain the list of state and local agencies' reports in a specified manner, including maintaining the list in an electronic format and deleting specified reports from the list. This is an urgency measure.</p>

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AB 1588 Bass 02/22/2010- Failed Passage		Monitored Mortgage Workout Program Establishes the Monitored Mortgage Workout (MMW) Program to be offered to all borrowers as an opportunity to explore options to avoid foreclosure. This bill requires that any notice of default of a residential real property, as defined, sent to a borrower must include a notice of the borrower's right to participate in the MMW Program as well as the documents that authorize the borrower to elect to participate in the MMW Program.
AB 1592 Buchanan 08/23/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 163, Statutes of 2010.		State Employees: Memorandum of Understanding Provides legislative ratification for memoranda of understanding between the administration and three state bargaining units: CDF Firefighters (BU 8); Physicians, Dentists, and Podiatrists (BU 16); and Health and Service Professionals (BU 19). This is an urgency measure.
AB 1600 Beall 09/29/2010- Vetoed		Health Care Coverage: Mental Health Services Expands the mental health coverage requirement for certain health care service plan contracts and health insurance policies issued, amended, or renewed on or after January 1, 2011, to include the diagnosis and treatment of a mental illness of a person of any age and would define mental illness for this purpose as a mental disorder defined in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual IV, including substance abuse but excluding nicotine dependence and specified diagnoses defined in the manual, subject to regulatory revision, as specified. The bill would specify that this requirement does not apply to a health care benefit plan, contract, or health insurance policy with CalPERS unless the CalPERS Board of Administration elects to purchase a plan, contract, or policy that provides mental health coverage. <i>See veto message on page 118.</i>
AB 1602 John A. Perez 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 655, Statutes of 2010.		California Health Benefit Exchange Creates the California Health Benefit Exchange (the Exchange); specifies the powers and duties of the board governing the Exchange; requires the board to facilitate the purchase of qualified health plans through the Exchange by qualified individuals and qualified small employers by January 1, 2014; creates the California Health Trust Fund as a continuously appropriated fund; and requires that loans awarded under the bill be made from the California Health Facilities Authority Fund and requires repayment of the loan by a specified date.

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AB 1625 John A. Perez 10/19/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 728, Statutes of 2010.		Public Employment: Collective Bargaining Among other things, provides legislative ratification for memoranda of understanding between the administration and nine State bargaining units: 1, 3, 4, 11, 14, 15, 17, 20 and 21. Its provisions become effective the pay period following ratification by both parties. This is an urgency measure.
AB 1639 Nava 06/21/2010- Failed Passage		Facilitated Mortgage Workout Program Establishes, contingent upon receipt of federal funding for all costs, and only until January 1, 2014, the Facilitated Mortgage Workout Program. The program would be a process whereby borrowers and lenders engage in conciliation sessions for purposes of developing a loan modification plan, as specified.
AB 1645 Nestande 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		General Fund Obligations and Liabilities: Governor's Budget Requires the Governor's annual budget to contain certain information regarding General Fund obligations and liabilities and requires the Governor, at the time of the May Revision, to submit his or her recommendations for potential methods of retiring those obligations and liabilities identified in the budget.
AB 1650 Feuer 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 573, Statutes of 2010.		Public Contracts: State and Local Contract Eligibility: Energy Sector Investment Activities in Iran Requires, by June 1, 2011, the Department of General Services to use credible information available to the public to develop, or contract to develop, a list of persons it determines provide goods or services of \$20,000,000 or more in the energy sector of Iran. Before a person is included on the list, this bill requires the Department of General Services to provide 90 days written notice of its intent to include the person on the list and to inform the person that inclusion on the list would make the person ineligible to bid on, submit a proposal for, or enter into or renew, a contract for goods and services of \$1,000,000 or more with a public entity, and requires the Department to provide the person with an opportunity to comment in writing that it is not engaged in investment activities in Iran.
AB 1651 De La Torre 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 574, Statutes of 2010.		Public Employees' Retirement Law: Furloughs: Retirement Credit In 2009, legislation was enacted to guarantee that all State employees who are furloughed will receive the same amount of retirement service credit and final compensation he or she would have received absent the furlough. This bill extends this same treatment to furloughed school employees who are employed by a county office of education, a school district, a school district that is a public agency, or a community college district, as well as local safety members employed by a contracting agency.

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<p>AB 1658 Lieu</p> <p>07/19/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 118, Statutes of 2010.</p>		<p>County Employees' Retirement: Service Credit: Safety Members</p> <p>Authorizes specified members in the County of Los Angeles that become safety members by operation of a specified consolidation of departments within that county to receive service credit, as a safety member, for duties performed as an officer prior to the consolidation. This bill requires a member that elects to receive the service credit to pay an amount equal to the contributions, together with the regular interest the member would have made for that service, either by a lump sum payment or by installment payments.</p>
<p>AB 1665 Swanson</p> <p>06/28/2010- Failed Passage</p>		<p>School Employees: Scope of Representation</p> <p>Requires public school employers to give reasonable written notice to the exclusive representative of classified personnel of a public school employer's intent to make any change to matters within the scope of representation, including, but not necessarily limited to, start time. The bill also requires public school employers to provide a recognized employee organization with the opportunity to meet and negotiate with the public school employer, and in cases of emergency when the public school employer determines that a rule, policy, or procedure must be adopted immediately.</p>
<p>AB 1666 Swanson</p> <p>07/15/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 80, Statutes of 2010.</p>		<p>Local Government: Whistleblower Hotline</p> <p>Allows a city, county, or a city and county auditor or controller to maintain a whistleblower hotline to receive calls from persons who have information regarding fraud, waste, or abuse, and would define those terms. The bill also authorizes the auditor or controller to provide a copy of a substantiated audit report or investigation to the appropriate appointing authority or disciplinary purposes, as specified.</p>
<p>AB 1667 Swanson</p> <p>07/15/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 81, Statutes of 2010.</p>		<p>Public Employment: County of Alameda</p> <p>Authorizes the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, by resolution adopted by majority vote as part of any negotiated memorandum of understanding with a bargaining unit that represents safety employees, to require a safety employee of that bargaining unit or unrepresented safety employee hired after approval of the resolution, to elect in writing a permanent choice between 2 specified pension calculations, as specified. The bill authorizes the board to adopt a resolution by majority vote to provide a different formula or calculation of retirement benefits for new members of other safety bargaining units or other unrepresented safety employees hired after approval of the resolution, as specified, or to provide a different formula or calculation of safety retirement benefits for new safety members in one bargaining unit than that which is provided for new safety members of other bargaining units or new unrepresented safety members. The bill also specifies that the board shall not require that a bargaining unit be divided solely for the purpose of providing different retirement benefits, and authorizes the board to separately negotiate retirement benefits with a bargaining unit if the members of that bargaining unit so elect. This is an urgency measure.</p>

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AB 1696 Berryhill, Bill 09/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 361, Statutes of 2010.		Death Benefits: Payment Duration Extends workers' compensation death benefits until the youngest child reaches age 19 if the parent served in a specified public position and was killed on duty.
AB 1699 Hernandez 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		Interim Appropriations Requires that state employees continue to be paid even if a budget is not enacted by the beginning of the fiscal year. If there is a memorandum of understanding (MOU) in effect, pay and benefits will be consistent with the MOU's provisions. Pay and benefits of excluded employees will be consistent with the compensation package approved by the Department of Personnel Administration (DPA) prior the beginning of the fiscal year. If no MOU is in effect and/or if DPA has not approved a compensation package for excluded employees, the compensation payments will be at the rate in effect the prior year.
AB 1712 Furutani 09/28/2010- Vetoed		School Employees: Leaves of Absence: Classified Employees Elected to the Legislature Provides the same leave rights to a permanent school employee in classified service who is elected to the Legislature and serves on or after December 6, 2010, as provided to certificated school employees. <i>See veto message on page 119.</i>
AB 1729 Yamada 09/24/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 237, Statutes of 2010.		Civil Service Examinations: Veterans' Preference Extends the period that veterans are eligible for preference points on civil service exams from six months to 12 months, following the establishment of an employment list.

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AB 1739 Lieu 07/15/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 83, Statutes of 2010.		County Employees' Retirement: Disability: Military Leave Requires, in Los Angeles County upon adoption by the board of supervisors or a district governing body, that a member who becomes permanently incapacitated for the performance of duty with his or her county or district as a direct result of injury or disease arising out of, and in the course of, active military service while on military leave, as defined, be retired for non-service connected disability regardless of age or years of service. The bill also permits the surviving spouse of a member who dies in the course of this active military service to receive the combined death benefit without regard to what would otherwise be required with regard to the member. The bill specifies that the right to these benefits is not vested with respect to any member prior to the member's retirement or death.
AB 1743 Hernandez 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 668, Statutes of 2010.	Co-Sponsor	Political Reform Act of 1974: Placement Agents Requires placement agents that do business with CalPERS or CalSTRS to be subject to the same reporting and ethics rules that govern lobbyists under the California Political Reform Act, including bans on campaign contributions and contingent fee arrangements. The bill also requires placement agents that do business with local public retirement systems to register as lobbyists if those jurisdictions have similar lobbyist registration requirements in place. It also requires CalPERS and CalSTRS to report to the Legislature on or before August 1, 2012, on the use of placement agents.
AB 1744 Portantino 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		Public Employees: Rights Enacts the Public Employees' Bill of Rights Act that would apply to state employees other than excluded employees. It specifies, among other things, that state employees will be entitled to priority over excluded employees or contractors in filling permanent, overtime, and on-call positions. This bill also authorizes the formation of peer review committees for professional staff to provide input regarding workplace operations.
AB 1759 Blumenfield 09/29/2010- Vetoed		Health Care Coverage: Premium Rates Prohibits a health care service plan or health insurer from using a change in demographics or enrollment as the basis for a premium rate change during the length of the contract. <i>See veto message on page 120.</i>

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AB 1764 Portantino 05/28/2010- Failed Passage	Oppose, unless amended	State Employment: Salary Freeze Prohibits state employees whose base salaries are greater than \$150,000 per year on or after the effective date of the bill, from receiving a salary increase while employed in the same position or classification, and from receiving payment for overtime work. The bill exempts persons: whose compensation is governed by an operative memorandum of understanding, who have been exempted by executive order of the Governor, trial court employees, and those whose salaries are set pursuant to the California Constitution. This prohibition would be in effect until January 1, 2013.
AB 1765 Solorio 09/23/2010- Vetoed		Public Employment: Furloughs Prohibits a state employee from being furloughed when the unemployment rate in California during the previous month reached or exceeded 8.5%, the employee's position is at least 95% funded by the federal government, and the employee performs services that combat the state's recession working for the California Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board or the Employment Development Department. <i>See veto message on page 121.</i>
AB 1776 Anderson 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		Health Facilities: General Acute Care Hospitals Declares the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would address general acute care hospital issues.
AB 1779 Niello 05/10/2010- Failed Passage		Taxation: Cancellation of Indebtedness: Mortgage Debt Forgiveness Provides additional conformity to specified federal laws, including allowance of the exclusion for debt that is discharged before 2013, as provided.
AB 1787 Swanson 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		Administrative Procedure: Regulations: Narrative Description Requires agencies, when adopting regulations, to include a narrative description of the additions to, and deletions from, the California Code of Regulations, as specified, and states the intent of the Legislature to require state agencies to provide regulatory amendments in a narrative format that can be accurately translated by software used by the visually impaired.

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AB 1813 Lieu 08/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 194, Statutes of 2010.		Public Officials: Personal Information Specifies that the requirement to remove specified personal information from public display on the Internet includes information contained in cellular telephone applications. The bill also expands the definition of public safety officer for these purposes and, in turn, provides the protections described above to a wider range of officers.
AB 1814 Buchanan 08/13/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 130, Statutes of 2010.		Discrimination in Employment Provides that the Fair Employment and Housing Act does not prohibit an employer from providing health benefits or health care reimbursement plans to retired persons that are altered, reduced, or eliminated when the retiree becomes eligible for Medicare benefits.
AB 1820 Portantino 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		Office of the California Inspector General: Establishment Establishes the Office of the California Inspector General to investigate fraud, corruption, waste, mismanagement, misconduct, and abuse in the expenditure of public funds by a covered agency, as defined.
AB 1821 Ma 09/30/2010- Vetoed	Sponsor	Public Employees' Retirement System: Preretirement Death Benefits Merges the members and assets in the 1st and 2nd levels into the 3rd level pool of the 1959 Survivor Benefit Program for Public Agencies. In addition, the \$2.00 required monthly employee premium would be waived as long as the pool has surplus assets in excess of 200 percent of the total liabilities of the pool. <i>See veto message on page 122.</i>
AB 1825 De La Torre 09/30/2010- Vetoed		Maternity Services Requires new forms for health insurance policies submitted to the department after January 1, 2011, to provide coverage for maternity services, as defined. With respect to policy forms on file with the department as of January 1, 2011, the bill requires health insurers to submit to the department, on or before March 1, 2011, revised policy forms that provide coverage for maternity services and requires insurers to include that coverage in the corresponding policies that are issued, amended, or renewed following the department's approval of the revised forms, as specified. <i>See veto message on page 123.</i>

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AB 1826 Huffman 08/12/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Prescriptions Requires a health plan or health insurer that covers outpatient prescription drug benefits to provide coverage for a drug that has been prescribed for the treatment of pain. It also prohibits the health plan or health insurer from requiring the subscriber or enrollee to first use an alternative prescription drug or over-the-counter drug, as specified. This bill does not apply to CalPERS.
AB 1853 Huffman 08/31/2010- Relevant content was removed from bill on August 31, 2010.		Public Contracts: Bid Preferences: Employee Health Care Expenditures Requires a state agency awarding a public works contract to provide a 2% bid preference to a bidder whose employee health care expenditures, and those of its subcontractors, are at least 6.5% of the aggregate Social Security wages paid to its employees in California. <i>This content was removed from the bill on August 31, 2010.</i>
AB 1856 Fong 08/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 197, Statutes of 2010.	Sponsor	Public Employees' Retirement Allows CalPERS members to suspend or cancel after-tax installment payments for service credit purchases on a voluntary basis, without needing to show financial hardship. It also allows CalPERS to cancel service credit purchases that remain delinquent with no response by the member for at least one year.
AB 1862 Eng 09/23/2010- Vetoed		Teachers' Retirement Board: Members Beginning January 1, 2012, specifies that the Teachers' Retirement Board member that is either a retired member of the Defined Benefit Program or a retired participant of the Cash Balance Benefit Program would be elected by retired members of the Defined Benefit Program and retired participants of the Cash Balance Benefit Program. <i>See veto message on page 124.</i>
AB 1873 Huffman 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 583, Statutes of 2010.		Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE) Bonds Authorizes the CalPERS Board of Administration and other specified State agencies to purchase bonds issued to finance the installation of distributed generation renewable energy sources or energy or water efficiency improvements through local property assessed clean energy (PACE) programs.

