

**SWANA 07-08 Legislation of Interest  
as of 8/6/2008**

Bill ID/Topic	Location	Summary	Position
<p><a href="#">AB 94</a> <b>Committee on Utilities and Commerce</b></p> <p>Renewable energy.</p>	<p>SENATE E. U., &amp; C. 06/10/2008-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Com. on E.,U. &amp; C.</p>	<p>Would provide that the definitions contained in the act govern the construction of the code unless the provision or context otherwise requires. The bill would define the term "Energy Commission" as meaning the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission for purposes of the code, and would define the term "local publicly owned electric utility" within the act. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 06/10/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 218</a> <b>Saldana (D)</b></p> <p>Hazardous waste: electronic waste.</p>	<p>SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 06/23/2008-Place on APPR. suspense file.</p>	<p>Would define the term "RoHS Directive" to mean that directive on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment, cited as Directive 2002/95/EC, as amended on or before January 1, 2009, and would define the term "electronic equipment" for purposes of the bill's requirements to mean a device that is dependent on electric currents or electromagnetic fields to work properly or that is a device for the generation, transfer, or measurement of electric currents or fields that falls within the scope of Article 2 of Directive 2002/96/EC, is designed for use with a voltage rating that does not exceed 1,000 volts for alternating current and 1,500 volts for direct current, and falls within the scope of Article 2.1 of the RoHS Directive. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 05/06/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 291</a> <b>Jeffries (R)</b></p> <p>State Highway Route 74: relinquishment.</p>	<p>SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/30/2007-In committee: Set, first hearing. Held under submission.</p>	<p>Would authorize the commission to relinquish a portion of State Highway Route 74 in the City of Lake Elsinore in Riverside County to that city under certain conditions.</p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 501</a> <b>Swanson (D)</b></p> <p>Pharmaceutical devices.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY CONCURRENCE 07/14/2008-In Assembly. Concurrence in Senate amendments pending. May be considered on or after July 16 pursuant to Assembly Rule 77.</p>	<p>Would require a pharmaceutical manufacturer whose product is administered for home use through a prefilled syringe, prefilled pen, or other prefilled injection device to arrange to provide, upon request from a consumer, a postage prepaid, mail-back sharps container that has been approved by the United States Postal Service and the department or a sharps container for the safe storage and transport of sharps to a sharps consolidation location approved by the department or a clinic, physician, or pharmacy that accepts home-generated sharps waste, as defined, along with concise information on safe disposal alternatives and options for sharps and notice of the act's above described prohibition, that commences September 1, 2008 . As a means of meeting these above described requirements , the manufacturer may provide the consumer with a coupon that can be</p>	<p>Support</p>

		<p>exchanged for, or a toll-free telephone number or Web site that can direct the patient to a supplier of, a qualified sharps container. This bill would also prohibit the manufacturer, or any person or agent with whom the manufacturer contracts, from using information collected for this purpose for any other purpose.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 06/19/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 642</a> <a href="#">Wolk</a> (D)</p> <p>Design-build: counties, cities, and special districts.</p>	<p>SENATE THIRD READING 08/05/2008-Read second time, amended, and to third reading.</p>	<p>Would authorize any city, with the approval of the appropriate city council, to enter into design-build contracts, as defined, in accordance with specified provisions. The bill also would extend these provisions until January 1, 2016 . This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 08/05/2008</b></p>	Support
<p><a href="#">AB 704</a> <a href="#">Eng</a> (D)</p> <p>Public contracts: metropolitan water districts: design-build.</p>	<p>SENATE L. GOV. 06/18/2008-SEN. L.GOV. Vote - Do pass.</p>	<p><b>Last Amended on 06/11/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 712</a> <a href="#">De Leon</a> (D)</p> <p>Off-road solid waste, composting, and recycling vehicle clean air program.</p>	<p>SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/30/2007-In committee: Set, first hearing. Held under submission.</p>	<p>Would require, commencing April 1, 2009, a person disposing of solid waste at a disposal facility that is subject to the quarterly fee described above to pay a fee of \$0.50 for each ton of solid waste submitted for disposal at the facility. The operator of the facility would be required to collect the fees and submit the fees to the State Board of Equalization, which would be required to transfer the fees to the Off-Road Solid Waste, Composting, and Recycling Vehicle Clean Air Account, which the bill would establish within the Air Pollution Control Fund. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 07/12/2007</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 746</a> <a href="#">Krekorian</a> (D)</p> <p>Public resources: energy conservation assistance: local governments and public institutions.</p>	<p>SENATE RLS. 08/04/2008-Withdrawn from committee. Re-referred to Com. on RLS.</p>	<p>Would extend the operation of those provisions to January 1, 2021, and would thereby make an appropriation by extending the time during which the funds in a continuously appropriated account are made available. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 08/04/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 822</a> <a href="#">Levine</a> (D)</p> <p>Solid waste: multifamily dwellings.</p>	<p>SENATE INACTIVE FILE 06/30/2008-To inactive file on motion of Senator Perata.</p>	<p>Would require an owner of a multifamily dwelling, defined as a residential facility that consists of 5 or more living units, on or after July 1, 2009, to arrange for recycling services that are appropriate for the multifamily dwelling, consistent with state or local laws or requirements, including a local ordinance or agreement, applicable to the collection, handling, or recycling of solid waste.</p>	Support

