

SBACC Status Report
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Measure	Summary	Status / Location	Organization	Position
AB 36 Bloom D	<p>Residential tenancies: rent control. The Costa-Hawkins Rental Housing Act prescribes statewide limits on the application of local rent control with regard to certain properties. This bill would modify those provisions to authorize an owner of residential real property to establish the initial and all subsequent rental rates for a dwelling or unit that has been issued its first certificate of occupancy within 20 years of the date upon which the owner seeks to establish the initial or subsequent rental rate, or for a dwelling or unit that is alienable separate from the title to any other dwelling unit or is a subdivided interest in a subdivision and the owner is a natural person who owns 10 or fewer residential units within the same jurisdiction as the dwelling or unit for which the owner seeks to establish the initial or subsequent rental rate, subject to certain exceptions. (Amended: 4/22/2019 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 2/3/2020-From committee: Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56. Location: 1/31/2020-A. DEAD</p>	SBACC	Oppose
AB 246 Mathis R	<p>State highways: property leases. Would y authorize the Department of Transportation to offer a lease on a right of first refusal basis of any airspace under a freeway, or real property acquired for highway purposes, located in a disadvantaged community, that is not excess property to the city or county in which the disadvantaged community is located for purposes of an emergency shelter or feeding program, or for park, recreational, or open-space purposes for a rental amount of \$1 per month, subject to certain conditions. (Introduced: 1/22/2019 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 2/3/2020-From committee: Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56. Location: 1/17/2020-A. DEAD</p>	SBACC	Support
AB 535 Brough R	<p>Personal income taxes: credit: professional license fees. Would allow a credit against personal income taxes for each taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2021, and before January 1, 2026, in an amount equal to 50% of the cost paid or incurred during the taxable year for an initial professional license fee. The bill also would include additional information required for any bill authorizing a new income tax credit. (Amended: 1/15/2020 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 2/3/2020-From committee: Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56. Location: 1/31/2020-A. DEAD</p>	SBACC	Support

<p>AB 628 Bonta D</p>	<p>Employment: victims of sexual harassment: protections. Current law prohibits an employer from discharging or discriminating or retaliating against, an employee who is a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking because of the employee's status as a victim, if the employer has notice or knowledge of that status. Current law additionally prohibits an employer with 25 or more employees from discharging, or discriminating or retaliating against, an employee who is a victim, in this regard, who takes time off to obtain specified services or counseling. This bill would extend these employment protections to victims of sexual harassment, as defined. The bill would also extend these employment protections to specified family members, as defined, of the victims for taking time off from work to provide assistance to the victims when seeking relief or obtaining those services and counseling, as specified. (Amended: 5/16/2019 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 2/3/2020-Died on unfinished business file, reconsideration pending. Location: 2/3/2020-A. DEAD</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p>AB 648 Nazarian D</p>	<p>Wellness programs. Would prohibit health care service plans and insurers from sharing any personal information or data collected through a wellness program, except as specified, and would prohibit health care service plans or insurers from taking any adverse action, as defined, against an enrollee or member, or insured (individual), if the action of the health care service plans or insurers is in response to an individual's election to not participate in a wellness program. (Amended: 1/23/2020 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 1/28/2020-In Senate. Read first time. To Com. on RLS. for assignment. Location: 1/28/2020-S. RLS.</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p>AB 713 Mullin D</p>	<p>California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018. The California Consumer Privacy Act of 2018 (CCPA) grants a consumer various rights with regard to personal information relating to that consumer collected by a business. The act also grants a consumer the right to request a business to delete any personal information about the consumer collected by the business and requires a business to do so upon receipt of a verified request, except as specified. The act excepts certain categories of personal information and entities from its provisions, including medical information, as specified. This bill would except from the CCPA information that was deidentified in accordance with specified federal law, was derived from protected health information, individually identifiable health information, or identifiable private information, consistent with specified federal policy, as provided. (Amended: 1/23/2020 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 1/23/2020-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Com. on JUD. Location: 1/9/2020-S. JUD.</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Support</p>