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AB 1878 Lieu 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		Statewide Forms Management Program Requires the Department of General Services (DGS) to provide notice to state agency forms management representatives and departmental forms coordinators, that in the usual course of reviewing and revising all public-use forms that collect demographic data, they must include questions that provide for the voluntary self-identification of information that relates to sexual orientation, domestic partnership status, and gender identity.
AB 1882 Portantino 04/20/2010- Failed Passage		Health Facilities: Chilling or Therapeutic Hypothermia Requires each general acute care hospital with an emergency department to adopt a protocol, policy or procedure for assessing patients in the emergency room who are comatose after experiencing cardiac arrest to determine whether to treat these patients with chilling or therapeutic hypothermia.
AB 1887 Villines 06/29/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 32, Statutes of 2010.		Temporary High Risk Pool Establishes the Federal Temporary High Risk Health Insurance Fund as a continuously appropriated fund to administer the qualified high risk pool required by federal law. The bill would repeal these provisions on January 1, 2020. This bill is an urgency measure.
AB 1891 Portantino 06/28/2010- Relevant content was removed from the bill on June 28, 2010.		State Government: Bureau of State Audits and Inspector General Renames the Bureau of State Audits to the Bureau of State Audits and Inspector General and imposes additional responsibilities, relating to the investigation, review, and auditing of state entities under its jurisdiction. <i>This content was removed from the bill on June 28, 2010.</i>
AB 1892 Mendoza 04/20/2010- Failed Passage		Community Colleges: Part-time Faculty: Health Insurance Expresses Legislative intent that commencing with the 2011-12 fiscal year, sufficient funds be appropriated to reimburse Community College districts for the costs incurred from participation in the Part-Time Community College Faculty Health Insurance Program (Program), deletes language providing that provisions of the Program shall only be operative in years where funds are appropriated, and makes other related changes.

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AB 1899 Eng 09/25/2010- Vetoed		State Agencies: Information: Internet Web site Requires, subject to specific exemptions, state agencies, the Department of General Services, and the office of the State Chief Information Officer to post specified audits and contracts to the state's Reporting Transparency in Government Internet Web site. <i>See veto message on page 125.</i>
AB 1902 Portantino 07/15/2010- Chapered by Secretary of State, Chapter 86, Statutes of 2010.		County Employees' Retirement: Los Angeles County This bill specifies that a member who transfers from the Los Angeles County Retirement Plan E to Retirement Plan D, as specified, and who becomes disabled and has not completed the 2 continuous years of active service or earned 5 years of retirement service credit under Retirement Plan D after his or her most recent transfer date may either: (1) apply for and receive only a deferred or service retirement allowance, or (2) elect to transfer prospectively back to Retirement Plan E, and for the purposes of calculating his or her retirement benefits under this section, shall in lieu of credit under Retirement Plan D be credited with service under Retirement Plan E, as specified.
AB 1904 Villines 04/20/2010- Failed Passage		Out-of-State Carriers Allows an out-of-state carrier to offer, sell, or renew a health plan or health insurance policy without having a license issued by the Department of Managed Care or a certificate of authority from the Insurance Commissioner. The bill exempts a plan or policy from requirements otherwise applicable to plans and insurers providing health care coverage in this state, if the plan or policy complies with the domiciliary state's requirements, and the carrier is authorized to issue the plan or policy in that state and to transact business there.
AB 1913 Davis 08/31/2010- Failed Passage	Oppose, unless amended, then Support once amended	Retirement: Pension Fund Requires CalPERS and CalSTRS to report annually to the Legislature on or before January 1, 2012, and until January 1, 2016, information regarding the ethnicity and gender of emerging investment managers who manage retirement fund assets and the ethnicity and gender of the owners of investment management firms with retirement fund management contracts. The bill also requires each board to develop and report plans and strategies to increase emerging investment manager participation in each fund's actively managed portfolio to ten percent.
AB 1919 Davis 08/19/2010- Failed Passage		Retirement: Pension Fund Management Requires the CalPERS Board of Administration to report annually to the Legislature on the ethnicity and gender of its external investment managers and external firms that provide brokerage services. The bill also requires the Board to develop and include in the report plans and strategies to increase the participation of emerging investment managers and emerging brokerage firms, as defined.

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AB 1955 De La Torre 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		Local Government: Compensation Requires the Controller to determine, based on a review of public records or reported salary information, whether a city is an excess compensation city, as defined. The bill authorizes a city to request a hearing, as specified, to contest the Controller's determination. The bill requires the Controller, if the city does not request a hearing or if the Attorney General concurs with the Controller's determination after a hearing, to notify the city and the redevelopment agency in the city of the city's status as an excess compensation city, as prescribed.
AB 1957 Silva 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		Administrative Procedure Act: Notice of Proposed Actions: Local Government Agencies Requires a state agency to mail a notice of proposed action to adopt, amend, or repeal a regulation to local government agencies or local government agency representatives that the agency believes may be interested in, or impacted by, the proposed action, as prescribed.
AB 1976 Cook 04/13/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Report of Claim Information On and after July 1, 2011, requires a health care service plan or health insurer that receives a written request for a written report of claim information from the group subscriber or group policyholder of a group health care service plan contract or health insurance policy issued by the plan or insurer, as specified, to provide that report to the subscriber or policyholder no later than 30 days after receipt of the request. The bill prohibits the health care service plan or health insurer from disclosing any information protected under federal or state law.
AB 1987 Ma 09/30/2010- Vetoed		Public Retirement: Final Compensation: Computation: Retirees Would have provided, effective July 1, 2011, that any change in salary, compensation, or remuneration principally for the purpose of enhancing a member's benefits would not be included in the calculation of a member's final compensation for purposes of determining that member's defined benefit at any local public retirement system. The bill would have prohibited members of the public retirement systems that retire on or after January 1, 2012, from performing services for any employer covered by their retirement system until that person had been separated from service for at least 180 days. <i>See veto message on page 126.</i>
AB 1993 Strickland, Audra 06/10/2010- Failed Passage		Reports: Declarations Would have required a written report, as defined, submitted by any state agency or department to the Legislature, a Member of the Legislature, or any state legislative or executive body to include a signed statement by the head of the agency or department declaring that the factual contents of the written report are true, accurate, and complete to the best of his or her knowledge. This bill would also have made any person who declares as true any material matter pursuant to these provisions that he or she knows to be false liable for a civil penalty not to exceed \$20,000.

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AB 2007 Adams 09/25/2010- Vetoed		Political Reform Act of 1974: Gifts Would have required the Fair Political Practices Commission to post on its Internet Web site, on or before February 1 of each year, information describing all gifts donated to Members of the Legislature and designated employees of the Legislature in the previous calendar year and reported to the Secretary of State by the donors of those gifts. <i>See veto message on page 127.</i>
AB 2008 Arambula 09/23/2010- Vetoed		Public Employment: Furloughs Except as otherwise specifically authorized by the Legislature, would have specified that employees of the Franchise Tax Board and the State Board of Equalization would not be subject to furloughs implemented by any Executive order or by any other action of a state agency, board, or commission. <i>See veto message on page 128.</i>
AB 2024 Blumenfield 05/03/2010- Failed Passage		Loan Modification Would have required any lender or servicer that rejects a loan modification request to send within 7 days, by certified mail, a notification to the borrower that specifically states the reasons why the loan modification request is rejected.
AB 2064 Huber 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		State and Local Government: Salary Disclosure Would have required each general law or charter city, county, city and county, special district, school district, and joint powers agency to post on its official Internet Web site, if it maintains one, and annually update, annual salary information pertaining to specified persons, including, among others, each elected or appointed official of that entity, thus imposing a state-mandated local program.
AB 2091 Conway 08/27/2010- Chapered by Secretary of State, Chapter 205, Statutes of 2010.		Public Records: Information Security Exempts from disclosure under the California Public Records Act information security records that would reveal vulnerabilities of an information technology system or increase the potential for cyber attacks.

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AB 2093 V. Manuel Perez 09/29/2010- Vetoed		Immunizations for Children: Reimbursement of Physicians Would have required a health care service plan or health insurer (collectively carriers) that provides coverage for childhood and adolescent immunizations to reimburse a physician or physician group the entire cost of acquiring and administering the vaccine, and prohibited a carrier from requiring cost-sharing from immunizations. CalPERS was exempted from this bill. <i>See veto message on page 129.</i>
AB 2110 De La Torre 08/30/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Premium Payments: Grace Periods Would have required individual health insurance and health plan policies issued, amended, or renewed after January 1, 2011, to provide a grace period of 50 days for the payment of each premium. Under existing, the grace period is required to be at least seven days for weekly premium policies, at least 10 days for monthly premium policies, and at least 31 days for all other policies.
AB 2112 Monning 04/13/2010- Failed Passage		Prescription Record Privacy Act Would have enacted the Prescription Record Privacy Act, prohibiting a person or entity, including a pharmacist, from selling or releasing to a 3rd party any physician prescribing data for marketing purposes, as defined, except when the data is necessary for any local, state, or federal governmental or oversight activity, as provided, is necessary for the processing of a health care claim, or for specified medical reasons.
AB 2170 Lowenthal, Bonnie 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Prescriptions: Formularies Would have prohibited a health plan or a health insurer that covers prescription drug benefits and uses a formulary from increasing copayments, deductibles or coinsurances for prescription drugs for the length of the contract or policy.
AB 2236 Monning 05/03/2010- Failed Passage		Mortgages: Notices to the Borrower Would have required a mortgagee, trustee, or beneficiary, or an authorized agent of that person, to include on all notices informing a borrower that he or she has either failed to make a required minimum payment or failed to make a payment when due, the name and the contact information, including the address and telephone number, of the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent who has the authority pursuant to state and federal law to modify the terms and conditions of the borrower's loan.

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AB 2244 Feuer 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 656, Statutes of 2010.		Health Care Coverage Prohibits the exclusion or limitation of health care coverage for children due to any preexisting condition, except as specified. The bill requires plans and insurers offering coverage in the individual market to offer coverage for a child subject to specified requirements, and prescribes limits on the rates that may be imposed for coverage of a child depending on, among other things, whether the child applies for coverage during an open enrollment period, as defined, or is a late enrollee, as defined. The bill also requires, effective January 1, 2014, plans and insurers to apply standard risk rates to child coverage, except as specified.
AB 2249 Ruskin 09/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 383, Statutes of 2010.		State Government: Small Business or Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Certification Requires, during the process of certifying and determining the eligibility of a small business or a disabled veteran business enterprise for specified State procurement, an applicant or certified firm to submit to the department a written declaration, under penalty of perjury, that all information submitted, including the additional information for disabled veteran business enterprises, is true and correct, and authorizes the department to require, in certain cases, the owner of the enterprise or small business, the applicant, or the certified firm to complete and submit to the department a specified federal tax form requesting a transcript of a tax return.
AB 2250 Harkey 04/14/2010- Failed Passage		Public Employees' Retirement: Safety Members Would have provided that employees represented by State Bargaining Units 5 (CHP), 6 (Corrections), 8 (Firefighters), 9 (Professional Engineers), and members of Bargaining Unit 7 who are peace officers/firefighters have a 36 month final compensation period if first hired on or after January 1, 2011. This bill also would have applied to state employees not in a bargaining unit, and not part of any collective bargaining agreement.
AB 2260 Committee on Public Employees, Retirement and Social Security 08/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 207, Statutes of 2010.		State Teachers' Retirement: Administration: Benefits Authorizes the Teachers' Retirement Board, by resolution, to direct the Controller to transfer all or a portion of the assets of the Teachers' Retirement Program Development Fund for expenditure for the programs authorized to receive moneys from that fund, if the board finds that the transfer would facilitate the administration of those programs. This bill would also make clarifying changes to those provisions of law, including changes that would identify employees who are subject to conflict of interest provisions, provide that a cancellation or change in a retirement option may not be made on the effective date of a member's retirement, clarify that applications for disability retirement are required to be submitted on properly executed forms, and conform those provisions with applicable provisions of federal law.

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AB 2287 Monning 08/12/2010- Failed Passage		California Health and Human Services Agency: Public Health: Federal Grant Opportunities Would have required the California Health and Human Services Agency to direct the appropriate departments within the agency to apply for federal community transformation grants under the PPACA, as specified. The bill would have required the agency to direct the appropriate departments within the agency to make information regarding federal grant opportunities under the PPACA available to local government agencies, local public health departments, school districts, state and local nonprofit organizations, and Indian tribes through existing channels, and by placing a link on each relevant department's existing Internet Web site.
AB 2334 Salas 05/04/2010- Failed Passage		Malpractice Insurance: Volunteer Dentists Would have established the Volunteer Insured Dentists Program, administered by the Dental Board of California, to provide specified malpractice insurance coverage to volunteer dentists providing uncompensated care to low-income patients pursuant to a contract with a qualified health care entity, as defined.
AB 2337 Ammiano 06/28/2010- Failed Passage	Neutral	Public Retirement System: Investments: Predatory Investment Practices Would have required all state and local public retirement systems in California to adopt a policy on or before June 30, 2011, that restricted real estate investments in companies that engage in predatory investment practices that result in excessive rent increases imposed upon, or the eviction or displacement of, persons residing in rent-regulated housing in order to generate profits, as specified.
AB 2340 Monning 09/25/2010- Vetoed		Employees' Right to Bereavement Leave Would have established an employee's right to inquire about, request, and take time off for bereavement leave. The provisions of the bill would not have applied to an employee covered by a valid collective bargaining agreement that provides for bereavement leave and other specified working conditions. <i>See veto message on page 130.</i>
AB 2341 Huber 04/14/2010- Failed Passage		Public Employees' Retirement System: Board of Administration Would have provided for the removal of a CalPERS Board Member who violates his or her fiduciary duties to the system, or is insolvent or otherwise unfit to administer the System. The bill also would have specified that a board member's seat is vacant if the board member: 1) cannot be identified or does not exist; 2) resigns or is removed; 3) dies; or 4) files a petition for adjudication of bankruptcy, as specified. It also would have provided that these changes would take effect only when submitted to and approved by the voters at a statewide election.

