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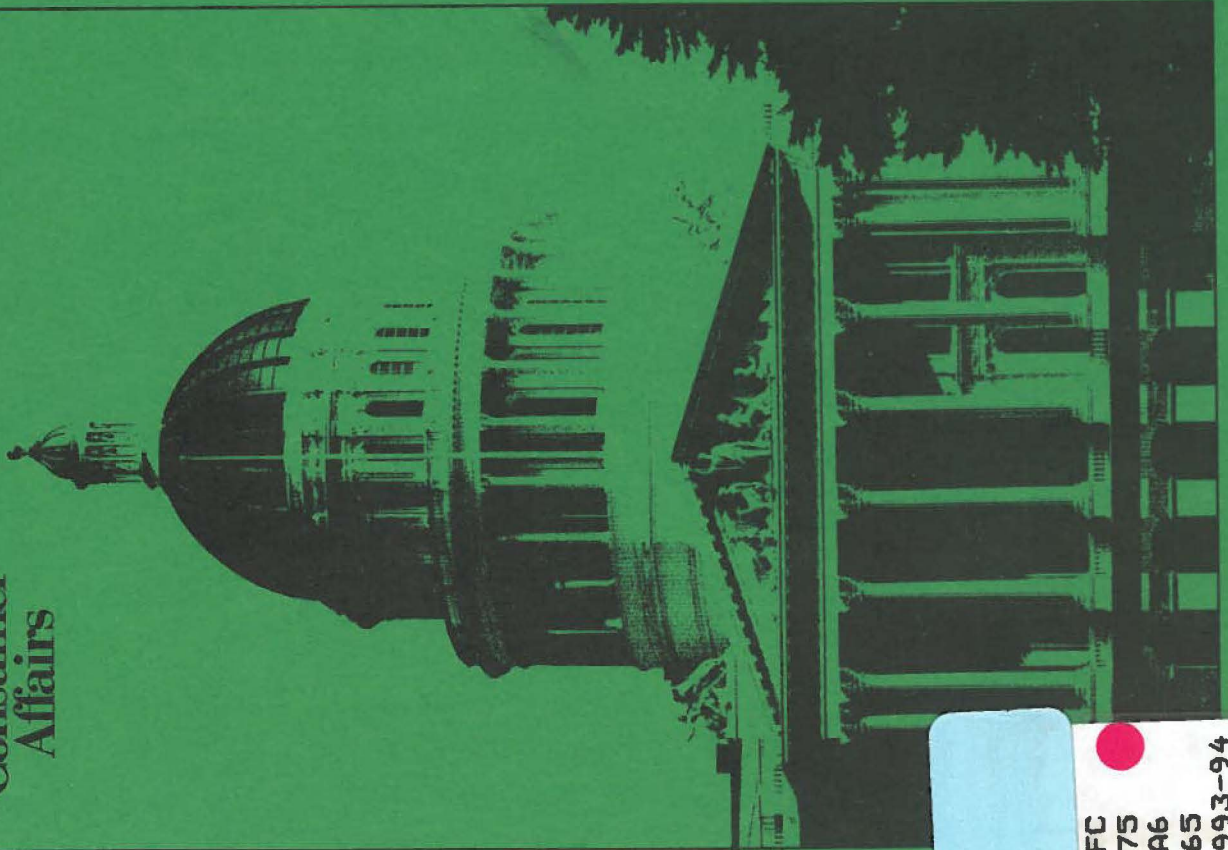
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## Forward

The 1993-1994 Legislative Digest contains summaries of significant legislation to the Department of Consumer Affairs, its licensees, and consumers throughout the state. While the text is edited to provide accurate and current information about each legislative proposal, readers should obtain copies of specific bills or consult relevant codes when relying on cited material.

You may obtain copies of bills by contacting your local legislator, by writing to the Secretary of State, Archives, 201 North Sunrise, Roseville, California 95661, or by calling the Secretary of State's Office at (916) 773-3000.