		<b>Last Amended on 01/07/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 844 Berryhill (R)</a> Junk dealers and recyclers: nonferrous material.	SENATE APPR. 08/05/2008-Do pass as amended, and re-refer to the Committee on Appropriations.	Would require a junk dealer or recycler to report the information included in those written records to the chief of police or sheriff, as specified, upon request and on a monthly basis. The bill would authorize the chief of police or sheriff to request weekly reports for no more than a 2-month period, except as specified, if there is an ongoing investigation of the junk dealer or recycler concerning possible criminal activity. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. <b>Last Amended on 06/25/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 904 Feuer (D)</a> Recycling: food containers.	SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 07/14/2008-Place on APPR. suspense file.	Would enact the Plastic and Marine Debris Reduction, Recycling, and Composting Act and would define terms for the purposes of that act. The bill would prohibit a takeout food provider, on and after July 1, 2012 , from distributing single-use food service packaging to a consumer, unless the single-use food service packaging is either compostable packaging or recyclable packaging. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. <b>Last Amended on 01/29/2008</b>	Support
<a href="#">AB 1075 Cook (R)</a> Solid waste diversion.	SENATE APPR. 08/03/2008-In committee: Hearing postponed by committee. (Refers to 6/16/2008 hearing)	Would define the term "anaerobic digestion" for purposes of the act. The bill would additionally define the term "composting operation" or "composting facility" as an operation or facility that produces compost, including, but not limited to, an entity that produces compost either aerobically or nonaerobically and an operation or facility that utilizes anaerobic digestion. The bill would revise the definition of the term "transformation" to exclude anaerobic digestion. <b>Last Amended on 05/14/2008</b>	Oppose Unless Amended
<a href="#">AB 1183 Hancock (D)</a> Hazardous materials: Cortese list.	SENATE THIRD READING 07/10/2008-Read second time. To third reading.	Would require DTSC to make available on its public Internet Web site specified information and lists, including a list of all land use restriction instruments and agreements required to be maintained and posted. The State Department of Public Health would be required to make available on its public Internet Web site a list of contaminated public drinking water wells. The board would also be required to make available on its public Internet Web site a list of the sites, facilities, and orders . The board would also be required to make available on its public Internet Web site a list of all land use restriction instruments and agreements required to be maintained and posted. DTSC and the board would be required to ensure that the information made available is current and updated at least annually. The Secretary for Environmental Protection would be required to post appropriate links to the above information on its public Internet Web site and to notify each city and county of the available resources. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. <b>Last Amended on 06/21/2007</b>	
<a href="#">AB 1195 Torrico (D)</a> Recycling: used oil: incentive payments.	SENATE APPR. 02/04/2008-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to	Would additionally require the information and education program to promote methods to reduce the amount of used oil generated, and the use of re-refined oil, as defined, in automotive and industrial lubricants. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. <b>Last Amended on 04/15/2008</b>	

	committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Com. on APPR.		
<a href="#">AB 1391 Brownley (D)</a> Electronic waste.	SENATE THIRD READING 06/24/2008-Read second time. To third reading.	Would require a retailer that sells a covered electronic device to provide information to a customer at the point of sale of that device that includes the board's Internet Web site and describes where and how to return, recycle, and dispose of a covered electronic device and locations for the collection or return of the device. A retailer would be required to provide this information to a customer at the point of sale of the device through a sign or written material, or on the sales receipt. This provision would be operative on July 1, 2009. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 06/05/2008</b>	Support
<a href="#">AB 1428 Galgiani (D)</a> Energy: agricultural byproducts customer-generator program.	SENATE E.Q. 07/10/2007-From E.Q.: Not heard.	Would replace the existing pilot program for eligible biogas digester customer-generators with a net energy metering program for eligible customer-generators, as defined, that use agricultural residues, animal wastes, or animal renderings to generate electricity and that meet certain requirements .  <b>Last Amended on 06/26/2007</b>	
<a href="#">AB 1610 Nunez (D)</a> Fuels: refineries.	SENATE THIRD READING 09/12/2007-Read third time, passage refused. (Ayes 19. Noes 20. Page 2649.)	Would require an owner or operator of a refinery in the state to submit information to the Energy Commission relating to the capacity and operational status of the refinery. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 09/06/2007</b>	
<a href="#">AB 1719 Hancock (D)</a> Recycling: beverage containers: plastic bags.	ASSEMBLY RLS. 09/12/2007-In Assembly. Concurrence in Senate amendments pending. Re-referred to Com. on RLS. pursuant to Assembly Rule 97. (Page 3415.)	Would instead require the department to suspend the requirement to pay the processing fee for any container type with a certain recycling rate for calendar year 2008, if the balance of the fund is more than \$150,000,000. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 09/11/2007</b>	
<a href="#">AB 1751 Fuentes (D)</a> Vehicles: nuisance abatement: impoundment.	ASSEMBLY CONCURRENCE 08/05/2008-In Assembly. Concurrence in Senate amendments pending. May be considered on or after	Would repeal the provisions authorizing the pilot program and would instead authorize a city, county, and city or county to adopt an ordinance declaring a motor vehicle to be a nuisance subject to impoundment for not more than 30 days when the motor vehicle is involved in the commission of specified crimes related to prostitution. The bill would require the ordinance to include specified provisions related to notice and provision of a poststorage hearing, and the release of the impounded vehicle.	Support and Seek Amendments

	August 7 pursuant to Assembly Rule 77.	<b>Last Amended on 07/10/2008</b>	
<a href="#"><u>AB 1778</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Ma</u></a> (D)  Junk dealers and recyclers: newspaper and California Redemption Value (CRV) containers.	SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/04/2008-In committee: Placed on Appropriations suspense file.	Would prohibit a junk dealer or recycler, as defined, in specified jurisdictions, from providing payment for newspaper and for California Redemption Value (CRV) containers unless, except as specified, the payment is made by check and the dealer or recycler obtains certain identifying information, as specified, to be retained by the dealer or recycler for a certain period of time. The bill would specify that this provision does not apply to the payment for newspaper having a value of \$50 or less in a single transaction or CRV containers having a value of \$100 or less in a single transaction . This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 07/01/2008</b>	Watch
<a href="#"><u>AB 1860</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Huffman</u></a> (D)  Unsafe products: recall or warning.	SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/04/2008-In committee: Placed on Appropriations suspense file.	Would prohibit a commercial dealer, manufacturer, importer, distributor, wholesaler, or retailer from manufacturing, remanufacturing, distributing, selling at wholesale or retail, contracting to sell or resell, leasing, or subletting, or otherwise placing into the stream of commerce, a product that is unsafe knowing that the product is unsafe, as specified. The bill would provide for an unsafe product to be retrofitted, and would permit the sale of the retrofitted product if accompanied by a specified notice. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 07/02/2008</b>	Support
<a href="#"><u>AB 1972</u></a> <a href="#"><u>DeSaulnier</u></a> (D)  Solid waste: plastic bags: food and beverage containers.	SENATE THIRD READING 08/05/2008-Read second time. To third reading.	Would prohibit the sale of a plastic bag that is labeled as "compostable" or "marine degradable," unless that bag meets the ASTM Standard Specification for Compostable Plastics D6400, the ASTM Standard Specification for Non-Floating Biodegradable Plastics in the Marine Environment D7081 , or a standard adopted by the California Integrated Waste Management Board, as specified. The bill also would prohibit the sale of a plastic bag that is labeled as "biodegradable," "degradable," "decomposable," or as otherwise specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 08/04/2008</b>	Oppose
<a href="#"><u>AB 2003</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Saldana</u></a> (D)  Energy: Climate Protection and Energy Efficiency Bond Act of 2008.	ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 05/22/2008-In committee: Set, second hearing. Held under submission.	subject to voter approval at the November 4, 2008, statewide general election, would enact the Climate Protection and Energy Efficiency Bond Act of 2008 which, if adopted by the voters, would authorize the issuance and sale of \$2,000,000,000 in state general obligation bonds for award to public agencies for specified purposes, including expanding the development and use of solar, wind, and geothermal energy, fuel cells, and other energy generating technologies that would assist the state in meeting the greenhouse gas emission targets specified in the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006; low-income weatherization and other energy conservation and efficiency projects for low-income communities; and projects to improve the energy efficiency of state buildings and facilities and public school and local educational agency buildings, and to install solar, wind, fuel cells, and other energy generating technologies that will reduce greenhouse gas emissions associated with the operation of those buildings and facilities. This bill contains other related provisions.	