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AB 2345 De La Torre 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 657, Statutes of 2010.		Health Care Coverage: Preventative Services Requires health care service plan contracts and health insurance policies issued, amended, renewed, or delivered on or after September 23, 2010, to comply with the provisions of PPACA regarding coverage of, and cost-sharing for, preventive services and any rules or regulations issued pursuant to those provisions to the extent required under federal law.
AB 2368 Blakeslee 05/05/2010- Failed Passage		Political Reform Act of 1974: Gift Limitations Would have prohibited a lobbyist employer from making gifts to a Member of the Legislature aggregating more than \$10 in a calendar month.
AB 2389 Gaines 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Health Facilities: Cost and Quality Information Would have prohibited a contract by or on behalf of a licensed hospital or health care facility and a health care service plan or health insurer (collectively carriers) from containing a provision that restricts the ability of the carrier to furnish information to carrier enrollees on the cost range of procedures or quality of services performed by the hospital or facility.
AB 2403 Strickland, Audra 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		State Government: Audits and Contracts: Reporting Would have required each state agency to post on the state's Reporting Transparency in Government Internet Web site, by February 15, 2011, every audit of its operations finalized between January 1, 2008, and December 31, 2010, and every contract entered with a total value of \$5,000 or more entered into by a state agency between January 1, 2008, and December 31, 2010, and commencing January 1, 2011, post audit results on that site within 15 days of completion of an audit, and every contract with a value of \$5,000 or more, entered into by a state agency. The bill also would have required the Chief Information Officer, commencing January 1, 2011, to post specified information relating to new contracts entered into by a state agency, and required the office of the Governor to post every statement of economic interest and travel and expense report of its staff, agency secretaries, department heads, and any official under the direct supervision of the Governor on the site.
AB 2408 Smyth 09/28/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 404, Statutes of 2010.		State Government Information Technology Makes the statutory codification changes made necessary by the Governor's Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 2009 (GRP No. 1), which transferred all the duties, functions, employees, property, and related funding of the Division of Telecommunications in the Department of General Services to the office of the State Chief Information Officer, and made numerous other related changes.

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AB 2452 Silva 04/14/2010- Failed Passage		County Employees' Retirement Systems: Orange County: Retirement Benefits Would have authorized the Orange County Board of Supervisors of to establish an optional retirement plan for its general members under an executed memorandum of understanding with employee representatives, if the board of supervisors, by a majority vote, adopts a resolution providing that the provisions of this bill shall be applicable. This bill would not require members to make contributions to the retirement plan.
AB 2466 Smyth 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		Regulations: Legislative Validation: Effective Date Would have required the Office of Administrative Law to submit to the Legislature for review a copy of each regulation that it submits to the Secretary of State. This bill also would have required that a regulation become effective on the 90th day after it is filed with the Secretary of State, unless prescribed conditions occur.
AB 2470 De La Torre 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 658, Statutes of 2010.		Health Care Coverage Prohibits a plan or insurer from rescinding a health care service plan contract or health insurance policy, or limiting any of the provisions of the contract or policy, once an enrollee or insured is covered under the contract or policy unless the plan or insurer can demonstrate that the enrollee or insured has performed an act or practice constituting fraud or made an intentional misrepresentation of material fact as prohibited by the terms of the contract or policy.
AB 2510 Fletcher 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 600, Statutes of 2010.	Neutral	Public Employees' Retirement: Contracting Agencies: Postretirement Health Coverage Allows the City of San Diego to establish a vesting requirement for post-retirement health benefits for employees who are either members of the San Diego Police Officers Association or unclassified and unrepresented employees of the City of San Diego and who have at least 10 years of service credit. This would take effect for employees retiring on or after the effective date of the memorandum of understanding authorizing this benefit.
AB 2529 Fuentes 06/28/2010- Failed Passage		State Agencies: Regulations: Review Would have required the State Air Resources Board, Energy Commission, Department of Fish and Game, and the Department of Housing and Community Development to complete a related economic impacts analysis, as defined, for any proposed regulation that will have an adverse economic impact on California business enterprises and individuals in an amount exceeding \$10,000,000, as specified.

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AB 2533 Fuentes 08/05/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Quality Rating Would have expanded the reporting requirements required of health care service plans (health plans) and health insurers, as specified, related to economic profiling of physicians, providers, medical groups, or individual practice associations (IPAs) to also apply to quality rating, as defined. The bill also would have required health plans and insurers to make such filings with their respective departments immediately upon adoption, or within 30 days of making any changes, and modified the required content of such filings, as specified.
AB 2540 De La Torre 09/29/2010- Vetoed		Health Insurance: Postclaims Underwriting: Unfair and Deceptive Practices Would have specified that engaging in health insurance postclaims underwriting is an unfair method of competition, or unfair or deceptive act or practice in the business of insurance. It also would have established penalties levied on a person who engages in postclaims underwriting and required that the amount by which a penalty exceeds \$118 be deposited in the Major Risk Medical Insurance Fund to be used for the California Major Risk Medical Insurance Program. <i>See veto message on page 131.</i>
AB 2559 John A. Perez 04/20/2010- Failed Passage		Social Security Numbers Would have prohibited specified state agencies from requiring an applicant for any benefit, service, or privilege, or for participation in any program to provide his or her Social Security number unless the agency is otherwise expressly required by law to require that the applicant provide the number as a precondition to participation in the program or for receipt of the benefit, service, or privilege.
AB 2578 Jones 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Rate Approval Would have required health care service plans licensed by the Department of Managed Health Care (DMHC) and health insurers certificated by the Department of Insurance (CDI), effective January 1, 2012, to apply for prior approval of proposed rate increases, under specified conditions, and imposed on DMHC and CDI specific rate review criteria, timelines and hearing requirements.
AB 2586 Chesbro 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Network Modification: Contracting Agencies Would have required a health plan or an insurer that contracts with providers to obtain approval from its regulating department prior to implementing a network modification, as defined, and required the plan or insurer, in order to obtain approval, to demonstrate that the modified network would meet certain access requirements. The bill also would have required plans and insurers to notify affected providers and enrollees or insureds of the modification, as specified.

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AB 2587 Berryhill, Tom 04/20/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Benefit Mandates Would have exempted a health care service plan contract or health insurance policy issued, amended, or renewed on or after January 1, 2011, from complying with specified benefit mandates, as specified, until the Department of Managed Health Care or the Department of Insurance, as applicable, issues a declaration finding that the state unemployment rate has been no more than 5.5% for 4 consecutive quarters.
AB 2608 Chesbro 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		Rural Health Care Equity Program Would have extended the Rural Health Care Equity Program until January 1, 2012, including the benefits to all State employees and annuitants living in rural areas. The bill also would have deleted a provision regarding the disposition of any moneys remaining in a program account on the date the program is terminated.
AB 2627 Nielsen 08/12/2010- Failed Passage		State Contracts: Participation Goals Would have revised the requirements imposed on disabled veteran business enterprises to, among other changes, require a disabled veteran to have at least a 10% service-connected disability and require a disabled veteran business enterprise to submit specified income tax information to the Office of Small Business and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Services.
AB 2652 Niello 05/28/2010- Failed Passage		Administrative Regulations: Legislative Review Would have required any standing legislative committee with jurisdiction over a state agency that proposes a regulation with a gross cost in excess of \$10,000,000 to hold an informational hearing regarding the proposed regulation.
AB 2677 Torrico 03/23/2010- Relevant content was removed from the bill on March 23, 2010		Residential mortgage loans: Foreclosure Procedures Would have prohibited a mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent from giving notice of sale if the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent was in negotiations to modify the existing loan. <i>This content was removed from the bill on March 23, 2010.</i>
AB 2678 Fuentes 04/19/2010- Failed Passage		Mortgages: Notice of Sale Would have prohibited a mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent from giving notice of sale if the mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent was in negotiations to modify the existing loan.

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AB 2708 Berryhill, Bill 04/12/2010- Failed Passage		State Contracts: Procurement Practices: Small Businesses Would have prohibited the Director of General Services and the directors of other state departments or offices that enter into contracts from engaging in bundling of contracts. This bill also requires the director or any agency, department, board, or commission to provide for the participation of subcontractors that are small businesses and microbusinesses in awarding contracts for goods and services by directly contracting with a small business or microbusiness. The bill specifies that the Act is not implemented by awarding a contract for goods to a prime contractor that engages a small business or microbusiness as a subcontractor.
AB 2738 Niello 09/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 398, Statutes of 2010.		Regulations: Agency Statement of Reasons Requires that the initial statement of reasons submitted by an agency to the Office of Administrative Law to include a description of any performance standard that was considered as an alternative to a proposed adoption, amendment, or repeal of a regulation. The provisions of the bill sunset on January 1, 2014. This is an urgency bill.
AB 2742 Blakeslee 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 608, Statutes of 2010.		Public Employment: Retirement: Survivors' Benefits Authorizes a request to be made of the employer of a retired state employee, as defined, who died from a non-work-related illness or injury within 12 months of retirement to allow employees to donate leave credits to a leave bank. The donated leave, not to exceed \$50,000, may be cashed out to the person designated to receive the deceased employee's leave balance. The bill provides that donations would be accepted for 30 days following approval of the request, except as described.
AB 2787 Monning 08/12/2010- Failed Passage		Office of the California Health Ombudsman Would have established the Office of the California Health Ombudsman as an independent office to provide health care coverage consumer assistance. The Ombudsman would have been appointed by the Governor.
ABx2 1 Portantino 01/05/2009- Failed Passage		State Employment: Salary Freeze Would have prohibited, until January 1, 2012, a person employed by the state whose base salary on the effective date of the bill was greater than \$150,000 per year from receiving a salary increase while employed in the same position or classification, and from receiving payment for overtime work or a bonus. The bill would have exempted a person whose compensation was governed by an operative memorandum of understanding, as described, a person employed in a classification that was subject to oversight by a federal receiver, a person exempted by executive order of the Governor, and a person whose salary was set pursuant to the California Constitution.

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ABX3 8 Evans 10/27/2009- Failed Passage	State and Local Government	<p>Among its numerous provisions, this bill would have deferred payments of employer contributions toward retiree health and dental plans payable in the months of February and March. These deferred payments would instead have been payable in April.</p>
ABX3 10 Evans 10/26/2009- Failed Passage	Budget Act of 2009: Revisions	<p>Among its numerous provisions, this bill would have made appropriations for state employer retirement contributions.</p>
ABX3 13 Evans 02/20/2009- Chapters by Secretary of State, Chapter 9, Statutes of 2009-10 Third Extraordinary Session.	State and Local Government	<p>Among its numerous provisions, this bill adds 22 special funds to the list of funds where the General Fund can borrow from the available fund balances to assist with General Fund cash-flow needs. The Contingency Reserve Fund (CRF) is included on this list. This is an urgency measure.</p>
ABX3 46 Evans 10/26/2009- Failed Passage	State Government	<p>Among its numerous provisions, this bill would have eliminated the Rural Health Care Equity Program (RHCEP), which provides reimbursements for certain health care expenses for active State employees who do not have access to a HMO. Bargaining Unit 5 employees (CHP Officers) would continue to have access to this program until the expiration of their existing contract. The bill also would have allowed the CalPERS Board to transfer excess reserves between self-funded PPO health benefit plans.</p>
ABX3 80 Author 10/26/2009- Failed Passage	State Employment: Salary Freeze	<p>Would have prohibited state employees whose base salaries are greater than \$150,000 per year on or after the effective date of the bill from receiving a salary increase while employed in the same position or classification, and from receiving payment for overtime work. The bill also would have exempted persons whose compensation are governed by an operative memorandum of understanding, are exempted by executive order of the Governor, or whose salaries are set pursuant to the California Constitution. This prohibition would have remained in effect until January 1, 2012.</p>

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ABX4 1 Evans 07/28/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 1, Statutes of 2009-10 Fourth Extraordinary Session.		Budget Act of 2009: Revisions Among its numerous provisions, this bill rejects the Governor's proposal to reduce salaries by five percent, thereby maintaining a two-day furlough for all employees. The bill also assumes some savings that will be achieved if proposed labor agreements are not ratified by the Legislature. The bill defers June 30, 2010, state employee paychecks to July 1, 2010, to achieve budget savings, and proposes to eliminate funding for the RHCEP (except for Bargaining Unit 5, until its existing contract expires) which provides reimbursements for certain health care expenses for State employees who do not have access to a Health Maintenance Organization (HMO). Additionally, it recognizes the plan adopted by the PERS Board to rebate, via a two-month payment holiday in 2009-10, \$100 million in excess Preferred Provider Organization premiums paid by the state. This is an urgency measure.
ABX4 12 Evans 07/28/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 12, Statutes of 2009-10 Fourth Extraordinary Session.		State Government Among its provisions, this bill temporarily authorizes the CalPERS Board to transfer excess reserves between self-funded health benefit plans when setting premiums and implementing the Board's recent decision to use excess reserves to offset employer and subscriber premium payments for two months. This bill also phases out the state's Rural Health Care Equity Program (RHCEP) for active state employees. This is an urgency measure.
ABX6 2 Portantino 10/30/2009- Failed Passage	Oppose, unless amended	State Employment: Salary Freeze Would have prohibited state employees whose base salaries are greater than \$150,000 per year on or after the effective date of the bill from receiving a salary increase while employed in the same position or classification, and from receiving payment for overtime work. The bill also would have exempted persons whose compensation are governed by an operative memorandum of understanding who have been exempted by executive order of the Governor, or whose salaries are set pursuant to the California Constitution. This prohibition would have been in effect until January 1, 2012.
ABX8 32 Nestande 03/11/2010- Failed Passage		State Budget: Key Liabilities Would have required the Governor, or the Department of Finance acting on his or her behalf, at the same time as the Governor's Budget is submitted to the Legislature, to submit a report to the Legislature, setting forth a list of the state's key liabilities, in the nature of debt, deferred payments, and other liabilities that will affect the state's financial health in the future. It also would have directed that the report include a discussion of budget-related, infrastructure-related, and retirement-related liabilities, as well as recommendations for the retirement of those liabilities.

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ABX8 33 Portantino 03/11/2010- Failed Passage	Oppose, unless amended	State Employment: Salary Freeze Would have prohibited state employees whose base salaries are greater than \$150,000 per year on or after the effective date of the bill from receiving a salary increase while employed in the same position or classification, and from receiving payment for overtime work. The bill also would have exempted persons whose compensation are governed by an operative memorandum of understanding who have been exempted by executive order of the Governor, or whose salaries are set pursuant to the California Constitution. This prohibition would have been in effect until January 1, 2013.
ACR 4 Anderson 12/03/2008- Failed Passage		University of California: Divestment from Iran Would have requested the University of California to divest from foreign companies with specified business activities in the Islamic Republic of Iran.
AJR 10 Torlakson 09/16/2009- Chapered by Secretary of State, Res. Chapter 103, Statutes of 2009.	Support	Social Security: Retirement Benefits: Public Employees Requests that Congress support and the President sign the Social Security Fairness Act of 2009 that repeals the Government Pension Offset and the Windfall Elimination Provision from the Social Security Act.
SB 1 Steinberg 02/17/2009- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Children Would have expanded eligibility for the Medi-Cal program and the Healthy Families Program by modifying the income requirements applicable to those programs, and by making coverage available regardless of citizenship or immigration status, as specified.
SB 8 Huff 02/01/2010- Failed Passage		State Finance: Performance Budgeting Would have required the Department of Finance to develop a performance budgeting pilot project under which the budgets of at least 4 departments in specified fiscal years would be analyzed by specified criteria. The bill would have required these pilot project budgets to be considered by the Senate Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review and the Assembly Committee on Budget, and requires the Department of Finance to evaluate this pilot project and report its findings to the Chairperson of the Joint Legislative Budget Committee on or before January 1, 2014.