The Digest is organized to help you readily identify a specific bill by any of several methods: bill number, subject matter or category, or chapter number if the bill was passed by the Legislature and signed by the Governor.

The Digest presents the bills, generally, within three major categories - consumer protection, occupational regulation, and Department of Consumer Affairs (general). Each category contains one or more subcategories. Because of the nature of the issues addressed in a particular bill, you may find it referenced in more than one category or subcategory.

Part I is organized alphabetically, by a one-line subject heading, within each subcategory. The subject heading refers you to the bill number, and indicates the disposition of the bill at the close of the 1993-1994 legislative session.

Part II is organized numerically, by assembly or senate bill number, under each subcategory. Part II contains a short summary of each bill and its disposition at the end of the 1993-1994 legislative session.

Part III is an Appendix containing a Bill Number Index and a Chaptered Bill Index. Each index specifies all pages in the Digest that reference the particular bill. The Appendix also includes a Department of Consumer Affairs Directory that identifies all boards and bureaus within the department.

For brevity, we have used abbreviations throughout the Digest text to reference various California Codes. You will find a key to the abbreviations in the Appendix.

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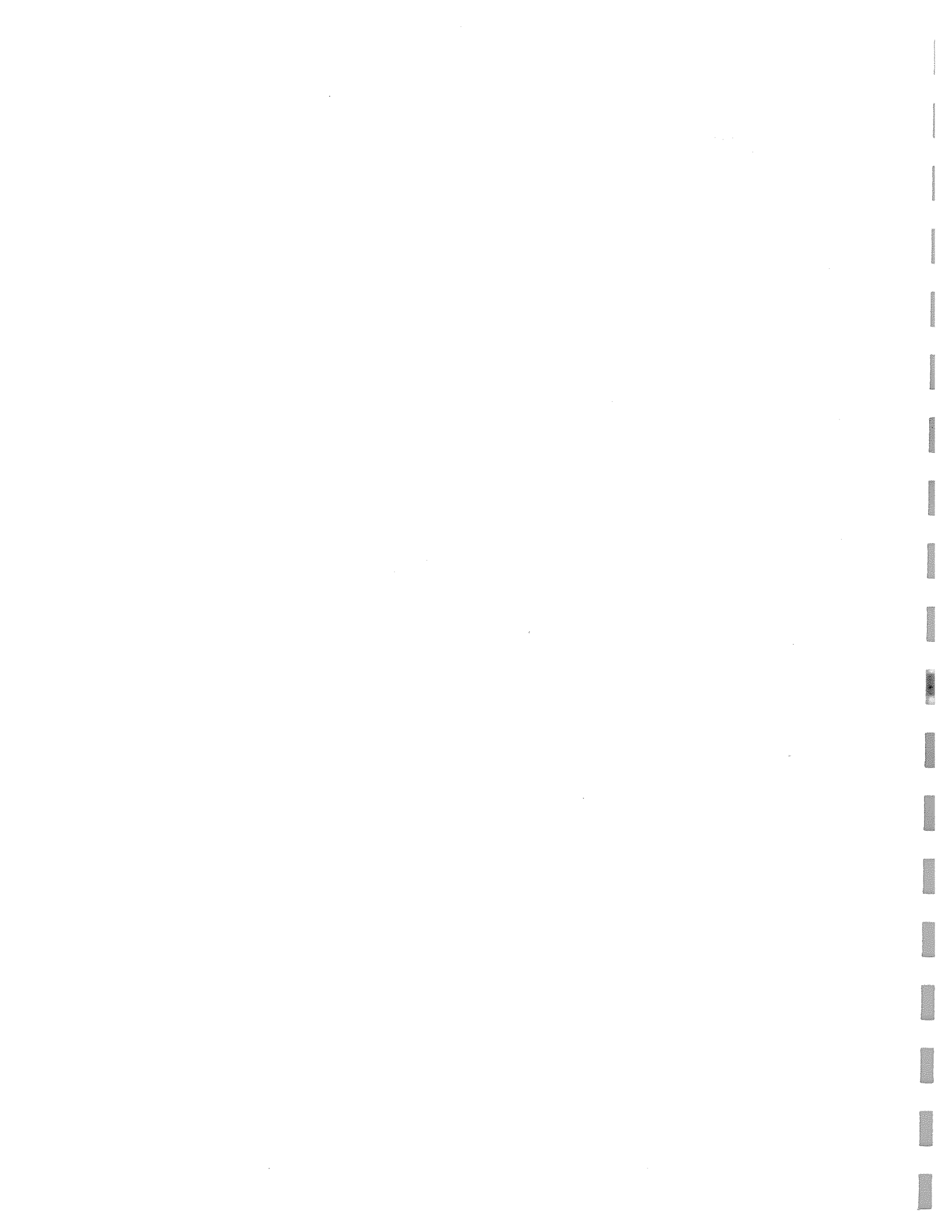
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**7. MOBILEHOMES (cont.)**