		<b>Last Amended on 05/07/2008</b>	
<a href="#"><u>AB 2030</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Lieu</u></a> (D)  Energy: building standards.	ASSEMBLY DEAD 05/30/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was APPR. SUSPENSE FILE	Would require the commission to adopt, in collaboration with specified parties, building design and construction standards, and energy and water conservation standards to require new nonresidential constructions commenced on or after January 1, 2030, to be zero net energy buildings. This bill contains other related provisions.  <b>Last Amended on 03/25/2008</b>	
<a href="#"><u>AB 2058</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Levine</u></a> (D)  Recycling: plastic carryout bags.	SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/04/2008-In committee: Placed on Appropriations suspense file.	Would on and after July 1, 2011, prohibit a store from providing plastic carryout bags to customers unless the store demonstrates an increased diversion rate, as defined, of 70% in the number of plastic carryout bags provided by the store during a specified period. The bill would require a store that is not complying with the diversion rate requirements to provide a plastic carryout bag to a customer only if the store charges the customer not less than \$0.25 per bag. A store charging customers for plastic carryout bags would be required to demonstrate that any revenue collected, excluding the cost of the bags and a reasonable financial return, is used by the store to implement specified plastic carryout bag recycling, plastic carryout bag cleanup, and plastic carryout bag waste reduction programs. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 06/30/2008</b>	Support
<a href="#"><u>AB 2071</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Karnette</u></a> (D)  Plastic bags: plastic food and beverage containers: enforcement.	SENATE THIRD READING 08/05/2008-Read second time, amended, and to third reading.	Would authorize a city, county, or the state to impose civil liability, in specified amounts, for violations of the above provisions and would require any civil penalties collected to be paid to the office of the city attorney, city prosecutor, district attorney, or Attorney General, whichever office brought the action. The bill would authorize any penalties collected by the Attorney General to be expended by the Attorney General, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to enforce those provisions.  <b>Last Amended on 08/05/2008</b>	Watch
<a href="#"><u>AB 2093</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Jones</u></a> (D)  General plan: mandatory elements: climate change.	SENATE L. GOV. 06/25/2008-In committee: Set first hearing. Failed passage. Reconsideration granted.	Would require climate change to be considered in the general plan in policies to achieve the greenhouse gas emission reductions of the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 . It would require a city or county to meet the above requirement in any mandatory element or combination of mandatory elements on or before specified dates . This new requirement would not be considered to be an additional element that requires the Office the Planning and Research to adopt guidelines within six months of the effective date of this act. By adding to the elements that local officials are required to include in a general plan, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 06/19/2008</b>	
<a href="#"><u>AB 2176</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Caballero</u></a> (D)  Energy: federal block	ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED 08/01/2008-Chaptered by the Secretary of	Would require the commission to administer funds received by the state pursuant to the federal act and would require not less than 60% of the funds received to be used to provide subgrants to cities and counties of specified population sizes. The bill would require the remaining funds to be used to provide grants to entities eligible under the federal act. All grants would be prioritized based on cost-	

grants.	State, Chapter Number 229, Statutes of 2008	effective energy efficiency. The bill would require that no more than 5% of the funds received be expended on administrative expenses.  <b>Last Amended on 07/03/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 2179</a> <a href="#">Furutani (D)</a>  Air quality: diesel fuel.	SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/04/2008-In committee: Placed on Appropriations suspense file.	Would require all vehicles owned or leased by an entity of the state on or after January 1, 2010 , that require diesel fuel to operate to use biodiesel fuel , as determined by the state board , if certain requirements are met. T he state board would be required to develop sustainability criteria for biodiesel fuel meeting specified requirements .  <b>Last Amended on 06/30/2008</b>	Watch
<a href="#">AB 2240</a> <a href="#">Tran (R)</a>  Diesel fuel tax: exemption: biodiesel.	ASSEMBLY DEAD 06/02/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was REV. & TAX SUSPENSE FILE	Would exempt from the imposition of tax, on and after July 1, 2009, to June 30, 2014, inclusive, biomass-based diesel produced in this state with California feedstock , as defined, and would require the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission to provide specified oversight and make an annual report in connection therewith, as provided. This bill contains other related provisions.  <b>Last Amended on 04/29/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 2245</a> <a href="#">Soto (D)</a>  Illegal dumping enforcement officers: use of batons.	ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED 07/10/2008-Chaptered by the Secretary of State, Chapter Number 96, Statutes of 2008	Would apply this provision to illegal dumping enforcement officers.	Watch
<a href="#">AB 2286</a> <a href="#">Feuer (D)</a>  Unified hazardous waste and hazardous materials.	SENATE THIRD READING 08/05/2008-Read second time. To third reading.	Would require that in addition to any other funding that becomes available, the secretary shall increase the oversight surcharge by an amount necessary to establish the data system, but not to exceed \$25 each year for 3 years, to establish the statewide information management system, and would provide that not less than 60% of that funding shall be provided to certified unified program agencies and participating agencies through grant funds for the purposes of the system. The bill would require the secretary to establish milestones to measure the implementation of the information management system and provide periodic status updates to interested parties. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 06/23/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 2347</a> <a href="#">Ruskin (D)</a>  Mercury-added thermostats: collection program.	SENATE SECOND READING 08/05/2008-From committee: Do pass. (Ayes 9. Noes 3.) .	Would enact the Mercury Thermostat Collection Act of 2008 and would require a manufacturer that owns or owned a name brand of mercury-added thermostats sold in this state before January 1, 2006, to establish and maintain a collection and recycling program for out-of-service mercury-added thermostats. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 08/04/2008</b>	Support and Seek Amendments
<a href="#">AB 2349</a>	ASSEMBLY	Would instead provide that, in addition to any other penalty or fine prescribed by law, any person	