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SB 9 Wyland 05/12/2009- Failed Passage		State Auditor: Duties Would have required the State Auditor, on or before January 1, 2010, and every 2 years thereafter, to conduct a performance evaluation of every state government program and expenditure, and submit a report of the results of that evaluation to the Legislature. This bill also would have required the State Auditor to make the report easily available to the public, and the Legislature to appropriate funds to the State Auditor sufficient to fulfill these duties.
SB 11 Negrete McLeod 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 326, Statutes of 2009.		County Employees Retirement: San Bernardino County Authorizes the San Bernardino County Board of Retirement to establish a post-employment health benefits fund for the investment of assets held in trust for the exclusive purpose of providing health benefits to the retirees of that county, and those of any participating local agency.
SB 20 Simitian 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Personal information: privacy Would have specified what information must be included in security breach notifications that agencies, persons, and businesses are required send to affected parties under current law in the event of a breach. Also, it would have specified that agencies issuing security breach notifications to more than 500 California residents as a result of one breach must electronically submit that security breach notification to the Attorney General. <i>See veto message on page 132.</i>
SB 37 Strickland 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 329, Statutes of 2009.		State Employees: Statement of Deductions Requires public agencies to provide statements of earnings and deductions to public employees electronically.
SB 40 Correa 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 552, Statutes of 2009.		Personal Information: Social Security Numbers Specifies that a document containing more than the last 4 digits of a social security number is not entitled for recording. This bill also provides that a recorder shall be deemed to be in compliance if he or she uses due diligence to truncate social security numbers in documents recorded, as provided.

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SB 44 Denham 02/01/2010- Failed Passage		Integrated Waste Management Would have abolished the California Integrated Waste Management Board and transferred all of its authority, duties, powers, purposes, responsibilities, and jurisdiction to the Department of Conservation and the Department of Toxic Substances Control.
SB 54 Leno 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 625, Statutes of 2009.		Family Law: Out-of-State Same-Sex Marriages Specifies that all valid same-sex marriages entered outside of California before passage of Proposition 8 will be legally recognized as such in California. The bill also specifies that couples in all such marriages entered into after passage of Proposition 8 will have all of the same rights, responsibilities and obligations as married couples, with the sole exception of using the legal designation of "marriage."
SB 56 Alquist 09/29/2010- Vetoed		Health Plans: Joint Ventures Would have authorized certain county-organized health plans and various other health benefits programs to form joint ventures that consist of contractual relationships to pool risk or share networks, or both, or to provide for the joint or coordinated offering of health plans to individuals and groups. The bill also would have all joint ventures established pursuant to the aforementioned provisions to meet all of the requirements of the Knox-Keene Health Care Service Plan Act of 1975. <i>See veto message on page 133.</i>
SB 57 Aanestad 04/29/2009- Failed Passage		California Major Risk Medical Insurance Program: Health Care Service Plans: Individual Health Coverage Would have required that a person either be rejected for coverage by at least three different health plans or have a qualified medically uninsurable condition, as specified, in order to be eligible for MRMIP and revises the definition of the term "resident" for purposes of MRMIP eligibility, as specified. The bill would have required MRMIB to offer at least four different options for major risk medical coverage, including at least one Health Savings Account-compatible option, and authorized MRMIB to subsidize the Health Savings Account-compatible option, as specified. The bill would have authorized MRMIB, until a specified date and if sufficient funds are available, to participate in deductible and out-of-pocket maximum reinsurance using specified products. The bill would have required MRMIB to release all program actuarial data for 2004 to 2007, inclusive, to the Legislative Analyst's Office, as requested by that office.

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SB 72 Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 340, Statutes of 2009.		State Employees: Payroll: Health Care Requires that, on and after January 1, 2010, payments to employees made through the Uniform State Payroll System for a master payroll paid on June 30 of each year shall be issue dated on July 1. This bill also specifies that payments to employees made through the Uniform State Payroll System, as specified, with an issue date each year of July 1 shall be considered payables incurred in the fiscal year in which the payment is issue dated. The bill makes technical changes to the Board of Administration of the Public Employees' Retirement System's authority to use reserves generated by one or more self-funded health benefit plans to reduce the premiums charged for enrollment in one or more separate self-funded health benefit plans offered by the board, as specified.
SB 75 Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 342, Statutes of 2009.		Judiciary Among its provisions, this bill requires that retirement service credit and compensation earnable for CalPERS members employed by a trial court that are subject to mandatory furloughs during the 2009-10 fiscal year be based on the amount that would have been credited had the employee not been subject to mandatory furloughs.
SB 88 DeSaulnier 03/11/2010- Relevant content removed from bill on March 11, 2010		Local Government: Bankruptcy Prohibits a local public entity, as defined, from exercising its rights under applicable federal bankruptcy law unless granted approval by the California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission (CDIAC), and specifies procedures in which the local public entity may override a decision of denial by CDIAC. <i>This content was removed from the bill on March 11, 2010.</i>
SB 92 Aanestad 04/29/2009- Failed Passage		Health Care Reform Would have required the CalPERS Board of Administration to: offer a high deductible plan and a Health Savings Account option; establish the Public Employees' Health Savings Fund; provide for an electronic personal health record and an electronic personal benefits record for members; and provide for a Healthy Action Incentives and Rewards Program for members.

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SB 158 Wiggins		Health Care Coverage: Cervical Cancer Screening: Human Papillomavirus Vaccination Would have applied specified requirements on health care plans for covering annual cervical cancer screening tests, if the referral was made by a physician assistant. In addition, the bill would have required those plan contracts and insurance policies to provide coverage for a human papillomavirus vaccination, as specified. <i>See veto message on page 134.</i>
10/11/2009- Vetoed		
SB 161 Wright		Health Care Coverage: Cancer Treatment Would have required health care service plan contracts and health insurance policies that provide coverage for cancer chemotherapy treatment to provide coverage for a prescribed, orally administered cancer medication, as specified, on a basis no less favorable than intravenously administered or injected cancer medications covered under the contracts or policies. The bill also specified that its requirements do not apply to a health care benefit plan, contract, or health insurance policy with the Board of Administration of the Public Employees' Retirement System. <i>See veto message on page 135.</i>
10/11/2009- Vetoed		
SB 196 Corbett		Emergency Medical Services Would have required any hospital that provides emergency medical services to provide notice of any intended elimination or reduction of services at least 180 days, rather than 90 days in current law, prior to the elimination, and required the notice to also be provided to all employees of the hospital. The bill also would have required a minimum of three public meetings on the intended change in a manner that is likely to reach a significant number of residents of the community served by the facility. <i>See veto message on page 136.</i>
10/11/2009- Vetoed		

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SB 220 Yee 09/30/2010- Vetoed		Health Care Coverage: Preventative Health Services: Tobacco Cessation Would have required certain health care service plan contracts and health insurance policies issued, amended, renewed, or delivered on or after September 23, 2010, to provide coverage, and not impose cost-sharing requirements, for certain preventive health services consistent with federal law. The bill would have also required certain health care service plan contracts and health insurance policies issued, amended, renewed, or delivered on or after January 1, 2011, to provide coverage for tobacco cessation treatment that includes specified courses of treatment and medication. The bill would have made the coverage requirement inoperative upon a determination by the American Health Benefit Exchange established in California that it will result in the state assuming additional costs, as specified. <i>See veto message on page 137.</i>
SB 227 Alquist 06/29/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 31, Statutes of 2010.		Health Care Coverage: Temporary High Risk Pool Establishes the California Federal Temporary Health High Risk pool to meet requirements of federal health reform, the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (PL-111-148). This is an urgency measure.
SB 238 Calderon, Ron 04/28/2009- Failed Passage		Prescription Drugs Would have allowed, under the Medical Information Act, a pharmacy to mail specified written communications to a patient, without the patient's authorization under specified conditions.
SB 257 Pavley 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Lactation: Accomodation: State Employees Would have required every State agency and department, including local offices, when notified by a female employee that she is nearing maternity leave, to notify the employee, through its usual channels of communication with employees, and in the most cost-effective manner, of specified information regarding breast-feeding, an explanation and summary relating to lactation accommodation, and a listing of other comprehensive breast-feeding support organizations with Internet links. <i>See veto message on page 138.</i>

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SB 270 Alquist 09/29/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 501, Statutes of 2010.		Health Care Providers: Medical Information Clarifies existing law related to delays in reporting unauthorized access to, and use or disclosure of, a patient's medical information to the Department of Public Health. The bill makes other specified clarifications, and extends the sunset of the California Office of HIPAA Implementation. This is an urgency measure.
SB 278 Negrete McLeod 04/22/2009- Failed Passage		CalPERS: Board of Administration Would have required that the membership of the CalPERS Board of Administration to include an official of a domestic or foreign life insurer.
SB 280 Calderon, Ron 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		State Teachers' Retirement Would have authorized teachers who returned to service during a five year period after receiving a Defined Benefit Program Retirement Incentive (golden handshake), to have their previously forfeited benefits reinstated upon terminating a current employment.
SB 296 Lowenthal 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 575, Statutes of 2009.		Mental Health Services Requires, on and after July 1, 2011, every health care service plan, including a specialized health care service plan, and health insurer that provides professional mental health services, to issue an identification card, as specified, to each enrollee in order to assist the enrollee with accessing health benefits coverage information and other information, with specified exceptions. The bill requires the identification card to be issued upon enrollment or commencement of coverage or upon any change in the enrollee's coverage that impacts the data content or format of the card.
SB 316 Alquist 02/11/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Disclosures Would have expanded the disclosure requirement related to medical loss ratio to individuals and groups consisting of 50 or fewer individuals, rather than 25 or fewer in existing law.

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SB 341 DeSaulnier 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Pharmaceuticals: Adverse Drug Reactions: Drug Safety and Effectiveness Program Would have established the Drug Safety and Effectiveness Program and required the Department of Public Health (DPH) to enter into a contract or agreement with the University of California (UC) to establish a program to evaluate scientific literature that UC determines is relevant to the safety and effectiveness of prescription drugs in the state. If the DPH and the UC enter into a contract or agreement to establish the program, the program would include specified components, including, among other things, an Internet Web site designed to disseminate information to health care professionals and consumers on the relative safety and effectiveness of those drugs, and a pilot project to provide health care professionals with information and education on the comparative efficacy, safety, and cost-effectiveness of commonly used prescription drugs and on the use of the program's website.
SB 345 Negrete McLeod 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 583, Statutes of 2009.		Government of Counties: Death Benefits Requires the special death benefit payable to the surviving spouse or eligible children of a safety member, employed by San Bernardino County, to increase at any time and to the extent the compensation is increased for then-active members, as specified.
SB 377 Corbett 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Courts: Judgeships Would have authorized, upon the Legislature's appropriation in the Budget Act of moneys expressly identified for the purpose of initially funding the costs of additional new judges, 50 additional judges, to be allocated to the various superior courts pursuant to uniform criteria approved by the Judicial Council.
SB 401 Wolk 04/12/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 14, Statutes of 2010.		Taxation: Federal Conformity Conforms California personal income tax, corporation tax, and administration of franchise and income tax laws to federal income tax laws as set forth in the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) as of January 1, 2009. The bill also conforms to one provision of the Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 by excluding income grants made-in-lieu of federal renewable energy tax credits.
SB 414 Correa 09/30/2010- Vetoed		County Employee Retirement Boards Would have made various changes to the process for filling vacancies on boards of retirement and boards of investment in counties operating retirement systems under the County Employees' Retirement Law of 1937. <i>See veto message on page 139.</i>

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SB 484 Wright 06/30/2009- Failed Passage		Ephedrine and Pseudoephedrine Would have required products containing ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and related drugs to be dispensed only with a prescription.
SB 501 Correa 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		Local Government: Compensation Disclosure Would have required specified elected and high-level staff (filers) to annually file a compensation disclosure form, which would have provided for the disclosure of, among other things, salaries and stipends, automobile and equipment allowances, and incentive and bonus payments. This bill also would have required a county, city, city and county, school district, special district, or joint powers agency that maintains an Internet Web site to post the information contained on the filed form on that Internet Web site, as specified. The bill would have authorized a district attorney or any interested person to commence an action by mandamus to enforce the provisions of the bill, as specified.
SB 502 Walters 02/01/2010- Failed Passage		State Agency Web Sites: Information Would have required, by no later than January 1, 2010, each State department and agency to develop and operate a searchable Internet Web site that includes specified information relating to each expenditure of State funds made by that State department or agency in the most recently completed fiscal year, the ability of the user to view information in a format that may be downloaded and managed by the users.
SB 506 Ashburn 02/01/2010- Failed Passage		Public Employees' Retirement: Service Credit Would have made technical, non-substantive changes to the Public Employees' Retirement Law.
SB 519 Ashburn 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 188, Statutes of 2009.	Support	Public Employment Deletes the sunset clause on CalPERS enhanced 1959 survivor benefit levels for state and school employees, allowing these benefits to continue indefinitely. The bill also allocates any amount that would otherwise be used to permanently increase compensation for members of State Bargaining Unit 5 pursuant to the provisions of the most recent MOU, effective on July 1, 2009, and on July 1, 2010, to permanently prefund postemployment health care benefits for patrol members, as defined.

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SB 538 Committee on PE&R 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 190, Statutes of 2009.		County Employees' Retirement: Mandatory Retirement Requires Los Angeles County, upon adoption of specified standards for safety members and mandatory retirement, to provide a safety member who is on a disability leave of absence the opportunity to receive a physician certification upon return from his or her leave.
SB 548 Huff 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 595, Statutes of 2009.		California Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Program Requires a State department, upon completion of an awarded contract for which a commitment to achieve a disabled veteran business enterprise (DBVE) goal was made, to require the prime contractor that entered into a subcontract with DBVE to certify to the awarding department certain information pertaining to the contract, and that all payments under the contract were made to the DBVE.
SB 593 Romero 01/11/2010- Failed Passage		Public Employees' Retirement: Postretirement Death Benefits Would have increased to \$6,163 from \$2,000, the death benefit for any state or school member after retirement and while receiving a retirement allowance.
SB 594 Ashburn 05/13/2009- Failed Passage		Taxation: Cafeteria Plans: Credits Would have authorized a credit against Personal Income and Corporation taxes for each taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2009, and before January 1, 2014, in an amount equal to 15% of the amount of administrative costs paid or incurred by a qualified taxpayer during the taxable year in connection with establishing or administering a qualified cafeteria plan that provides for the payment of health insurance premiums of the taxpayer's employees, as defined. This bill also would have required the Franchise Tax Board to report to the Legislature, as provided.
SB 628 Ashburn 01/11/2010- Failed Passage		County Employees: Health Benefit System Among other things, would have permitted a contracting agency under the Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Care Act (PEMHCA), that is an instrumentality of either Placer County or Shasta County, and the exclusive representative of employees of that agency, to agree through collective bargaining that the employer contribution for employee and annuitant health benefits coverage for employees first hired on or after the effective date of a memorandum of understanding may differ from the employer contribution provided to existing employees and annuitants.