<p>AB 764 Bonta D</p>	<p>Sugar-sweetened beverages: nonsale distribution incentives. Would regulate promotion and marketing activities related to sugar-sweetened beverages, as defined, by prohibiting a beverage company, as defined, manufacturer, or distributor, as defined, from giving or offering incentives or other financial support to compensate distributors or retailers for the cost of promotional offers, coupons, or other incentives offered to consumers for branded products of the beverage company. The bill would exempt from that prohibition contracts between a beverage company, manufacturer, or distributor and a theme or amusement park, zoo, other attraction, or professional sports stadium that include nonfood promotions. (Amended: 5/28/2019 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 2/3/2020-Died on inactive file. Location: 2/3/2020-A. DEAD</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p>AB 882 McCarty D</p>	<p>Discrimination in employment: drug rehabilitation programs. Under the California Fair Employment and Housing Act, it is unlawful to engage in specified discriminatory employment practices, including hiring, promotion, and termination based on certain protected characteristics, including race, unless based on a bona fide occupational qualification or applicable security regulations. The act also prohibits housing discrimination based on specified personal characteristics, including physical or mental disability. This bill would revise the definitions of “physical disability” and “mental disability” to include a person who has completed, or is in the process of completing, a rehabilitation program to end illegal drug use, or who is erroneously regarded to be engaging in illegal drug use. (Amended: 1/6/2020 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 2/3/2020-From committee: Filed with the Chief Clerk pursuant to Joint Rule 56. Location: 1/24/2020-A. DEAD</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p>AB 1066 Gonzalez D</p>	<p>Unemployment insurance: trade disputes: eligibility for benefits. Would restore eligibility for unemployment benefits after the first 3 weeks of a trade dispute for an employee who left work because of the trade dispute. The bill would also codify specified case law that holds that employees who left work due to a lockout by the employer, even if it was in anticipation of a trade dispute, are eligible for benefits. The bill would specify that the bill's provisions do not diminish eligibility for benefits of individuals deprived of work due to an employer lockout or similar action, as specified. (Amended: 8/30/2019 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 1/13/2020-Ordered to inactive file at the request of Senator Leyva. Location: 1/13/2020-S. INACTIVE FILE</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>

<p>AB 1907 Santiago D</p>	<p>California Environmental Quality Act: emergency shelters: supportive and affordable housing: exemption. Would, until January 1, 2029, exempt from environmental review under CEQA certain activities approved by or carried out by a public agency in furtherance of providing emergency shelters, supportive housing, or affordable housing, as each is defined. The bill would require a lead agency that determines to carry out or approve an activity that is within this CEQA exemption to file a notice of exemption, as specified. (Introduced: 1/8/2020 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 1/30/2020-Referred to Coms. on NAT. RES. and H. & C.D. Location: 1/30/2020-A. NAT. RES.</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Watch</p>
<p>ACA 1 Aguiar-Curry D</p>	<p>Local government financing: affordable housing and public infrastructure: voter approval. The California Constitution prohibits the ad valorem tax rate on real property from exceeding 1% of the full cash value of the property, subject to certain exceptions. This measure would create an additional exception to the 1% limit that would authorize a city, county, city and county, or special district to levy an ad valorem tax to service bonded indebtedness incurred to fund the construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, or replacement of public infrastructure, affordable housing, or permanent supportive housing, or the acquisition or lease of real property for those purposes, if the proposition proposing that tax is approved by 55% of the voters of the city, county, or city and county, as applicable, and the proposition includes specified accountability requirements. (Amended: 3/18/2019 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 8/19/2019-Read third time. Refused adoption. Motion to reconsider made by Assembly Member Aguiar-Curry. Location: 5/20/2019-A. RECONSIDERATION</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p>ACA 14 Gonzalez D</p>	<p>University of California: support services: equal employment opportunity standards. Would enact the University of California Equal Employment Opportunity Standards Act, which would, effective January 1, 2021, except as specified, require the regents to ensure that all contract workers, as defined, who are paid to perform support services for students, faculty, patients, or the general public at any campus, dining hall, medical center, clinic, research facility, laboratory, or other university location, are at all times subject to and afforded the same equal employment opportunity standards, as defined, as university employees performing similar services. (Amended: 8/30/2019 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 9/14/2019-Read third time. Refused adoption. Reconsideration granted. Location: 9/3/2019-S. THIRD READING</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>