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[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053, SB 2101)]

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[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)]

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[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 2384, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053, SB 2101)]

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Air Pollution: Target Pollution Miles	SB 2050	Chapter 1192
Air Pollution: Vehicles: Fees	SB 1070	Failed Senate
Air Pollution: Vehicles: Zero-Emissions	AB 2495	Failed Assembly
Air Quality Management Districts: Budget	SB 1634	Failed Senate
Antifreeze: Surcharge	SB 981	Failed Senate
Automotive Repair: Bureau of Automotive Repair	AB 948	Failed Assembly
Bay District: Ozone	SB 1113	Failed Assembly
Motor Vehicle Inspection Program	AB 1119	Failed Assembly
Motor Vehicle Inspection Program Extension	SB 119	Failed Senate
Motor Vehicle Insurance	SB 684	Failed Senate
Motor Vehicles: Air Pollution: High Polluters	SB 198	Chapter 28
Petroleum Products: Internal Combustion Fuels	AB 3223	Chapter 521
Pickup Trucks: Campers	AB 1158	Failed Senate
Public Utilities: Electric and Natural Gas Vehicles	SB 1819	Failed Senate
Public Utilities: Special Programs	AB 3239	Chapter 1000
Regional Transportation: Southern	SB 662	Failed Assembly
Registration Fees: Mailings	AB 2325	Failed Assembly
Safety Inspections	AB 3724	Failed Senate

#### 4. BUREAU OF AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR (cont.)

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
San Francisco Bay Area: Regional Growth Management	SB 153	Failed Senate
Serious Air Pollution: Attainment Plan: Trip Reduction	AB 3665	Failed Assembly
Transportation	AB 3132	Chapter 1220
Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program	AB 3104	Failed Assembly
Vehicle Occupational Licensing: Injunctive Relief	AB 3312	Chapter 584
Vehicles	HR 12	Adopted
Vehicles: Compressed Fuel	AB 3127	Failed Senate
Vehicles: Inspection	AB 1633	Chapter 58
Vehicles: Inspection and Maintenance: Emissions Reduction	AB 2018	Chapter 27
Vehicles: Inspection and Maintenance: Emissions Reduction	SB 629	Chapter 1
Vehicles: Inspection and Maintenance: Emissions Reduction	SB 1195	Failed Senate
Vehicles: Inspection and Maintenance Program: Test-Only Stations	SB 521	Chapter 29
Vehicles: Odometers	AB 1876	Failed Assembly
Vehicles: Smog Checks	SB 39	Chapter 85
Vehicles: Theft Prevention Insurance Frauds Prevention	SB 1833	Chapter 1008
Vehicles: Third-Party Claims	SB 8	Failed Assembly
Vehicles: Total Loss Salvage	AB 2317	Failed Assembly
Vehicles: Zero Emission: Fees and Taxes	SB 334	Failed Senate