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SB 630 Steinberg 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 604, Statutes of 2009.		Health Care Coverage: Cleft Palate Reconstructive Surgery: Dental and Orthodontic Services Defines reconstructive surgery, as of July 1, 2010, to include medically necessary dental or orthodontic services that are an integral part of reconstructive surgery for cleft palate procedures, except as specified.
SB 632 Correa 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		Government Compensation: Disclosure Would have required the Controller to determine, based on a review of public records or reported salary information, whether a city is an excess compensation city, as defined.
SB 634 Committee on PE&R 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 304, Statutes of 2009.		State Teachers' Retirement System Clarifies, under State Teachers' Retirement Law, the calculation of compensation earnable for specified community college employees when the community college subsequently acts to reduce the minimum standard for full time for the class of employees, as specified.
SB 642 Denham 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Public Contracts: Small Business Procurement and Contract Act Would have increased the maximum amount of the contract, from \$100,000 to \$250,000, for contract awards to certified small businesses without complying with specified competitive bidding requirements.
SB 643 Denham 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		California Prompt Payment Act: Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises Would have included a disabled veteran business enterprise, as defined under the California Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Program, among the entities to whom those higher penalties are payable under the California Prompt Payment Act.
SB 653 Correa 06/22/2010- Failed Passage		State Employees: Memorandum of Understanding Would have approved provisions that require the expenditure of funds of a memorandum of understanding entered into between the state employer and an unspecified bargaining unit.

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SB 719 Huff 05/25/2009- Failed Passage		State Agency Internet Web Sites: Information Would have required each state department and agency to develop and operate a searchable Internet Web site accessible by the public that includes specified information relating to expenditures of state funds, defined to include, among other things, contracts, grants, purchase orders, subcontracts, and tax refunds, rebates, and credits.
SB 727 Cox 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		Cal-COBRA Would have required health care service plans and health insurers to offer continuation coverage to a person covered under the group benefit plan if the employer terminates the plan and does not provide a successor group benefit plan to its employees and the covered employee is an active employee at the time the employer terminates the plan. The bill also would have required/ the offered coverage to be for not less than 18 months from the termination date, except as specified, and to be offered under the same terms, conditions, and rates as the former group plan, but subject to the rules governing Cal-COBRA coverage, to the extent relevant, applicable, and not in conflict with the bill's provisions.
SB 752 Wiggins <i>This bill is now Authored by Senator Correa</i> 10/11/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 362, Statutes of 2009.	Neutral, if amended (Board position does not apply to 7/15/09 amendment)	Pension Obligation Bond Procedures for Joint Contracts Requires a county and superior court that jointly contract with the CalPERS' Board of Administration (board) and wish to issue a pension obligation bond, to 1) provide CalPERS with information that would allow the system to prepare a computation of the pension assets and liabilities of each, and 2) enter into a written agreement that includes the court's repayment schedule to the county subsequent to the issuance of the pension obligation bond. <i>Per 7/15/09 amendment, this bill no longer applies to CalPERS. It is the following:</i> Author: Correa County Employees' Retirement: Orange County Implements a previously negotiated bargaining agreement between Orange County and the Orange County Employees' Association (OCEA). This agreement implements a second tier option for new non-safety employees and gives incumbent non-safety employees a one-time election to enter the new lower tier, for prospective service only. This is an urgency measure.
SB 755 Negete McLeod 05/28/2009- Failed Passage		State Contracts: Participation Goals: Persons with Developmental Disabilities Business Enterprises Would have established statewide participation goals of not less than 1% for persons with developmental disabilities business enterprises to participate in contracts awarded by a state agency for goods and services, and required, until June 30, 2014, that each state agency awarding contracts take specified actions to encourage that participation, as provided.

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SB 771 Alquist 08/13/2010- Failed Passage		Medi-Cal: Foster Children: Eligibility Would have extended the extent federal financial participation if available, Medi-Cal eligibility, including eligibility for the Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment (EPSDT) Program, to children who were formerly in foster care and are under 26 years of age, pursuant to prescribed provisions of federal law.
SB 802 Leno 10/11/2009- Vetoed		Works of Improvement: Progress Payments: Notice: Retention Proceeds Would have required specified public works subcontractor prompt payments to be made within 7 days, instead of 10 days in current law. <i>See veto message on page 140.</i>
SB 810 Leno 08/31/2010- Failed Passage		Single-payer Health Care Coverage Would have made all California residents eligible for specified health care benefits under the newly created California Healthcare System, which would, on a single-payer basis, negotiate for or set fees for health care services provided through the system and pay claims for those services. It also would have prohibited the issuance of health plan contracts for services covered by the system, and created the California Healthcare Premium Commission to determine the cost of the California Healthcare System and develop a premium structure.
SB 835 Strickland 05/27/2010- Failed Passage		Bureaucracy Realignment and Closure Act of 2011 Would have established the Bureaucracy Realignment and Closure Commission in state government with a specified membership. This bill requires the commission, not later than July 15, 2012, to submit a report of its final recommendations to the Governor for the closure or realignment of state bureaucracies and the Legislature and requires the Governor, upon approval of the list of recommendations, to prepare the list as a reorganization plan and to submit the plan to the Legislature under the provisions relating to the Governor's reorganization plans.
SB 846 Correa 08/23/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 162, Statutes of 2010.		State Employees: Memoranda of Understanding Ratifies the provisions of the memoranda of understanding (MOU) between the State and the following three state bargaining units: Highway Patrol (BU 5); Craft and Maintenance (BU 12); and Psychiatric Technicians (BU 18). This is an urgency measure.

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SB 856 Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review 10/19/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 719, Statutes of 2010.	State Government	Among other things, allows the Franchise Tax Board to provide information from their records to facilitate the CalPERS filing of required data pursuant to the federal Early Retiree Reinsurance Program. This is an urgency measure.
SB 867 Hollingsworth 10/20/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 733, Statutes of 2010.	Public Employee Benefits: Contribution Rates: Reports	Requires CalPERS, when adopting contribution rates, to report to the Legislature alternative data regarding its investment returns, amortization periods, and discount rates using specific analytical guidelines. The bill also requires the State Treasurer to report to both houses of the Legislature during a publicly noticed floor session on the contents of this report within 30 days of its receipt. This is an urgency measure.
SB 883 Ashburn 02/04/2010- Failed Passage	Public Employees' Retirement: Service Credit	Makes technical, non-substantive changes to the Public Employees' Retirement Law.
SB 884 Asburn 04/12/2010- Relevant content was removed from the bill on April 12, 2010.	Public Employees' Retirement: Service Credit	Makes technical, non-substantive changes to the Public Employees' Retirement Law. <i>This content was removed from the bill on April 12, 2010.</i>

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SB 890 Alquist 09/30/2010- Vetoed		Health Care Coverage Would have required health plans and health insurers to categorize all individual market products into tiers based on actuarial level, as specified. The bill would have required health plans and health insurers to allow an individual to transfer without medical underwriting to any other individual plan contract offered by that same health plan or health insurer that provides equal or lesser benefits upon the annual renewal date of the contract or policy. The bill also would have required health plans and health insurers to meet federal annual and lifetime limits and the medical loss ratio requirements (MLR) in specified provisions of the federal health care reform law, and any federal rules or regulations issued under those medically necessary basic health care services. <i>See veto message on page 141.</i>
SB 900 Alquist 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 659, Statutes of 2010.		California Health Benefit Exchange Establishes the California Health Insurance Exchange within the California Health and Human Services Agency, and creates the California Health Insurance Exchange Fund to be governed by a board appointed by the Legislature. Requires the Exchange to use its bargaining power to negotiate for better prices and values for consumers in the Exchange.
SB 919 Hollingsworth 06/14/2010- Failed Passage		State Employee Benefits Would have made several changes to public employee benefits under the PERL and PEMCHA. Among its changes, the bill would have specified the following: 1) reduce the retirement formula of all State plans; 2) reclassify positions given state safety under SB 183 back to non-safety; 3) change the final compensation calculation from 1 year to 3 years for those BU's and unrepresented positions that have yet to move to 3 year final comp; 4) require 25 years of service in order to fully vest for retiree health care benefits; and 5) reduce the employer contribution toward annuitant health care to match what active employees receive. The bill also would have required current and active employees to pay contributions on his or her entire salary. Other changes under PEMCHA would have: 1) defined the "board" as another entity of the state, and 2) allowed a contracting agency through collective bargaining to provide different levels of employer contributions for active employees.

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SB 921 Ashburn 04/12/2010- Relevant content was removed from the bill on April 12, 2010.		Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Care Act: Employer Contributions: Shasta County Would have declared the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would enable Shasta County and a collective bargaining unit, by agreement in a memorandum of understanding, to permit the county, a contracting agency under the Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Care Act, to make an employer contribution for employees first hired on or after the effective date of the memorandum of understanding at a rate that may differ from the employer contribution rate for current employees and annuitants. <i>This content was removed from the bill on April 12, 2010.</i>
SB 922 Ashburn 02/11/2010- Failed Passage		Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Act: Employer Contributions: Placer County Would have declared the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would enable Placer County, through collective bargaining and by MOU, to allow employer health contributions for employees first hired on or after the effective date of the MOU, to be different from employer contributions for current employees and retirees.
SB 925 Huff 02/11/2010- Failed Passage		Public Postsecondary Education: California State University Personnel Would have made technical, non-substantive changes to the CSU Board's requirement to govern its personnel.
SB 931 Ducheny 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 701, Statutes of 2010.		Mortgages: Deficiency Judgments Prohibits a deficiency judgment under a note secured by a first deed of trust or first mortgage for a dwelling of not more than 4 units in any case in which the trustor or mortgagor sells the dwelling for less than the remaining amount of the indebtedness due at the time of sale with the written consent of the holder of the first deed of trust or first mortgage. The bill provides that written consent of the holder of the first deed of trust or first mortgage to that sale shall obligate that holder to accept the sale proceeds as full payment and to fully discharge the remaining amount of the indebtedness on the first deed of trust or first mortgage. The bill also specifies that those provisions would not limit the ability of the holder of the first deed of trust or first mortgage to seek damages and use existing rights and remedies against the trustor or mortgagor or any 3rd party for fraud or waste if the trustor or mortgagor commits either fraud with respect to the sale of, or waste with respect to, the real property that secures that deed of trust or mortgage.

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SB 942 Dutton 05/27/2010- Failed Passage		Regulations: Review Process Would have established an Economic Analysis Unit within the Office of Administrative Law. The bill would have required agencies to make publicly available and submit to the unit specified cost estimates that pertain to a proposed regulation and specified information used to develop the cost estimates, as prescribed. The bill also would have required the unit to review final revised cost estimates for regulations that the agency determines to have a cost estimate of \$50,000,000 or more.
SB 961 Wright 09/29/2010- Vetoed		Health Care Coverage: Cancer Treatment Would have prohibited health plans and health insurance policies providing coverage for cancer chemotherapy treatment taken orally from charging or otherwise requiring a copayment or other charge for each of those dispensed prescriptions in excess of a certain unspecified amount. Does not apply to CalPERS health care contracts. <i>See veto message on page 142.</i>
SB 971 Pavley 09/29/2010- Vetoed		Bleeding Disorders: Blood Clotting Products Would have imposed specified requirements on providers of blood clotting products for home use, as described, whose products are used for the treatment and prevention of symptoms associated with bleeding disorders, including all forms of hemophilia. This bill also would have required the California State Board of Pharmacy to administer and enforce these provisions. <i>See veto message on page 143.</i>
SB 998 Liu 05/27/2010- Failed Passage		Long-term Care: Assessment and Planning Would have required a hospital that is required to provide, as part of its discharge policy, information to patients anticipated to need post hospital care, to provide the information both orally and in writing to the patient and, if necessary, to his or her representative, at the earliest possible opportunity prior to discharge.

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SB 1000 Correa 05/05/2010- Failed Passage		Mortgages and Deeds of Trust: Portable Appraisals Would have specified that, except as otherwise provided by federal law, if a person has applied to a lender for a loan secured by a mortgage or deed of trust on owner-occupied residential real property and an appraisal has been completed for that lender, in connection with the loan application, that person may instruct the lender to provide a copy of the previously completed appraisal to a second or subsequent lender if that appraisal meets specified criteria, and that appraisal shall be accepted by that second or subsequent lender for purposes of determining whether to approve the loan application. It also would have prohibited the lender from requiring the loan applicant to obtain a new appraisal of the property as a condition of approval of the loan, and specified that a second or subsequent lender may not request that an appraiser change the name of a client within an appraisal report, except as specified.
SB 1007 Hancock 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 633, Statutes of 2010.	Support	Political Reform Act of 1974: Retirement System Boards Requires candidates for the CalPERS and CalSTRS governing boards to file campaign reports in generally the same manner and frequency as candidates for other state offices and extends existing campaign contribution limits to them as well. Committees formed or existing primarily to support or oppose those candidates would also be similarly affected. This bill authorizes the Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) to adopt regulations to tailor these reporting requirements to be consistent with the Political Reform Act (PRA).
SB 1020 Wolk 08/02/2010- Failed Passage		State Budget Would have required that the budget submitted by the Governor to the Legislature for the 2014-15 fiscal year and each fiscal year thereafter be developed pursuant to performance-based budgeting, as defined, for each state agency.
SB 1052 Oropeza 05/27/2010- Failed Passage		Electronic Waste: State Agencies Would have required the Department of General Services, in collaboration with the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery and the Department of Toxic Substances Control, to identify the methods that state agencies are required to use to properly handle, recycle, and dispose of electronic waste, and to assist state agencies to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations governing the management of hazardous waste.

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SB 1055 Ashburn 09/24/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 282, Statutes of 2010.		State Chief Information Officer: Fingerprints: Criminal History Authorizes the State Chief Information Officer to require fingerprint images and associated information from an employee, prospective employee, contractor, subcontractor, volunteer, or vendor whose duties include, or would include, access to confidential or sensitive information. The bill allows the State CIO to furnish those images and that information to the Department of Justice for the purpose of obtaining information relating to criminal convictions or the existence and content of a record of arrest, as specified. The bill also requires the State CIO to request subsequent arrest notifications, as specified, and authorizes the Department of Justice to assess a fee sufficient to cover the processing costs imposed by these provisions.
SB 1057 Denham 09/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 511, Statutes of 2010.		State Holidays: Veterans Day: State Office Closure Requires public offices of the state and state institutions, including, but not limited to, all state agencies and the Legislature, be closed on November 11 for Veterans Day. If November 11 falls on a Saturday, then offices must close on Friday November 10, and if November 11 falls on a Sunday, then office must close on Monday November 12. The bill also states the Legislature's intent that the University of California also be closed on November 11, Veterans Day.
SB 1059 Liu 04/05/2010- Relevant content was removed from bill on April 5, 2010.		Community College Districts: Transfers Between District Funds Would have authorized a community college district governing board to temporarily transfer funds held in any account or fund of the district to another account or fund of the district for payment of obligations. The district would have been required to repay these loans within specified timeframes and comply with other transfer restrictions established in the bill. <i>This content was removed from the bill on April 5, 2010.</i>
SB 1063 Cox 05/27/2010- Failed Passage		Healthy Families Program Would have required the Managed Risk Medical Insurance Board to structure copayments for prescription drugs and emergency health care services in a specified manner, to the extent consistent with federal law, and specified that these copayments do not apply to subscribers in families with household incomes equal to or less than 150% of the federal poverty level.
SB 1079 Walters 09/29/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 513, Statutes of 2010.		Office of State Printing: Paid Advertisements: Authorization Authorizes a state agency to enter into an agreement to place paid advertisements, except for political advertising, on agency literature or publications. The bill also specifies that funds derived from the paid advertisements be available to the agency, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to fund agency operations.