<p><b><a href="#">Fuller</a> (R)</b></p> <p>Diseased animals and poultry: violations and penalties: administrative penalty.</p>	<p>CHAPTERED 07/18/2008-Chaptered by the Secretary of State, Chapter Number 147, Statutes of 2008</p>	<p>who violates that law, is subject to an administrative penalty of not less than \$100 or more than \$1,000 for each violation. The bill would provide that if the secretary finds that a violation has occurred, he or she shall give the person charged notice of the nature of the violation and an opportunity to be heard pursuant to specified administrative adjudication provisions. This bill contains other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/15/2008</b></p>	
<p><b><a href="#">AB 2415 Fuentes</a> (D)</b></p> <p>Solid waste: permit.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY NAT. RES. 04/28/2008-In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.</p>	<p>Would require the board, in the case where the proposed or existing solid waste facility is located in multiple jurisdictions and an application for, or an application for a revision of, a permit is submitted to the board, to obtain the approval of the designated and certified enforcement agency of each of the jurisdictions in which the facility is located before the issuance or revision of the permit. This bill contains other related provisions.</p>	<p>Watch</p>
<p><b><a href="#">AB 2425 Coto</a> (D)</b></p> <p>State Department of Public Health: water quality: pharmaceuticals.</p>	<p>SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/04/2008-In committee: Placed on Appropriations suspense file.</p>	<p>Would require the State Department of Public Health to convene a working group of interested parties, as described, to advance public knowledge about pharmaceuticals in public drinking water supplies, as prescribed. The bill would require the department to post links on its Internet Web site to other Web sites that have relevant educational information on the proper methods of handling and disposing of pharmaceuticals.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 06/19/2008</b></p>	<p>Support</p>
<p><b><a href="#">AB 2505 Brownley</a> (D)</b></p> <p>Hazardous waste: polyvinyl chloride packaging container.</p>	<p>SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 07/14/2008-Place on APPR. suspense file.</p>	<p>Would prohibit a person, on and after January 1, 2013 , from manufacturing, importing, selling, or distributing in commerce in this state a rigid polyvinyl chloride packaging container, as defined , and would prohibit, on and after January 1, 2015, a person from manufacturing, importing, selling, or distributing in commerce in this state a flexible polyvinyl chloride packaging container, as defined . This bill contains other related provisions.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 07/10/2008</b></p>	
<p><b><a href="#">AB 2512 Adams</a> (R)</b></p> <p>Environment: CEQA.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY DEAD 06/02/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was NAT. RES.</p>	<p>Would require the Southern California Association of Governments to submit to the Legislature, on or before January 1, 2010, a report on potential legislation that would streamline the environmental review process pursuant to CEQA, NEPA, or the environmental impact report requirements to expedite public work projects. Because the Southern California Association of Government is a local agency, the bill would increase the level of service provided by a local agency, thereby imposing a state-mandated local program . This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/03/2008</b></p>	
<p><b><a href="#">AB 2539 Strickland</a> (R)</b></p>	<p>ASSEMBLY DEAD 06/02/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to</p>	<p>Would prohibit a member of a state board or commission from receiving any salary if (1) in 2007 or later, the position of the member on the state board or commission received or would receive a salary totaling at least \$100,000 per year, and (2) the members of the state board or commission are</p>	<p>Watch</p>

State boards and commissions: salaries: suspension.	Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was B. & P.	required, either by statute or regulation, to meet 2 or less times per month, whichever is greater. This bill would authorize a member of a state board or commission who is prohibited from receiving a salary under these provisions to receive a specified per diem payment.  <b>Last Amended on 03/10/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 2625 Strickland (R)</a>  Biodiesel.	ASSEMBLY DEAD 06/02/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was TRANS.	Would define "biodiesel" and "renewable diesel" for these purposes.  <b>Last Amended on 04/07/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 2632 Fuller (R)</a>  California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: market-based compliance mechanisms.	ASSEMBLY DEAD 05/06/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(6). Last location was PRINT	The California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 designates the State Air Resources Board as the state agency charged with monitoring and regulating sources of emissions of greenhouse gases. The state board is required to adopt a statewide greenhouse gas emissions limit equivalent to the statewide greenhouse gas emissions levels in 1990 to be achieved by 2020, and to adopt rules and regulations in an open public process to achieve the maximum technologically feasible and cost-effective greenhouse gas emission reductions. The state board is authorized to adopt market-based compliance mechanisms, as defined, meeting specified requirements to be used for compliance with those regulations. This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to these provisions of law.	
<a href="#">AB 2640 Huffman (D)</a>  Solid waste: compostable organics management.	SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/04/2008-In committee: Placed on Appropriations suspense file.	Would also require the board to evaluate the feasibility of allowing the use of new nongreen material, including fines, as defined, as alternative daily cover. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 08/04/2008</b>	Oppose
<a href="#">AB 2645 Nunez (D)</a>  Air pollution: alternative fuels and vehicle technologies: funding programs.	SENATE T. & H. 06/12/2008-Referred to Coms. on T. & H. and E.Q.	Would provide that the fuel blend criteria does not apply only to renewable diesel infrastructure, fueling stations, and equipment. The bill would, in addition, provide specified life cycle and multimedia analyses as eligible projects under the program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.	
<a href="#">AB 2679 Ruskin (D)</a>  Solid waste: enforcement: local agencies.	SENATE SECOND READING 08/05/2008-From committee: Be placed on second reading file pursuant to Senate Rule 28.8.	Would repeal the definition of disposal site owner and would additionally define the terms "closed disposal site," "composting," "minor violation," and "owner." The bill would also revise the existing definitions of the terms "disposal," "disposal site," "hazardous waste," "operator," "solid waste disposal," and "solid waste facility" for purposes of the act. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 08/04/2008</b>	Watch
<a href="#">AB 2694</a>	SENATE HEALTH	Would in addition, beginning January 1, 2012, prohibit a person, firm, or corporation from	