[See DCA General (AB 1807, SB 2038, SB 2053, SB 2101)]

#### 5. BOARD OF BARBERING AND COSMETOLOGY

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Barbering and Cosmetology: Continuing Education	AB 292	Vetoed
Cosmetology: Externship Program	SB 1498	Chapter 1142
Unemployment Insurance: Booth Renters	AB 1358	Vetoed

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)]

**6. BOARD OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE EXAMINERS**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Alcohol and Drug Treatment Professionals	AB 79	Failed Senate
Family Counselors and Social Workers: Licensure Fees	SB 2109	Failed Senate
Healing Arts	SB 2039	Chapter 1274
Healing Arts: Counselors and Social Workers	AB 2956	Chapter 474
Marriage, Family, and Child Counselors: Licensure Requirement	SB 133	Chapter 116
Psychotherapist-Patient Privilege	AB 2659	Chapter 1270

[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)]

**7. CEMETERY BOARD**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Consumer Affairs: Consolidation of Regulatory Agencies	SB 2037	Failed Senate
Consumer Affairs Boards	AB 1392	Chapter 570
Human Remains: Cremation	SB 155	Failed Senate
Public Cemetery Districts	SB 1562	Failed Assembly

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)]

**8. CONTRACTORS STATE LICENSE BOARD**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Construction: Crimes	SB 634	Chapter 175
Construction Lenders	AB 3087	Chapter 782
Contractors: Advertising	SB 1694	Chapter 413
Contractors: Bond	AB 3300	Failed Senate
Contractors: Construction Management	AB 2934	Chapter 647
Contractors: Discipline: Bond	AB 3475	Chapter 192
Contractors: Disclosure and Notice	AB 3001	Chapter 783
Contractors: Examination: Waiver	AB 3292	Failed Senate
Contractors: Excavations and Subsurface Installations	AB 2719	Chapter 362
Contractors: Failure To Pay Money Due	AB 3294	Failed Senate



**8. CONTRACTORS STATE LICENSE BOARD (cont.)**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Contractors: Fire Protection Systems: Exemptions	AB 2646	Chapter 185
Contractors: Fire Protection Systems: Property Owners	AB 2665	Failed Assembly
Contractors: Home Improvement Business	SB 1808	Failed Senate
Contractors: Interior Designers	AB 2723	Failed Assembly
Contractors: Licensing	AB 3293	Failed Assembly
Contractors: Real Estate or Property Manager Exemption	AB 2636	Chapter 361
Contractors: Records	AB 2044	Failed Assembly
Contractors: Substantial Compliance	SB 1844	Chapter 550
Contractors' State License Board: Composition	AB 203	Chapter 279
Contracts	SB 949	Failed Assembly
Disaster Relief	SB 1588	Failed Assembly
Home Inspectors	AB 2780	Failed Senate
Licensing	AB 3302	Chapter 1135
Mechanics' Liens, Stop Notices, and Bond Rights: Waiver	AB 1845	Failed Assembly
Private Works of Improvement	AB 2962	Chapter 1046
Public Utilities	AB 2363	Failed Assembly
Retail Installment Contracts: Home Improvement Business	AB 3269	Chapter 888
San Diego County Construction Contractors Council	AB 3528	Failed Senate
Works of Improvement	AB 3357	Chapter 974
Works of Improvement: Stop Notices	SB 920	Failed Assembly

**9. COURT REPORTERS BOARD OF CALIFORNIA**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Court Reporters	AB 721	Failed Assembly
Court Reporters: Notes	SB 1671	Chapter 390
Shorthand Reporters	AB 3670	Chapter 660
Court Reporters: Unprofessional Conduct	AB 3657	Failed Assembly

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)]