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SB 1081 Ashburn 02/25/2010- Failed Passage		Retirement: Military Service Would have made a technical, nonsubstantive change to the provision that a member of the Public Employees' Retirement System who receives military retirement pay based on 20 or more years of active duty in the armed forces from also receiving service credit under the system for that military service.
SB 1082 Ashburn 02/25/2010- Failed Passage		Public Retirement: Social Security Would have made nonsubstantive amendments to the Government Code section that defines "public agency" for purposes of determining eligibility to execute an agreement with the federal government for employee coverage under the Social Security Act.
SB 1085 Runner 09/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 320, Statutes of 2010.		50th District Agricultural Association: Joint Powers Agreement Authorizes the 50th District Agricultural Association, with the consent of the Secretary of Food and Agriculture, to enter into a joint powers agreement for the purpose of creating a joint powers agency to operate, maintain, and improve the facilities and functions of the 50th District Agricultural Association. The bill specifies the powers of the joint powers agency, and authorizes it to accept the donation of, acquire, own, sell, or lease real property and to pledge its property or revenue for the sale of bonds to construct, equip, and furnish related facilities. The bill also permits employees of the 50th District Agricultural Association to make an election concerning employment with the joint powers agency, as provided, and specifies that the state is not liable for any debt of the joint powers agency.
SB 1088 Price 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 660, Statutes of 2010.		Health Care Coverage: Dependents Prohibits the limiting age for dependent children covered by health care service plan contracts and individual and group health insurance policies, from being less than 26 years of age, with respect to plan or policy years beginning on or after September 23, 2010, except for certain group contracts and policies for plan or policy years beginning before January 1, 2014, as specified. The bill also requires plans and insurers to provide certain dependents who have lost or been denied coverage an opportunity to enroll, as specified.
SB 1104 Cedillo 05/27/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage: Diabetes-Related Complications Would have required health care service plan contracts and health insurance policies to provide coverage for the diagnosis and treatment of diabetes-related complications, as defined.

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SB 1108 Price 08/13/2010- Failed Passage		Public Contracts: Small Business Participation Would have authorized, on and after July 1, 2011, the Department of General Services to direct all state agencies, departments, boards, and commissions to establish the goal to achieve 25% small business participation in state procurements and contracts, to ensure that the state's procurement and contract processes are administered in order to meet or exceed the goal, and to report to the Director of General Services statistics regarding small business participation in his or her agency's procurements and contracts.
SB 1139 Correa 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 639, Statutes of 2010.	Sponsor	State Retirement: Benefit Programs Makes several minor policy and technical amendments to various sections of the Government Code administered by CalPERS. These include coordinating the timing of the Power Purchasing Protection Allowance with the cost-of-living increase in May each year; extending existing statutory provisions allowing state employees subject to mandatory furloughs to receive their full service credit into the current fiscal year; making clarifying changes to PEMHCA to align it with JRS II regarding Judge's health benefits after leaving office; authorizing contracting public agencies to provide health coverage to a survivor who is not receiving an allowance, but was otherwise eligible prior to the effective date of the contract; and expanding the types of retirement savings programs the Board may establish to include those with after-tax payments such as Roth 401K.
SB 1160 Dutton 08/02/2010- Failed Passage		State Fiscal Analysis Would have required the Legislative Analyst and the Department of Finance, to the extent that any fiscal estimate of the annual state budget involves a change in state tax law, to estimate, except as specified, the statewide economic impact of the change, using a dynamic economic analysis that includes probable behavioral responses of taxpayers, businesses, and other residents of the state, and the impact of the change on state spending reductions.
SB 1163 Leno 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 661, Statutes of 2010.		Health Care Coverage: Denials: Premium Rates Requires health care service plans and health insurers to submit specified data regarding coverage denials, rates, and cost-sharing to their respective regulators, the Department of Managed Health Care (DMHC) and the California Department of Insurance (CDI).

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SB 1166 Simitian 09/29/2010- Vetoed		Personal Information: Privacy Would have required any agency, person, or business that is required to issue a security breach notification pursuant to existing law to fulfill certain additional requirements pertaining to the security breach notification, as specified. <i>See veto message on page 144.</i>
SB 1169 Lowenthal 08/20/2010- Relevant content was removed from the bill on August 20, 2010.		Health Care Coverage: Claims: Prior Authorization: Mental Health Would have required carriers, upon receipt of a request by a provider, to assign a tracking number to the request prior to, retrospectively, or concurrent with the provision of health care services and provide acknowledgment of receipt of the request to the provider, as specified. The bill also would have required all communications regarding the request to reference the tracking number, and required any form of treatment or benefit limitation for mental health care services to be applied under the same terms as other benefits under the plan or policy. <i>This content was removed from the bill on August 20, 2010.</i>
SB 1209 Romero 04/21/2010- Failed Passage	Neutral, if amended	Public Employees' Retirement: Postretirement Death Benefits Would have increased the payment for the designated beneficiary of a retired school member to \$4000 for deaths occurring on or after January 1, 2011 and before January 1, 2012; \$4500 for deaths occurring on or after January 1, 2012 and before January 1, 2013; and \$5000 for deaths occurring on or after January 1, 2013 and before April 1, 2014, with that amount adjusted annually thereafter.
SB 1217 Committee on Public Employment and Retirement 08/18/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 155, Statutes of 2010.		State Government: Warrants: Employee Designees Authorizes a state employee to designate a primary person and up to three contingent persons (rather than just the primary person, as allowed in current law) for receipt of employee warrants upon death.
SB 1230 DeSaulnier 09/29/2010- Vetoed		Employment: Posting Requirements Would have required employers to post information related to slavery and human trafficking, including information related to two nonprofit organizations that provide services in support of the elimination of slavery and human trafficking. <i>See veto message on page 145.</i>

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SB 1246 Negrete McLeod 09/29/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 523, Statutes of 2010.		Naturopathic Medicine Among other things, expands the categories of persons who may perform certain clinical laboratory tests and examinations to include licensed naturopathic doctors, and specifies that a laboratory director includes a naturopathic doctor, as specified. The bill defines a naturopathic assistant for purposes of the Naturopathic Doctors Act, authorizes those assistants to perform certain medical procedures under the supervision of a naturopathic doctor, and authorizes those assistants to perform specified naturopathic technical support services.
SB 1249 Ducheny 06/28/2010- Relevant content was removed from the bill on June 28, 2010.		Contracting By State Agencies: Best Value Competitive Bid Contracts Would have Permitted competitive bid contracts for construction projects, goods, services, information technology, including the California State University, to be awarded as "best value competitive bid contracts" that consider the total direct and indirect economic value to the state. <i>This content was removed from the bill on June 28, 2010.</i>
SB 1262 Aanestad 04/12/2010- Failed Passage		High Deductible Health Plans: Health Savings Accounts Would have required the CalPERS Board of Administration to offer a high- deductible health plan and a Health Savings Account (HSA) option to public employees and annuitants. The bill also would have established a trust fund called the Public Employees' Health Savings Fund, in order to cover costs for public employees and annuitants enrolled in the high deductible plan and participating in the HSA.
SB 1271 Romero 09/30/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 702, Statutes of 2010.		Political Reform Act of 1974: Conflict of Interest Codes Requires a board, agency or commission of a public pension or retirement system to attach to its conflict of interest code, an appendix that lists each position for which an individual occupying that position is required to file a statement of economic interests. It also requires this information to be posted on its website.
SB 1275 Leno 08/30/2010- Failed Passage		Mortgages: Foreclosures Would have imposed new requirements on loan servicers seeking to foreclose on loans secured by owner-occupied residences, and provided remedies to borrowers in cases where the servicer fails to adhere to notification and related requirements associated with the foreclosure process.

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SB 1282 Steinberg 07/01/2010- Failed Passage		Health Care Coverage Would have stated the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to provide clarification on the duties imposed upon health care service plans and health insurers to inform consumers about the coverage provided for the diagnosis and treatment of autism and pervasive developmental disorders under the existing mental health parity law.
SB 1283 Steinberg 09/30/2010- Vetoed		Health Care Coverage: Grievance System Would have modified the consumer health grievance procedures administered by the Department of Managed Care (DMHC) by requiring DMHC to provide specified information to enrollees, requiring DMHC to include specified information in its annual reporting, authorizing DMHC to refer specified grievances to other state agencies, and establishing circumstances when DMHC must assess specified administrative penalties against penalties. <i>See veto message on page 146.</i>
SB 1304 DeSaulnier 04/19/2010- Relevant content was removed from the bill on April 19, 2010.		Employment: Leave and Benefits As it pertained to state employees, this bill would have eliminated the requirement that a state employee exhaust all available sick leave prior to being entitled to paid family leave for the purpose of organ donation or bone-marrow donation. <i>This content was removed from the bill on April 19, 2010.</i>
SB 1330 Committee on Judiciary 09/27/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 328, Statutes of 2010.		Maintenance of the Codes Makes non-substantive changes in various provisions of law to effectuate recommendations made by the Legislative Counsel to the Legislature.
SB 1351 Wright 08/19/2010- Failed Passage		California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: State Air Resources Board Regulations Would have revised, for the purposes of the Office of Administrative Law review of regulations, the definition of "clarity" to additionally mean that regulations include all implementation schedules and forms necessary for compliance with the regulation.

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SB 1390 Corbett 06/29/2010- Failed Passage		Prescription Drug Labels Would have repealed a specified drug labeling provision and instead, on and after January 1, 2012, required prescription drug labels on all prescription drugs dispensed to patients in California to conform to a specified standardized, patient-centered format including that certain elements of the label be printed in a specified typeface with specified information. The bill also would have exempted from these requirements certain prescription drugs dispensed to patients in a health facility, as defined.
SB 1425 Simitian 09/30/2010- Vetoed	Support	Public Retirement: Final Compensation: Computation: Retirees Would have prohibited, effective July 1, 2011, any change in salary, compensation, or remuneration principally for the purpose of enhancing a CalPERS or CalSTRS member's benefits from being included in the calculation of a member's final compensation for purposes of determining that member's defined benefit. The bill also would have prohibited members of the public retirement systems that retire on or after January 1, 2012, from performing services for any employer covered by their retirement system until that person had been separated from service for at least 180 days. <i>See veto message on page 147.</i>
SB 1426 DeSaulnier 08/09/2010- Failed Passage		State Budget Would have required the state to adopt a two-year budget process.
SB 1479 Committee on Public Employment and Retirement 08/18/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 158, Statutes of 2010.		Public Employment: Retirement Benefits: Administration Authorizes, for 1937 Act Counties, the establishment of the day that a person, who enters county employ on a day other than the first day of the calendar month, becomes a member of the association on a day that occurs no later than 12 weeks after the day that person enters county employ. This bill also provides for the establishment of the day upon which a member terminates service credited by the association as a day that occurs no earlier than 12 weeks prior to the member's termination from service.
SB 1484 Wright 08/13/2010- Failed Passage		Public Contracts: Procurement: Small Business, Microbusiness, and Disabled Veteran Business Enterprises Until January 1, 2017, would have generally prohibited the Director of General Services and the directors of other state departments or offices that enter into contracts from engaging in the bundling of contracts, as defined, which has the effect of restricting or excluding small business, microbusiness, or disabled veteran business enterprise, from the state contracting process.

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SBX1 13 Wyland 12/18/2008- Failed Passage	State Auditor: Duties	<p>Would have required the State Auditor, on or before January 1, 2010, and every 2 years thereafter, to conduct a performance evaluation of every state government program and expenditure, and submit a report of the results of that evaluation to the Legislature.</p>
SBX2 1 Wyland 02/19/2009- Failed Passage	State Auditor: Duties	<p>Would have required the State Auditor, on or before January 1, 2010, and every 2 years thereafter, to conduct a performance evaluation of every state government program and expenditure, and submit a report of the results of that evaluation to the Legislature.</p>
SBX3 8 Ducheny 02/20/2009- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 4, Statutes of 2009-10 Third Extraordinary Session.	State and Local Government	<p>Among its provisions, this bill defers payments of employer contributions toward retiree health and dental plans payable in the months of February and March. These deferred payments would instead be payable in April. This is an urgency measure.</p>
SBX6 22 Hollingsworth 10/20/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 3, Statutes of 2009-10 Sixth Extraordinary Session.	State Employees: Benefits: Retirement	<p>Establishes reduced first tier retirement benefit formulas for all State, legislative, judicial, and CSU employees first hired on or after January 15, 2011, and replaces the 12 month highest compensation period used to calculate pension benefits with a 36 month highest compensation period. These changes apply to new State employees whose bargaining units have not already negotiated other first tier benefit formulas or 36 month highest compensation periods, or who first become employed after the bargaining agreements expire.</p>
SBX8 29 Steinberg 03/24/2010- Vetoed	Public Employment: Furloughs	<p>Would have exempted employees in positions funded at least 95% by sources other than the General Fund, employees of the Franchise Tax Board, and employees of the State Board of Equalization from furloughs and prohibited a state agency, board, or commission from implementing the furlough of those employees.</p> <p><i>See veto message on page 148.</i></p>

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SBX8 38 Corbett 03/11/2010- Failed Passage		Mortgages: Foreclosures Would have required, until January 1, 2013, a mortgagee, trustee, beneficiary, or authorized agent, prior to the filing of a notice of default, to provide the borrower with an application for a loan modification and other foreclosure avoidance options and a specified notice regarding the borrower's rights during the foreclosure process, subject to specified exceptions. The bill also would have required an unspecified state entity to make that notice available in English and specified languages.
SBX8 48 Dutton 03/11/2010- Failed Passage		State Auditor: Analysis of Regulations Would have required the State Auditor to survey and perform a cost-benefit analysis of specified regulations that impose a cost on private persons or business, publish a catalog of these regulations and other findings related to them in the California Regulatory Notice Register, engage the adopting agency and consider public comment on them. If the State Auditor confirms that the cost of a regulation to private persons or businesses exceeds its benefits, the bill would have required him or her to prepare a statement specifying the reasons for its determination and to recommend to the Legislature that it enact legislation that will function to amend or repeal the regulation at the current legislative session.
SBX8 51 Dutton 03/11/2010- Failed Passage		Capital Access: Companies Among other things, would have required the commissioner to administer and enforce the Capital Access Company Law, and establishes procedures for the licensure of applicants to operate as a capital access company, including requiring the commissioner to determine whether an applicant meets specified requirements before issuing a license.
SBX8 65 Huff 02/24/2010- Failed Passage		Out-of-State Carriers Would have allowed an out-of-state carrier to offer, sell, or renew a health care service plan contract or a health insurance policy in this state without holding a license issued by the department or a certificate of authority issued by the commissioner. The bill also would have exempted the carrier's plan contract or policy from requirements otherwise applicable to plans and insurers providing health care coverage in this state if the plan contract or policy complies with the domiciliary state's requirements, and the carrier is lawfully authorized to issue the plan or policy in that state and to transact business there.
SCA 28 Wyland 06/09/2010- Failed Passage		State Auditor: Duties Would have required the State Auditor to conduct biennially a performance evaluation of each state program, including the administration or oversight of that program by the department or agency that is responsible for the program, and submit a report of the results of that performance evaluation to the Legislature, as prescribed.