<p><a href="#">Ma (D)</a></p> <p>Children's product safety: lead poisoning prevention.</p>	<p>06/25/2008-In committee: Hearing for testimony only.</p>	<p>manufacturing, selling, or exchanging, having in his or her possession with intent to sell or exchange, or expose or offer for sale or exchange to any retailer, any toy or child care article, as defined, or any other product designed or intended for use by, or for the care of, a child 12 years of age or younger, that is determined to be a lead-bearing substance, as defined, is coated with a lead-bearing substance, or includes a component that is determined to be a lead-bearing substance. The bill would specify that it would not supersede any more stringent prohibition that would otherwise be applicable under state or federal law. The bill would exempt from its prohibitions a component part of a children's product that is not accessible to a child through normal and foreseeable use and abuse of the product. The bill would also exempt electronic products and electronic product components that comply with a specified directive adopted by the European Parliament and the Council of the European Union.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 05/28/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 2695 Niello (R)</a></p> <p>Solid waste: enforcement: illegal dumping.</p>	<p>SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/04/2008-In committee: Placed on Appropriations suspense file.</p>	<p>Would additionally define "illegal dumping" to mean the act of disposing of solid waste at a location that is not a permitted solid waste facility or is not otherwise authorized for the disposal of solid waste pursuant to the act and regulations adopted by the board . This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 06/26/2008</b></p>	<p>Watch</p>
<p><a href="#">AB 2730 Leno (D)</a></p> <p>Beverage containers: nonprofit convenience zone recyclers.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY CHAPTERED 08/01/2008-Chaptered by the Secretary of State, Chapter Number 251, Statutes of 2008</p>	<p>Would in the alternative, require that a nonprofit convenience zone recycler have operated in the same location for not less than 5 years and be located within one mile of a supermarket that is in a convenience zone that is exempt from the requirement that there be a certified recycling center or location within every convenience zone. This bill contains other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 07/02/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 2820 Huffman (D)</a></p> <p>Alcoholic beverage containers: retail sales.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY DEAD 06/02/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was RLS.</p>	<p>Would make findings and declarations with regard to existing law.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/17/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 2829 Davis (D)</a></p> <p>Recycling: plastic carryout bags.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY DEAD 06/02/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was NAT. RES.</p>	<p>Would delete that repeal date and additionally require each plastic carryout bag provided by the store, on and after July 1, 2009, to have printed or displayed on the bag an environmental awareness message describing the negative impacts on the environment and wildlife caused by littered plastic carryout bags and encouraging the use of reusable bags. The board would be required by July 1, 2009, to develop that environmental awareness message, in consultation with specified stakeholders. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/07/2008</b></p>	<p>Support</p>
<p><a href="#">AB 2866 De Leon (D)</a></p>	<p>SENATE APPR. 08/04/2008-In</p>	<p>Would on and after July 1, 2009, establish the amount of the fee in an amount of \$2 per ton and would require \$0.60 of that fee after that date to be available for expenditure by the board, upon</p>	<p>Oppose</p>

Solid waste: solid waste disposal fees: postclosure trust fund.	committee: Set, first hearing. Held in Committee. Reconsideration of favorable vote granted.	appropriation by the Legislature, in accordance with a specified schedule. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 07/01/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 2868</a> <a href="#">Davis (D)</a>  Redevelopment agencies: affordable housing.	SENATE T. & H. 06/25/2008-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Com. on T. & H.	until January 1, 2013, would authorize the community redevelopment agency in Los Angeles County to expend moneys from its Low and Moderate Income Housing Fund to assist home buyers with a gross income up to , and including , 150% of the area median income. This bill contains other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 06/25/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 2901</a> <a href="#">Brownley (D)</a>  Toxics: enforcement: lead jewelry: packaging.	SENATE SECOND READING 08/05/2008-From committee: Be placed on second reading file pursuant to Senate Rule 28.8.	Would revise the definition of "jewelry" for purposes of those prohibitions and would additionally prohibit a person from offering for promotional purposes jewelry, including children's jewelry, body piercing jewelry, and jewelry placed in the mouth for display or ornament, for retail sale or promotional purposes in the state unless it is made entirely from the specified materials. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 07/02/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 2986</a> <a href="#">Leno (D)</a>  Water quality.	SENATE APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/04/2008-In committee: Placed on Appropriations suspense file.	Would require the state board, commencing January 1, 2011, to issue annually a letter grade, as specified, for each separate sanitary sewer system, sewage treatment plant, combined sewer system, and combined sewer system treatment plant in the state that is subject to waste discharge requirements in accordance with letter grading methodologies that the state board would be required to establish. The state board would be required, by January 1, 2010 , to establish a methodology for measuring a sewer system's peaking factor for specified flows, to designate a prescribed peaking factor, and to establish, as necessary, monitoring and reporting requirements to measure peaking factors and per capita flow rates . This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 08/04/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 2988</a> <a href="#">Feuer (D)</a>  Environmental quality: exemption: electric power purchase contract.	SENATE SECOND READING 08/05/2008-From committee: Be placed on second reading file pursuant to Senate Rule 28.8.	Would redefine the term "project" to exclude the approval of a contract for electric power from specified powerplants meeting specified requirements. Because this bill would require a lead agency, which includes a local agency, to determine whether a contract for electric power is a project under CEQA and would require a local agency to provide notice of exemption, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 07/01/2008</b>	
<a href="#">AB 3025</a>	SENATE THIRD	Would prohibit on and after January 1, 2012, a wholesaler or manufacturer, as defined, from selling	