<p>SB 37 Skinner D</p>	<p>Corporation taxes: tax rates. The Corporation Tax Law imposes taxes according to or measured by net income at a rate of 8.84%, or for financial institutions, at a rate of 10.84%, as specified. This bill would, for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2020, revise that rate for corporations with net income subject to taxes under that law of \$10,000,000 or more to instead impose a tax rate from 10.84% to 14.84%, or for financial institutions, from 12.84% to 16.84%, based on the compensation ratio, as defined, of the corporation. The bill would increase those new applicable tax rates by a factor of 1.5 for those taxpayers that have a specified decrease in full-time employees employed in the United States as compared to an increase in contracted employees or foreign full-time employees, as described. (Amended: 1/16/2020 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 2/3/2020-Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56. Location: 2/3/2020-S. DEAD</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p>SB 246 Wieckowski D</p>	<p>Oil and gas severance tax. Current law imposes various taxes, including taxes on the privilege of engaging in certain activities. The Fee Collection Procedures Law, the violation of which is a crime, provides procedures for the collection of certain fees and surcharges. This bill would impose an oil and gas severance tax upon any operator for the privilege of severing oil or gas from the earth or water in this state at specified rates, calculated as provided. (Amended: 1/6/2020 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 2/3/2020-Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56. Location: 2/3/2020-S. DEAD</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p>SB 567 Caballero D</p>	<p>Workers' compensation: hospital employees. Would define "injury," for a hospital employee who provides direct patient care in an acute care hospital, to include infectious diseases and musculoskeletal injuries. The bill would create rebuttable presumptions that these injuries that develop or manifest in a hospital employee who provides direct patient care in an acute care hospital arose out of and in the course of the employment. The bill would extend these presumptions for specified time periods after the hospital employee's termination of employment. The bill would also make related findings and declarations. (Amended: 1/8/2020 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 2/4/2020-Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56. Location: 1/17/2020-S. DEAD</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p>SB 669 Caballero D</p>	<p>Water quality: Safe Drinking Water Fund. Would establish the Safe Drinking Water Fund in the State Treasury and would provide that moneys in the fund are continuously appropriated to the State Water Resources Control Board. The bill would require the state board to administer the fund to assist community water systems in disadvantaged communities that are chronically noncompliant relative to the federal and state drinking water standards and do not have the financial capacity to pay for operation and maintenance costs to comply with those standards, as specified. (Introduced: 2/22/2019 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 2/3/2020-Returned to Secretary of Senate pursuant to Joint Rule 56. Location: 2/3/2020-S. DEAD</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Support</p>

<p>SB 749 Durazo D</p>	<p>California Public Records Act: trade secrets. Would provide that specified records of a private industry employer that are prepared, owned, used, or retained by a public agency are not trade secrets and are public records, including certain records relating to employment terms and conditions of employees working for a private industry employer pursuant to a contract with a public agency, records of compliance with local, state, or federal domestic content requirements, and records of a private industry employer's compliance with job creation, job quality, or job retention obligations contained in a contract or agreement with a state or local agency. (Amended: 9/10/2019 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 9/15/2019-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a) (15). (Last location was INACTIVE FILE on 9/13/2019)(May be acted upon Jan 2020) Location: 9/15/2019-A. 2 YEAR</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p>SB 873 Jackson D</p>	<p>Gender: discrimination: pricing. Would prohibit a business establishment from discriminating against a person because of a person's gender with respect to the price charged for any 2 consumer products from the same manufacturer that are substantially similar if those products are priced differently based on the gender of the individuals for whose use the products are intended or marketed, as specified. The bill would make the department responsible for receiving, investigating, conciliating, mediating, and prosecuting complaints alleging violations of these provisions. (Amended: 3/16/2020 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 3/16/2020-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on JUD. Location: 1/29/2020-S. JUD.</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
<p>SB 996 Portantino D</p>	<p>State Water Resources Control Board: Constituents of Emerging Concern Program. Would require the State Water Resources Control Board to establish, maintain, and direct an ongoing, dedicated program called the Constituents of Emerging Concern Program to assess the state of information and recommend areas for further study on constituents of emerging concern in drinking water that may pose risks to public health. The bill would require the state board to establish the Stakeholder Advisory Group and, by an unspecified date, the Science Advisory Panel, both as prescribed, to assist in the gathering and development of information for the program, among other functions. The bill would require the program to provide opportunities for public participation, including conducting stakeholder meetings and workshops to solicit relevant information and feedback for development and implementation of the program. (Amended: 4/1/2020 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 4/1/2020-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on EQ. Hearing: 4/15/2020 9:30 a.m. - Room 3191 <i>SENATE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY, ALLEN, Chair</i> Location: 3/5/2020-S. E.Q.</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Support</p>

<p>SCA 5</p> <p>Hill D</p>	<p>Taxation: school districts: parcel tax.</p> <p>The California Constitution generally conditions the imposition of a special tax by a city, county, or special district, including a school district, upon the approval of 2/3 of the voters of the city, county, or special district voting on that tax. This bill would condition the imposition, extension, or increase of a parcel tax, as defined, by a school district or community college district upon the approval of 55% of its voters voting on the proposition, if the proposition meets specified requirements. The measure would also make conforming changes to related provisions. (Amended: 4/22/2019 html pdf)</p>	<p>Status: 5/21/2019-Ordered to inactive file on request of Senator Hill.</p> <p>Location: 5/21/2019-S. INACTIVE FILE</p>	<p>SBACC</p>	<p>Oppose</p>
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