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SCR 113 Cedillo 06/22/2010- Failed Passage		Arizona Law Among other things, would have urged the California Public Employees Retirement System and the California State Teachers Retirement System to cease making new investments in Arizona until Arizona Senate Bill 1070 and House Bill 2162, relating to illegal immigration, are repealed.
SJR 30 Kehoe 08/20/2010- Chaptered by Secretary of State, Res. Chapter 99, Statutes of 2010.	Support	Deferred Compensation Plans Urges Congress and the President to enact legislation to allow participants in 457(b) deferred compensation plans the option to treat their elective deferrals as designated Roth contributions. The measure also urges Congress and the President to create parity among all workers by providing 457(b) plan participants with savings choices similar to those given to participants planning for retirement under the Economic Growth and Tax Reconciliation Act of 2001 and the federal government's Thrift Savings Plan.
SR 25 Negrete McLeod 07/23/2009- Failed Passage		Relative to State Employee Furloughs Would have urged the Governor to exempt from mandatory unpaid furloughs, enforcement officers of the Department of Consumer Affairs and various special-fund health care licensing boards that are directly involved in investigating consumer complaints.

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Bill Number	Author	Chapter Number	Statutes	Effective Date (If prior to January 1st)
AB 9	J. Perez	363	10/11/2009	N
AB 23	Jones	3	05/12/2009	Y
AB 31	Price	212	10/11/2009	N
AB 65	Hayashi	265	10/11/2009	N
AB 86	Nava	79	08/06/2009	N
AB 177	Ruskin	342	09/27/2010	N
AB 232	Hill	90	08/06/2009	N
AB 235	Hayashi	423	10/11/2009	N
AB 278	Monning	227	09/24/2010	N
AB 389	Saldana	101	08/06/2009	N
AB 399	Brownley	240	10/11/2009	N
AB 400	De Leon	440	10/11/2009	N
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AB 1227	Feuer	389	10/11/2009	N
AB 1354	Fong	188	08/27/2010	N
AB 1355	Fong	9	06/29/2009	N
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AB 1494	Eng	149	08/06/2009	N
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AB 1696	Berryhill, Bill	361	09/27/2010	N
AB 1729	Yamada	237	09/24/2010	N
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AB 1813	Lieu	194	08/27/2010	N
AB 1814	Buchanan	130	08/13/2010	N
AB 1856	Fong	197	08/27/2010	N
AB 1873	Huffman	583	09/30/2010	N
AB 1887	Villines	32	06/29/2010	Y
AB 1902	Portantino	86	07/15/2010	N
AB 2091	Conway	205	08/27/2010	N
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AB 2510	Fletcher	600	09/30/2010	N
AB 2738	Niello	398	09/27/2010	Y
AB 2742	Blakeslee	608	09/30/2010	N
ABX3 13	Evans	9 (3 rd Ex.)	02/20/2009	Y
ABX4 1	Evans	1 (4 th Ex.)	07/28/2009	Y
ABX4 12	Evans	12 (4 th Ex.)	07/28/2009	Y
AJR 10	Torlakson	Res. 103	09/16/2009	N
SB 11	Negrete McLeod	326	10/11/2009	N
SB 37	Strickland	329	10/11/2009	N
SB 40	Correa	552	10/11/2009	N
SB 54	Leno	625	10/11/2009	N
SB 72	Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review	340	10/11/2009	N
SB 75	Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review	342	10/11/2009	N
SB 227	Alquist	31	06/29/2010	Y
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SB 548	Huff	595	10/11/2009	N
SB 630	Steinberg	604	10/11/2009	N
SB 634	Committee on PER	304	10/11/2009	N
SB 752	Correa	362	10/11/2009	Y
SB 846	Correa	162	08/23/2010	Y
SB 856	Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review	719	10/19/2010	Y
SB 867	Hollingsworth	733	10/20/2010	Y
SB 900	Alquist	659	09/30/2010	N
SB 931	Ducheny	701	09/30/2010	N
SB 1007	Hancock	633	09/30/2010	N
SB 1055	Ashburn	282	09/24/2010	N
SB 1057	Denham	511	09/27/2010	N
SB 1079	Walters	513	09/29/2010	N
SB 1085	Runner	320	09/27/2010	N
SB 1088	Price	660	09/30/2010	N
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SB 1271	Romero	702	09/20/2010	N
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BILL NUMBER: AB 56
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 56 without my signature.

The addition of a new mandate, no matter how small, will only serve to increase the overall cost of health care. This, like other mandates, only increases cost in an environment in which health coverage is increasingly expensive.

California has over 40 mandates on its health care service plans and health insurance policies. While these mandates are well-intentioned, the costs associated with the cumulative effect of these mandates mean that these costs are passed through to the purchaser and consumer.

I continue to have serious concerns about the rising costs of healthcare and must weigh the potential benefits of a mandate with the comprehensive costs to the entire delivery system and for that reason, I cannot support this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 98
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 98 without my signature.

I have vetoed similar bills twice before. The addition of this mandate must be considered in the larger context of how it will increase the overall cost of health care. This, like other mandates, only increases premiums in an environment in which health coverage is increasingly expensive.

Maternity coverage is offered and available in today's individual insurance market. Consumers can choose whether they want to purchase this type of coverage, and the pricing is reflective of that choice. While the perfect world would allow for all health conditions to be covered, including maternity, I cannot allow the perfect to become the enemy of the good. There is a reason the individual insurance market regulated by the Department of Insurance is growing consumers are choosing policies they can afford.

Essentially, I am faced with choosing between covering fewer people, but with better coverage or allowing more people to buy a policy that offers reduced benefits at a lower cost. It is not an easy choice. However, because I continue to have serious concerns about the rising costs of healthcare and believe the potential benefits of a mandate of this magnitude will translate to fewer individuals being able to afford coverage, I cannot support this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 113
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 113 without my signature.

This bill is not necessary and has no practical impact on the current state of health coverage in California. If the intent is to update an outdated 20-year old code section, then those updates should be consolidated in omnibus committee bills.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 115
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 115 without my signature.

While I support providing more opportunities for uninsured individuals to obtain affordable health coverage, I vetoed a similar measure last year. The underlying program has never been implemented and my concerns from last year remain.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 194
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 194 without my signature.

The bill limits the salary that retirement benefits are based on for individuals, prospectively after January 1, 2011, to 125% of the Governor's salary, as specified.

The current compensation limit imposed by the federal government to determine public employee retirement benefits is \$245,000. Currently, this bill would cap the compensation counted towards retirement at \$217,483. While this two tiered cap that would be created by this bill would make a very small dent in the pension problem California faces, it cannot be considered real pension reform. I am still hopeful that the Legislature will pass an acceptable bill that addresses the real cost issues that have driven up the liability in public pension systems.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 226
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill (AB) 226 without my signature.

This bill includes provisions intended to address issues resulting from changes to law proposed by AB 1987 (Ma). Since I am vetoing AB 1987, those provisions in this bill are not necessary.

The other provision in this bill permits Sacramento County to immediately implement a lower retirement tier for newly hired safety employees, for specified bargaining groups. I encourage Sacramento County to reach responsible agreements with their employees, and seek new legislation to implement that component of the deal.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 244
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 244 without my signature.

I have vetoed similar measures twice before. The addition of a new mandate, especially one of this magnitude, will only serve to significantly increase the overall cost of health care. This, like other mandates, also increases cost in an environment in which health coverage is increasingly expensive.

California has over 40 mandates on its health care service plans and health insurance policies. While these mandates are well-intentioned, the costs associated with the cumulative effect of these mandates mean that these costs are passed through to the purchaser and consumer.

I continue to have serious concerns about the rising costs of healthcare and must weigh the potential benefits of a mandate with the comprehensive costs to the entire delivery system and for that reason, I cannot support this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 471
VETOED DATE: 09/25/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 471 without my signature.

This bill makes technical, non-substantive changes to Government Code provisions concerning the Attorney General's representation of state agencies and its authority to represent the state in certain specified actions. This bill is unnecessary. Moreover, these types of changes should be included in a larger omnibus bill rather than a standalone bill.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 472
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 472 without my signature.

This bill authorizes the California Emergency Management Agency to require any state agency that publishes an Internet website to prominently display a text or graphical link to an earthquake preparedness website. This measure is unnecessary. Earthquake preparedness information is readily available on the websites of the California Emergency Management Agency, the Federal Emergency Management Agency, and the United States Geological Survey and is easily discovered by anyone searching it out. However, to ensure optimal availability of disaster preparedness information, I am instructing other agencies that respond to disasters to post links to the California Emergency Management Agency website.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 513
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 513 without my signature.

I share the author's interest in promoting safer, healthier outcomes for mothers and their children. My Administration has several programs dedicated to promoting and encouraging mothers to breastfeed their infants for the multitude of health benefits it provides.

However, the addition of a new mandate, no matter how small, will only serve to increase the overall cost of health care. This, like other mandates, only increases cost in an environment in which health coverage is increasingly expensive.

California has over 40 mandates on its health care service plans and health insurance policies. While these mandates are well-intentioned, the costs associated with the cumulative effect of these mandates mean that these costs are passed through to the purchaser and consumer.

I continue to have serious concerns about the rising costs of healthcare and must weigh the potential benefits of a mandate with the comprehensive costs to the entire delivery system and for that reason, I cannot support this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 542
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 542 without my signature.

It is amazing to think that health care providers and facilities get paid, even when they operate on the wrong patient; give the wrong drug; administer a fatal medical procedure; transmit a preventable infection; or worse. My Administration has tried to enact "non-payment" policies since my health reform effort in 2007. Providers have resisted this commonsense policy for years. So, it is understandably hard for me to veto this measure. However, while I am supportive of stakeholder expertise in the development of California's non-payment policies and procedures for healthcare-acquired conditions consistent with the provisions of federal health reform, legislation is not required for the Department Health Care Services to undertake this process. Nor, given the provider community's significant resistance to implementation of these policies, do I think it would be a worthwhile use of the Department's time.

In addition, California needs to enact legislation that consistently applies these non-payment policies to both public and private health coverage while ensuring that no patient bears the fiscal responsibility for these preventable mistakes. Legislation needs to clearly prohibit balance-billing under these circumstances to ensure that health facilities and providers bear the responsibility for their actions.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 579
VETOED DATE: 10/12/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 579 without my signature.

I am supportive of the intent of this bill to audit the workload of salaried board members or commissioners, beginning with the California Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board. However, the legislature already has a process in place through its Joint Legislative Audit Committee, to request audits conducted by the California State Auditor on virtually any state operation. Therefore, the statutory authorization to do so in this bill is unnecessary.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 657
VETOED DATE: 10/12/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 657 without my signature.

While I support the intent of the author and recognize the importance in developing California's health professions workforce, this bill is unnecessary and duplicative of efforts already underway.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 755
VETOED DATE: 10/12/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 755 without my signature.

This bill unnecessarily limits the State's flexibility in the use of non-state personnel with distinct expertise and experience. In certain instances, state civil service employees may not provide the same level of expertise and may be more costly. The ability for the state to benefit from the expertise of non-state employees should not be restricted.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 756
VETOED DATE: 10/12/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 756 without my signature.

While I am supportive of greater transparency in government, this legislation would be duplicative of current reporting practices and increases workload and costs to departments at a time when the state continues to experience a significant budget shortfall. My Administration is currently implementing many of the provisions of this legislation within the existing appropriation of the Department of General Services to increase transparency.

For this reason I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 898
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 898 without my signature.

While there are some laudable aspects of this bill, the provision allowing private right of action for violating very prescriptive criteria for the solicitation of services will no doubt lead to spurious law suits. Existing law already allows prosecutors to pursue persons and businesses who engage in false and misleading business practices.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1136
VETOED DATE: 10/12/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1136 without my signature.

This bill would create a situation whereby certain county retirees could change their retirement elections and increase their benefits as a result. I am concerned that this could create unfunded increases to county retirement costs. At this time, even small increases would be unacceptable.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1580
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1580 without my signature.

It is disappointing that a multi-year, complex bill on federal tax conformity is damaged when a single provision is inserted at the last minute, especially when the process up to that point had been built on consensus. There are many federal tax provisions that California does not conform with, many of which would be supported by some of the entities involved. Likewise, when there are provisions that others object to, these should be discarded as well.

Many provisions in this bill will help taxpayers and the state of California. However, I cannot support this bill until it reflects consensus. I would urge the Legislature to send me legislation that demonstrates the agreements reached prior to the inclusion of the last provision on erroneous refund claims.

I look forward to signing a measure that reflects all the work on this extremely important and complicated effort.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1600
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1600 without my signature.

This is the fourth time that I have vetoed this measure. In addition to the concerns that I have consistently cited over the last three vetoes regarding the overall rising cost of healthcare and lack of affordability for employers and individuals struggling to keep their existing coverage, I am now able to add a new concern. The federal health reform provisions that take effect in 2014 will require states to pay the entire cost of mandates that go above and beyond the definition of "essential benefits." This bill certainly requires a higher level of service than contemplated on a federal level and as such, will mandate California to spend new General Fund dollars for these benefits.

I cannot agree to a significant expenditure of new funds when we are struggling to provide basic levels of coverage to our most needy and fragile populations.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1712
VETOED DATE: 09/28/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1712 without my signature.

This bill would undermine the ability of a local governing board to make staffing decisions based on its priorities and needs. These provisions should be negotiated through the collective bargaining process, rather than imposed by state law.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1759
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1759 without my signature.

This bill is one more attempt to solve an extremely complex problem through over-regulation, micromanagement and the placement of unnecessary requirements in the contracting process - all without actually solving the underlying issue.

Health coverage is expensive. It's getting more expensive every day. Requiring sophisticated buyers, brokers and health plans to statutorily notify each other that costs may increase throughout the year is similar to advising them that the sun is going to rise in the east.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1765
VETOED DATE: 09/24/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1765 without my signature.

This bill would exempt specified employees from being subject to any furloughs. While there may be a need to exempt specific employees from furlough, that exemption should be determined on a case-by-case basis depending on the exigencies of the fiscal crisis. By statutorily exempting certain employees from furloughs, this bill limits a Governor's discretion to tailor a furlough policy to appropriately meet the needs of the State.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1821
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1821 without my signature.