<p><a href="#">Lieber</a> (D)</p> <p>Solid waste: polystyrene loosefill packaging.</p>	<p>READING 07/01/2008-Read second time, amended, and to third reading.</p>	<p>or offering for sale, expanded polystyrene loosefill packaging in this state, unless it is comprised of a specified amount of postconsumer recycled material, as defined, as provided in a schedule that would increase that percentage until January 1, 2017, when the amount would be required to be 100% postconsumer recycled material.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 07/01/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 3030 Brownley</a> (D)</p> <p>Local publicly owned water utility: rate cases.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY CONCURRENCE 08/05/2008-In Assembly. Concurrence in Senate amendments pending. May be considered on or after August 7 pursuant to Assembly Rule 77.</p>	<p>Would authorize an agency providing water, sewer, or refuse collection service to adopt a schedule of fees or charges that authorize automatic adjustments that pass through increases in wholesale charges for water or adjustments for inflation, if prescribed conditions are met, including, but not limited to, that the schedule of fees or charges not exceed a period of 5 years and that the schedule be adopted pursuant to existing law providing notice, protest, and hearing procedures for the levying of new or increased fees and charges by local government agencies.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 07/07/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">AB 3037 Eng</a> (D)</p> <p>Boards and commissions.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY DEAD 06/02/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was INACTIVE FILE</p>	<p>Would also require the committee to consider as a factor whether the functions of the board would be accomplished more effectively if the board were replaced by a single executive officer.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/21/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 140 Kehoe</a> (D)</p> <p>State property: City of San Diego.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. 08/05/2008-From committee: Do pass, but first be re-referred to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 9. Noes 0.) Re-referred to Com. on APPR.</p>	<p>Would authorize the director to sell, lease, exchange, or any combination thereof, approximately 2.7 acres of real property in the City of San Diego that is specifically declared not to be surplus to the needs of the state, and, in return, to acquire up to 120,000 net square feet of usable office and related space for consolidated administrative operations of the state. The bill would also provide that funds derived from the sale or exchange of the real property would be appropriated to the Department of General Services to expend for the purposes of the bill. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 07/03/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 410 Simitian</a> (D)</p> <p>Energy: renewable energy resources.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY THIRD READING 08/05/2008-From inactive file to third reading file.</p>	<p>Would instead recommend that allocations not be made for electricity that is generated by an in-state renewable electricity generation facility having an electricity purchase contract with an electrical corporation originally entered into prior to September 24, 1996, whether amended or restated thereafter. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 05/31/2007</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 411 Simitian</a> (D)</p> <p>Energy: renewable</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 07/30/2008-Hearing postponed by</p>	<p>Would require a retail seller , subject to certain conditions, to increase its total procurement of eligible renewable energy resources so that at least 33% of its retail sales are procured from eligible renewable energy resources no later than December 31, 2020 . This bill contains other related provisions.</p>	

energy resources.	committee. (Refers to 8/30/2007 hearing)	<b>Last Amended on 07/17/2007</b>	
<a href="#">SB 447</a> <a href="#">Maldonado</a> (R)  Junk dealers.	ASSEMBLY THIRD READING 06/11/2008-Read second time. To third reading.	Would require a junk dealer or recycler to report that information to the chief of police of the city or the sheriff of the county in which the junk dealer or recycler sold or purchased the junk.  <b>Last Amended on 01/18/2008</b>	Watch
<a href="#">SB 456</a> <a href="#">Simitian</a> (D)  Diacetyl.	ASSEMBLY THIRD READING 07/15/2008-From inactive file to third reading file.	Would prohibit, on and after June 1, 2008, a person from manufacturing, processing, or distributing in commerce a product containing diacetyl, except that this prohibition may be delayed, as prescribed.  <b>Last Amended on 08/31/2007</b>	
<a href="#">SB 463</a> <a href="#">Negrete McLeod</a> (D)  Energy: biogas digester customer-generator pilot program.	ASSEMBLY U. & C. 06/25/2007-Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.	Would impose a limit on the price for kilowatthours in a purchase agreement.  <b>Last Amended on 05/01/2007</b>	
<a href="#">SB 509</a> <a href="#">Simitian</a> (D)  Consumer products: content information.	ASSEMBLY THIRD READING 07/15/2008-From inactive file to third reading file.	Would exclude from this prohibition a person engaged in the business of wholesale or retail distribution of a product. It would declare that its provisions are severable, and if any provision of the bill is held invalid, that invalidity would not affect other provisions or applications that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and would provide that its provisions shall only be implemented to the extent permitted by federal law.  <b>Last Amended on 06/24/2008</b>	
<a href="#">SB 908</a> <a href="#">Simitian</a> (D)  Environmental education.	SENATE VETOED 07/25/2008-Vetoed by the Governor	Existing law requires the Curriculum Development and Supplemental Materials Commission to recommend minimum standards of courses of study in the schools of the state. Existing law further requires the State Board of Education and the State Department of Education to revise the framework in science to include specified topics in environmental education. This bill additionally would require climate change to be included among those topics.  <b>Last Amended on 01/08/2008</b>	
<a href="#">SB 1016</a> <a href="#">Wiggins</a> (D)  Diversion: compliance: per capita disposal rate.	ASSEMBLY THIRD READING 07/15/2008-Read second time. To third reading.	Would define the terms "diversion program," "jurisdiction," and "multicounty regional agency," for purposes of the act and would revise the definitions of the terms "rural city" and "rural county." The bill would delete the condition that the solid waste subject to source reduction, recycling, and composting under these provisions, be diverted from landfill disposal or transformation. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.  <b>Last Amended on 07/02/2008</b>	Support if Amended

<p><a href="#">SB 1020</a> <a href="#">Padilla</a> (D)</p> <p>Solid waste: diversion.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 08/05/2008-Hearing postponed by committee. (Refers to 8/30/2007 hearing)</p>	<p>Would require the board, by July 1, 2009, to develop a strategic and comprehensive plan to achieve, on or before January 1, 2020, a diversion of 75% of solid waste statewide from landfill disposal or transformation. This bill contains other related provisions.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 06/26/2007</b></p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p><a href="#">SB 1165</a> <a href="#">Kuehl</a> (D)</p> <p>Environment: environmental impact report.</p>	<p>SENATE DEAD 06/02/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was THIRD READING</p>	<p>Would authorize a person to submit information or other comments to the lead agency and require the lead agency to consider and retain communications made to the lead agency or its consultants. The bill would require the lead agency to retain, in the ordinary course of business, administrative drafts, as defined, of its EIR, negative declaration, or mitigated negative declarations that are circulated among the project applicant and any public agencies when the draft EIR, negative declaration, or mitigated negative declaration is available for public comment. The bill would require the lead agency, which includes a local agency, to retain any administrative draft, thereby imposing a state-mandated local program by requiring an increase in the level of service provided by a local agency. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 05/15/2008</b></p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p><a href="#">SB 1176</a> <a href="#">Perata</a> (D)</p> <p>Water quality.</p>	<p>SENATE DEAD 05/30/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was APPR. SUSPENSE FILE</p>	<p>Would make legislative findings and declarations related to the regional boards and their responsibilities under the Clean Water Act and the state act. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 03/25/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 1277</a> <a href="#">Maldonado</a> (R)</p> <p>Synthetic turf.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 06/18/2008-Set, first hearing. Referred to APPR. suspense file.</p>	<p>Would require, on or before September 1, 2010, the Integrated Waste Management Board, in consultation with the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment and the State Department of Public Health , to prepare and provide to the Legislature and post on the board's Internet Web site a study on the effects of synthetic turf and natural turf on the environment and public health .</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/08/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 1278</a> <a href="#">Maldonado</a> (R)</p> <p>Building standards: green building construction.</p>	<p>SENATE DEAD 06/02/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was E. U., &amp; C.</p>	<p>Would establish the Green Neighborhood Grant Act, to be administered by the State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission. Under the act, up to 3 grants would be awarded annually to private developers for residential development projects that have been certified by the Building Industry Institute as complying with the California Green Builder Program. Each grant would reimburse the developer for up to 1.5% of the total development cost of a certified residential development project. No more than one grant would be awarded annually to a developer for a residential development project located in a city with a population of greater than 1,000,000. Money for the grants would be paid from the General Fund, upon an appropriation by the Legislature.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 03/24/2008</b></p>	<p>Watch</p>

<p><a href="#"><u>SB 1321</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Correa</u></a> (D)</p> <p>School recycling programs.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 07/16/2008-Placed on APPR. suspense file.</p>	<p>Would express findings and declarations of the Legislature with respect to the potential benefits of school recycling programs. The bill would , until January 1, 2012, require each school district to consult with the local Community Conservation Corps to obtain information in order to establish a beverage container recycling program at each school campus and public office of that school district, but only to the extent that the district does not incur costs. Under the bill, a school district would be authorized to choose whether to operate its own beverage container recycling program, to contact its local Community Conservation Corps or another recycler to collect the beverage containers, to provide a beverage container collection program as a fundraising activity for the school district, or to continue a recycling program in existence on January 1, 2009. Because the bill would impose new duties on school districts, it would constitute a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 07/02/2008</b></p>	<p>Support if Amended</p>
<p><a href="#"><u>SB 1357</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Padilla</u></a> (D)</p> <p>Beverage containers: processing payments: grants.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 07/02/2008-Placed on APPR. suspense file.</p>	<p>Would additionally authorize the department to expend up to \$20,000,000 from July 1, 2009, through January 1, 2012, for either grants for beverage container recycling and litter reduction programs or focused, regional community beverage container recycling and litter reduction programs that meet specified requirements, thereby making an appropriation. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 05/27/2008</b></p>	<p>Support</p>
<p><a href="#"><u>SB 1395</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Corbett</u></a> (D)</p> <p>Lead plumbing: monitoring and compliance testing.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY THIRD READING 06/23/2008-From Consent Calendar to third reading.</p>	<p>Would establish lead plumbing monitoring and compliance testing as a part of the department's ongoing program to reduce toxic substances from the environment. The bill would require the department , based on its available resources and staffing, to annually select no more than 75 drinking water faucets or other drinking water plumbing fittings and fixtures for testing and evaluation , including the locations from which to select the faucets, fittings, and fixtures, to determine compliance with specified lead plumbing standards established pursuant to a separate provision of existing law. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 05/06/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#"><u>SB 1405</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Padilla</u></a> (D)</p> <p>Solid waste: loans: development projects: construction and demolition waste.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY NAT. RES. 06/26/2008-Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.</p>	<p>Would revise the conditions under which the board is required to issue those loans to require the board to expend at least 50% of the amount available annually in the subaccount for loan amounts that are not more than 3/4 of the cost of the project or not more than \$2,000,000 for the project, whichever is less. The board would be required to expend not more than 50% of the amount available annually in the subaccount for loans under which the maximum loan amount is limited to 3/4 of the cost of each project or not more than \$5,000,000 for each project, whichever is less, and the project is for the diversion of priority materials from landfill disposal, as determined by the board. The bill would make an appropriation by changing the conditions under which the board may expend moneys from a continuously appropriated fund. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 06/19/2008</b></p>	<p>Watch</p>

<p><a href="#"><u>SB 1426</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Calderon</u></a> (D)</p> <p>Recycled material.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY INACTIVE FILE 07/14/2008-From Consent Calendar. Placed on inactive file on request of Assembly Member Torrico.</p>	<p>Would require the Department of General Services to post on its Internet Web site guidance to assist businesses in determining if their products, materials, goods, or supplies offered or sold to the state meet those minimum content requirements, as provided.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/09/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#"><u>SB 1473</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Calderon</u></a> (D)</p> <p>Building standards.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 07/09/2008-Placed on APPR. suspense file.</p>	<p>Would require each city, county, or city and county to collect a fee from any applicant for a building permit, assessed at the rate of \$4 per \$100,000 in valuation, as determined by the local building official, with appropriate fractions thereof, but not less than \$1. The bill would authorize the city, county, or city and county to retain not more than 10% of the fees collected for related administrative costs and for code enforcement education, including certifications in the voluntary construction inspector certification program. The bill would require the city, county, or city and county to transmit the remainder to the commission for deposit in the Building Standards Administration Special Revolving Fund which the bill would establish in the State Treasury. The bill would establish a state-mandated local program by imposing additional duties on local government. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/21/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#"><u>SB 1574</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Florez</u></a> (D)</p> <p>Underground storage tanks: biodiesel.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY THIRD READING 08/04/2008-From Consent Calendar to third reading.</p>	<p>Would define the term "biodiesel" and would provide that an underground storage tank that contains biodiesel would be deemed to be in compliance with the requirements imposed upon underground storage tanks storing hazardous substances and petroleum underground storage tanks, if the tank meets certain requirements that are imposed upon an underground storage tank containing diesel and the local agency determines the underground storage tank containing biodiesel employs best management practices, thereby imposing a state-mandated local program by imposing new duties upon local agencies . The bill would provide this exemption would be operative only until the board determines that the Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. has established a certification standard for underground storage tanks that contain biodiesel, or until January 1, 2011 , whichever date is sooner. The bill would authorize a local agency that determines an underground storage tank storing biodiesel that is otherwise deemed to be in compliance by the bill poses a risk to water quality, to take enforcement action with regard to that underground storage tank. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 07/01/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#"><u>SB 1575</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Florez</u></a> (D)</p> <p>Department of Toxic Substances Control: consumer product recall enforcement.</p>	<p>SENATE DEAD 05/30/2008-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(b)(11). Last location was APPR. SUSPENSE FILE</p>	<p>Would establish the Consumer Product Recall Protection and Enforcement Act. The act would prohibit a person from manufacturing, producing, selling, offering for sale or distribution, or keeping for sale or distribution within the State of California, or introducing into this state, any consumer product subject to a recall, as defined , knowing that the product is subject to a recall . The act would prohibit any person from importing or delivering to any other person, or manufacturing, producing, selling, or offering or keeping for sale in the State of California, any consumer product subject to a recall knowing that the product is subject to a recall . This bill contains other related provisions and</p>	