This bill results in arbitrarily increasing the level of benefits being paid out to those beneficiaries that did not contribute towards this increased level of benefit. While I recognize that surplus funds are not being utilized in the specified 1959 Survivor Benefit Program funds, it does not make sense to increase the benefit amounts to even the small number of participants that would be affected by this measure. That is a policy that runs counter to the overall pension reform direction I believe the state should be adopting.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1825
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1825 without my signature.

While I acknowledge the author's effort to address the reason for the last three vetoes on similar measures, the bill continues to represent a significant barrier to affordable coverage. I can appreciate the policy arguments, but none of the organizations lobbying for this bill's passage must represent the individuals and families struggling to pay for their existing health coverage. Nor are any of these organizations offering to help families pay for their increasingly expensive coverage. It is a familiar effort in which supporters demand more and better coverage, until the cost for that coverage is added up. Ironically, some of these same organizations then turn around and blame the health insurance companies for charging too much for the benefits they themselves demanded. I firmly believe you can't have it both ways.

The passage of federal health reform will have broad and consequential impacts across our state and nation. Affordability is the one area in which the hard decisions remain unresolved. However, if left unaddressed, the lack of affordability will undermine the entire reform effort. Leaders, at both a national and state level, must accept this responsibility and be willing to make the decisions that are politically unpopular, but represent a long-range solution to the problem.

This bill represents a one-sided solution that hurts many hard-working Californians by increasing costs as well as the number of uninsured. For these reasons, I cannot sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1862
VETOED DATE: 09/24/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1862 without my signature.

There is no documented problem that demonstrates the need to change current law with this bill.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1899
VETOED DATE: 09/25/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1899 without my signature.

I strongly support the goal of transparency in government and believe that posting information online is a simple method of achieving this goal and allowing citizens information about how their tax dollars are spent. For that reason I have issued executive orders directing posting of this type of material to the Reporting Transparency in Government Web site. As such, this bill is not necessary.

For this reason I cannot sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 1987
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 1987 without my signature.

The practice of pension-spiking is a serious one that deserves significant attention by the Legislature in curbing the unacceptable manner in which individual workers are able to artificially boost their retirement payouts. There are numerous examples of public employees taking home larger pension checks in retirement than what they earned in base salary when they were actually working.

California does need a consistent standard that is transparent, understandable, and implementable throughout the state. While this bill purports to address this issue by segregating out some of the factors that have allowed pension spiking, in some instances it still allows local pension boards to determine what is ultimately counted in an employee's pension calculation. This does not provide a consistent treatment of all employees. The taxpayers of California deserve better. I am still hopeful that the Legislature can send me acceptable pension reform legislation.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 2007
VETOED DATE: 09/25/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2007 without my signature.

I have consistently supported efforts to increase transparency in regards to reporting requirements. However, this bill is unnecessary. The information requested is already provided electronically to the Secretary of State and hosted online at www.sos.ca.gov. Requiring the Fair Political Practices Commission to extrapolate this information and host it on their website is duplicative and costly.

Therefore, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 2008
VETOED DATE: 09/24/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2008 without my signature.

This bill would exempt specified employees from being subject to any furloughs. While there may be a need to exempt specific employees from furlough, that exemption should be determined on a case-by-case basis depending on the exigencies of the fiscal crisis. By statutorily exempting certain employees from furloughs, this bill limits a Governor's discretion to tailor a furlough policy to appropriately meet the needs of the State.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 2093
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2093 without my signature.

Our state's public health system rests on the administration of vaccinations and I support efforts to ensure all children are appropriately vaccinated, which is why I am pleased to sign Assembly Bill 354.

This bill, however, is an inappropriate effort to carve various elements out of negotiated provider contracts and set those reimbursement rates in statute. Existing law already requires health plans to fully cover certain preventive benefits, including immunizations. Reimbursing providers for their "administrative costs" at a Medicare rate completely undermines the purpose of capitation and provider contracts, especially if a provider's actual costs are below the Medicare fee.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this measure.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 2340
VETOED DATE: 09/25/2010

To Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2340 without my signature.

This bill would prohibit an employer from discharging, disciplining, or in any way discriminating against an employee for inquiring about, requesting, or taking up to three days of unpaid bereavement leave upon the death of a spouse, child, parent, sibling, grandparent, grandchild, or domestic partner. The bill would allow an employee who believes he or she has been discharged, disciplined, or discriminated against to file a complaint with the Division of Labor Standards Enforcement or bring a civil action in court.

This bill is nearly identical to Senate Bill 549 (Corbett, 2007), which I vetoed. While well-intended, the choice of whether or not to offer unpaid bereavement leave should be left to the employer.

Further, this bill would impose new and somewhat ambiguous burdens on businesses as well as subjecting them to new threats of litigation over California-specific employment laws. During this challenging economic period, I am unwilling to add new burdens on them and subject them to new grounds for lawsuits.

For these reasons, I am returning this bill without my signature.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: AB 2540
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2540 without my signature.

I vetoed a similar measure last year. Given the passage of federal health reform and other legislation that I plan on signing relating to rescission of coverage, this bill is unnecessary. I would also point out that continuing to provide funding to the Managed Risk Medical Insurance program will be unnecessary after 2014 as well.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 20
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 20 without my signature.

This bill would require any agency, person, or business that must issue an information security breach notification pursuant to existing law to also fulfill certain additional requirements pertaining to the security breach notification.

California's landmark law on data breach notification has had many beneficial results. Informing individuals whose personal information was compromised in a breach of what their risks are and what they can do to protect themselves is an important consumer protection benefit. This bill is unnecessary, however, because there is no evidence that there is a problem with the information provided to consumers. Moreover, there is no additional consumer benefit gained by requiring the Attorney General to become a repository of breach notices when this measure does not require the Attorney General to do anything with the notices. Since this measure would place additional unnecessary mandates on businesses without a corresponding consumer benefit, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 56
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 56 without my signature.

This bill is unnecessary, as there is nothing in existing law that prohibits a county organized health plan, local initiative or other public entity from entering into a joint venture and seeking licensure with the Department of Managed Health Care. Furthermore, this bill does not solve the underlying problem for why these entities have been unsuccessful expanding their business in the past.

For these reasons, I cannot sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 158
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 158 without my signature.

I have vetoed similar bills twice before. The addition of a new mandate, no matter how small, will only serve to increase the overall cost of health care.

California has over 40 mandates on its health care service plans and health insurance policies. While these mandates are well-intentioned, the costs associated with the cumulative effect of these mandates mean that these costs are passed through to the purchaser and consumer.

I continue to have serious concerns about the rising costs of healthcare and must weigh the potential benefits of a mandate with the comprehensive costs to the entire delivery system and for that reason, I cannot support this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 161
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 161 without my signature.

While I have historically supported greater access to necessary pharmaceutical treatments and appreciate the author and sponsors' intent, I cannot support this particular measure. For those patients fortunate enough to have health coverage in today's economic environment, health plans already provide coverage for oral anticancer medications. This bill limits a plan's ability to control both the appropriateness of the care and the cost by requiring them to immediately cover every medication as soon as it receives federal approval regardless of the provisions of the health plan's formulary placing them at a severe disadvantage when negotiating prices with drug manufacturers.

I do believe that oral anticancer medications can be more cost-effective and efficacious in some instances. If there is a way to provide greater access without increasing overall costs, I would be willing to reconsider such a measure next year. I would encourage a collaborative approach with my Administration, the health plans, and the pharmaceutical manufacturers next year on this topic.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 196
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 196 without my signature.

While I share the author's concern about the significant strain being placed on our emergency room network in California, I cannot support a bill that would mandate a hospital to maintain specific services when those services are not a requirement of licensure. Forcing hospitals to keep an emergency room open, especially when they are closing because of financial circumstances, will only jeopardize patient care due to the rapid attrition of medical and nursing staff, as well as suppliers.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 220
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 220 without my signature. This bill represents a costly health mandate that goes beyond current federal law and removes the ability to manage the ever-increasing costs of prescription drugs.

Instead, I am signing Assembly Bill 2345 to ensure that the new federal health reform legislation for preventive services is fairly and consistently enforced by the Department of Managed Health Care and Department of Insurance. Californians will immediately benefit, starting on September 23, 2010, from the preventive services now required to be covered by all plans, without cost-sharing requirements. Some of these important preventive services include tobacco cessation; cholesterol tests; counseling for weight loss, alcohol use and improved nutrition; vision testing; childhood and adult immunizations; cancer screening; well-baby and well-child visits; and diabetes management and treatment.

Assembly Bill 2345 ensures that consumers get the right preventive care without co-pays. Because Senate Bill 220 goes beyond federal requirements, it will expose California to potentially significant unreimbursed mandate costs in 2014 when the remaining provisions of federal reform take effect.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 257
VETOED DATE: 10/11/2009

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 257 without my signature.

This bill would require every state agency and department, including local offices, when notified by a female employee that she is nearing maternity leave, to notify the employee of information regarding lactation accommodation on the Internet Web site of the Department of Public Health.

While I appreciate the author's intent, I believe that this bill is unnecessary. Current law already requires that accommodation be made for lactating employees. I do not believe it has been adequately demonstrated that employees are unaware of their options.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 414
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 414 without my signature.

Among other things, this bill prohibits a county retirement board from limiting the role of an alternate member's participation in board meetings and committees. It also mandates that an election to fill board vacancies be held at the earliest possible date. Both of these provisions are unnecessarily limiting of the flexibility of these local entities.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 802
VETOED DATE: 10/12/2009

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 802 without my signature.

Under current law, public entities, at a minimum, must retain 5 percent of a payment to a contractor completing a public works project. This bill would restrict the State's ability to retain more than 5 percent of payment and no more than 5 percent of the public work contract price.

When a contractor fails to complete a public works project, the public entity needs recourse to ensure that the project gets completed. Public works contracts have a higher level of risk as public entities usually have to accept the low bidder. Though there are options available to the State to go after a contractor who fails to complete the terms of a public works contract, retaining portions of payment to the contractor provides incentive for the contractor to complete the project. While I am sympathetic with the concerns of subcontractors, the State's responsibility is to protect the taxpayer to make certain that public works projects are completed correctly and within budget; limiting the retention amount hampers the State's ability to do that.

For these reasons, I am returning this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 890
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 890 without my signature.

While I appreciate the author's leadership and efforts to help transition California's healthcare delivery system in preparation for more significant changes in 2014, this bill creates unnecessary and duplicative costs by requiring health plans and health insurers to meet disclosure requirements in 2011 that will change again in 2014.

The added costs for implementing the provisions of this bill outweigh the potential short-term benefits for the two regulatory entities, the affected health plans and consumers.

For these reasons, I cannot sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 961
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 961 without my signature.

This measure is almost identical to a bill that I vetoed last year. My concern about adding costs to our increasingly expensive health insurance premiums have not been addressed. This bill is also unnecessary in light of the provisions of the federal health reform act that will take effect on January 1, 2014 and cap out-of-pocket costs for both individuals and families.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 971
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 971 without my signature.

This bill is unnecessary and attempts to create additional standards that are already being adequately enforced through other regulatory and administrative mechanisms. Since the current standards of practice for blood clotting products and service are already being met through state and federal pharmacy laws, voluntary compliance and existing state contract provisions, it is unclear what problem this bill seeks to address.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 1166
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 1166 without my signature.

This bill would require any agency, person, or business that must issue an information security breach notification pursuant to existing law to also fulfill certain additional requirements pertaining to the security breach notification.

California's landmark law on data breach notification has had many beneficial results. Informing individuals whose personal information was compromised in a breach of what their risks are and what they can do to protect themselves is an important consumer protection benefit. This bill is unnecessary, however, because there is no evidence that there is a problem with the information provided to consumers. Moreover, there is no additional consumer benefit gained by requiring the Attorney General to become a repository of breach notices when this measure does not require the Attorney General to do anything with the notices.

Since this measure would place additional unnecessary mandates on businesses without a corresponding consumer benefit, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 1230
VETOED DATE: 09/29/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 1230 without my signature.

This bill requires employers to post information related to slavery and human trafficking, including information related to nonprofit organizations that provide services in support of the elimination of slavery and human trafficking. I support efforts to eliminate human trafficking. However, this measure will burden legitimate businesses while having little to no impact on human slavery. After all, businesses likely to comply with his law are not likely to have employees that would benefit from such postings.

For these reasons, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 1283
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 1283 without my signature.

I appreciate the author's dedication to working in a collaborative and constructive manner to try and address this highly-emotional issue with advocates, families and patients. My Administration has also worked with these stakeholders to improve the delivery system for the diagnosis and treatment of autism. Over the past two years, the Department of Managed Health Care (Department) has placed a significant focus on autism treatment benefits resulting in more timely evaluations, comprehensive treatment plans, coordinated services, and, when necessary, enforcement actions against licensed health plans.

Notwithstanding all this progress, I cannot support this particular bill because it is overbroad in its application and would affect all of the Department's grievance procedures. Since the Department currently resolves 95% of its annual grievance caseload within 30 days, I do not believe this bill is necessary and may actually lead to longer delays due to some of the bill's provisions.

For these reasons, I cannot sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SB 1425
VETOED DATE: 09/30/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 1425 without my signature.

The enactment of this bill is contingent upon the enactment of Assembly Bill (AB) 1987 (Ma). I am vetoing AB 1987 because it does not provide real pension reform. I am still hopeful that the Legislature will pass an acceptable bill that really addresses California's pension problem.

For this reason, I am unable to sign this bill.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger

BILL NUMBER: SBX8 29
VETOED DATE: 03/24/2010

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill X8 29 without my signature as it would undermine necessary actions taken to achieve budgetary and cash solutions.

This bill would exempt state civil service employees funded at least 95 percent by sources other than the General Fund, and employees of the Franchise Tax Board and the State Board of Equalization from furloughs. This bill also prohibits state agencies, boards, and commissions from implementing, or assisting with the implementation of, furloughs for such employees.

State employees throughout California are hard-working public servants who play a vital role in providing services to millions of Californians. But the depth and breadth of the state's unprecedented fiscal crisis required the state to achieve immediate budgetary savings in all areas of state government including state payroll.

That is why I implemented the furlough program last year as a temporary measure to achieve savings and to also provide the state with an additional cash management tool. It was also intended as a way to achieve savings in employee compensation as an alternative to deeper state employee layoffs. And as I indicated in my budget proposal, the current furlough program will end as scheduled on June 30th. Instead, I have proposed a package of employee compensation savings to be enacted by the Legislature.

It is necessary to apply furloughs across the board, with limited exemptions as needed to protect public health and safety, to effectively manage the workforce, and to avoid inequities and morale problems for state employees. Further, this bill as written would be difficult, if not impossible to implement. Many positions are funded through multiple funding sources and as such it is not always possible to determine if they are funded at least 95 percent by sources other than the General Fund.

Finally, this bill would limit the ability of future Governors to implement furloughs during a fiscal emergency. It is imperative that Governors have maximum flexibility to address such emergencies. As this is a matter presently before the courts, attempts to legislatively limit Governors' furlough authority are premature until a final judgment has been made.

For these reasons, I am returning this bill without my signature.

Sincerely,

Arnold Schwarzenegger