		<p>other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/22/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 1625 Corbett (D)</a></p> <p>Recycling: CRV containers.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 07/02/2008-Placed on APPR. suspense file.</p>	<p>Would rename the act as the California Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act. The bill would define the term "plastic bottle" as an individual rigid or semirigid container with a body consisting primarily of plastic and with a neck narrower than the body in which one gallon or less of any nonbeverage product is sold. The bill would define the term "CRV container" to mean a beverage container or a plastic bottle and would provide that the term "beverage container," when used in the act, means a CRV container. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/21/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 1663 Denham (R)</a></p> <p>Used and waste tires: grants.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 06/18/2008-Set, first hearing. Referred to APPR. suspense file.</p>	<p>Would additionally require the tire recycling program to include the awarding of grants to cities, counties, and other local government and nonprofit entities to provide assistance to owners of farm property used for specified agricultural activities. The bill would require the grants to be expended only for the purposes of facilitating compliance with the requirements imposed upon the transportation of used and waste tires and for the removal of illegally disposed tires. The bill would make this grant program inoperative on June 20, 2012, and would repeal the provisions authorizing the program on January 1, 2013. This bill contains other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 04/21/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 1672 Steinberg (D)</a></p> <p>Energy: Renewable Energy, Climate Change, Career Technical Education, and Clean Technology Job Creation Bond Act of 2010.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 07/09/2008-Placed on APPR. suspense file.</p>	<p>Would create the Renewable Energy, Climate Change, Career Technical Education, and Clean Technology Job Creation Council comprised of 5 members. The council would be required to issue guidelines to implement the purposes of this act.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 07/02/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 1699 Wiggins (D)</a></p> <p>Public contracts: health care districts: design-build.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY INACTIVE FILE 07/03/2008-Placed on inactive file on request of Assembly Member Torrico.</p>	<p>Would permit the Sonoma Valley Health Care District to use this design-build process when contracting for the construction of a building and improvements directly related to a hospital or health facility building at the Sonoma Valley Hospital . This bill contains other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 06/23/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 1723 Maldonado (R)</a></p>	<p>ASSEMBLY THIRD READING 08/04/2008-From</p>	<p>Would require every person who is the first to sell any agricultural- or structural-use pesticide product for use in this state that is packaged in rigid, nonrefillable, high-density polyethylene (HDPE) containers of 55 gallons or less to establish a recycling program, or demonstrate</p>	Support

<p>Agriculture: pesticide recycling program and certification.</p>	<p>Consent Calendar to third reading.</p>	<p>participation in a recycling program to ensure HDPE containers are recycled. Container recycling would be required to comply with specified standards, as published in February 2006, and the recycling program would be required to be certified as being in compliance by a specified 3rd-party organization. This bill would require that records required by those standards shall be maintained for 3 years and shall be subject to audit by the director. The bill would provide that any person who is required to establish or participate in this recycling program shall provide to the director, at least annually, a document certifying that this requirement has been met. The bill would allow the director to adopt regulations to carry out the purpose of these requirements, and state the Legislature's intent that any regulatory standards adopted by the department shall be at least as stringent as those standards published in February 2006, as specified. The bill would require specified information be posted on the department's Internet Web site commencing on September 1, 2010. A violation of these requirements would be punishable by a civil fine.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 06/25/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 1754</a> <a href="#">Kehoe (D)</a></p> <p>Energy: California Alternative Energy and Advanced Transportation Financing Authority.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY THIRD READING 08/05/2008-Read second time. To third reading.</p>	<p>Would additionally authorize the authority to purchase alternative source energy or projects for sale to a specified participating party and to make a loan to a participating party to purchase alternative source energy or projects. The bill would require the authority to ensure that a financed project is limited to resources that the authority determines support the state's goals for the reduction of emissions of greenhouse gases. The bill would make conforming changes. This bill contains other related provisions.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 07/14/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 1760</a> <a href="#">Perata (D)</a></p> <p>Energy: greenhouse gas emissions.</p>	<p>ASSEMBLY APPR. SUSPENSE FILE 07/02/2008-Placed on APPR. suspense file.</p>	<p>Would create the Climate Action Team (CAT), consisting of representatives from specified state agencies, that would be responsible for coordinating the state's overall climate policy. The CAT, on or before January 1, 2010, and annually thereafter, would be required to prepare, adopt, and present to the Legislature, a strategic research, development, and demonstration plan (plan) that establishes priorities and identifies key expenditure categories for research, development, demonstration, and deployment funds to be expended by the state agencies represented on the CAT for the following fiscal year. The CAT, on or before January 1, 2010, and biennially thereafter, would be required to prepare and adopt a climate change impact adaptation and protection plan that includes specified information. The bill would require research, development, and demonstration funds that are administered by the Department of Transportation and are allocated for clean technology, environmental protection, and public interest energy research to be expended consistent with the plan. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p><b>Last Amended on 05/27/2008</b></p>	
<p><a href="#">SB 1781</a> <b>Committee on Environmental Quality</b></p>	<p>ASSEMBLY THIRD READING 08/05/2008-From inactive file to third reading file.</p>	<p>Would remove a nonprofit dropoff program from the list of entities to which a refund is required to be paid and would delete the definition of, and all references to, nonprofit dropoff programs. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p>	

Environmental quality: solid waste management: used and waste tires: ballast water management.			
<a href="#">SCA 12</a> <a href="#">Torlakson (D)</a>  Local government: property-related fees.	SENATE THIRD READING 07/12/2007-Read second time. To third reading.	Would additionally exclude fees and charges for stormwater and urban runoff management from these approval requirements for the imposition or increase of a property-related fee or charge.  <b>Last Amended on 06/18/2007</b>	
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