**10. BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Allied Dental Health Professional	AB 221	Failed Senate
Dental Plans	SB 719	Failed Senate
Dentistry	AB 2954	Failed Assembly
Dentists: Continuing Education: Required Coursework	AB 2821	Chapter 400
Dentists: Professional Reporting	AB 559	Chapter 468
Dentists: Unprofessional Conduct	AB 2820	Chapter 365
Laser Radiation	AB 720	Failed Assembly

[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)]

**11. COMMITTEE ON DENTAL AUXILIARIES**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Allied Dental Health Professional	AB 221	Failed Senate
Dentistry	AB 2954	Failed Assembly

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)]

**12. BUREAU OF ELECTRONIC AND APPLIANCE REPAIR**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
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No major legislation in 1994.

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2053)]

**13. BOARD OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Disclosure of Goods and Services	AB 1392	Chapter 570
Consumer Affairs: Consolidation of Regulatory Agencies	SB 2037	Failed Senate

13. BOARD OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS (cont.)

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)]		

14. BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR GEOLOGISTS AND GEOPHYSICISTS

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Geologists and Geophysicists	SB 746	Failed Senate
[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)]		

15. BOARD OF GUIDE DOGS FOR THE BLIND

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Guide Dogs: Access to Public Places: Identification	SB 1887	Failed Senate
Guide Dogs for the Blind	AB 2388	Chapter 149
[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053)]		

16. BUREAU OF HOME FURNISHINGS AND THERMAL INSULATION

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Home Furnishings: Licensing	SB 1586	Chapter 410
Home Furnishings: Upholstered Furniture	AB 2857	Failed Senate
Insulation Material: Standards	AB 2182	Vetoed
[See DCA General (AB 3302)]		

**17. BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
No major legislation in 1994.		
[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)]		

**18. MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Clinical Laboratories: Licensure: Exemptions	SB 366	Chapter 1141
Clinical Laboratory Technology: Licensure and Regulations	AB 2756	Failed Assembly
Diagnostic Imaging Services	AB 1898	Failed Assembly
Disciplinary Actions: Crimes: Licensed Professional	SB 1775	Chapter 1206
Emergency Medical Liens: Physicians and Surgeons	AB 3440	Failed Assembly
Healing Arts: Medicine: Discipline	AB 2036	Failed Assembly
Health Care: Pain Management Programs: Directory	AB 1368	Failed Assembly
Health Care Practitioners: Appropriate Health Care	AB 3390	Chapter 1119
Health Care Practitioners: Peer Review	AB 929	Failed Assembly
Health Care Referrals	AB 1291	Failed Senate
Health Facilities: Work Hours of Medical Residents and Interns	SB 971	Failed Senate
Judgments: Health Care Providers	AB 1141	Failed Assembly
Laser Radiation	AB 720	Failed Assembly
Long-Term Health Care: Facilities: Informed Consent: Decisionmaking	AB 1139	Chapter 791
Medical Board of California: Contingent Fund	SB 799	Chapter 532
Medical Board of California: Expert Consultants: Liability	SB 1886	Chapter 1098
Medical Quality: Expert Panels	SB 1958	Vetoed
Naturopathic Practitioner Registration Act	AB 3765	Failed Assembly
Naturopathic Physicians Act	AB 2241	Failed Assembly
Naturopathy: Naturopathic Physicians Act	SB 1166	Failed Senate
Naturopathy: Naturopathic Title Act	SB 1566	Failed Senate
Organ Donation: Performance of Perfusion	AB 172	Failed Assembly
Osteopathic Medicine	AB 3732	Chapter 894
Outpatient Settings	AB 595	Chapter 1276
Peer Review: Notice and Hearing Waiver of Rights	SB 1100	Failed Senate
Physician Assistants: Drugs	SB 1642	Chapter 968
Physicians and Surgeons: Breast Cancer Treatment	SB 1965	Failed Senate

18. MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA (cont.)

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Physicians and Surgeons: Controlled Substances	SB 1402	Chapter 222
Physicians and Surgeons: Family Medicine	AB 3497	Chapter 657
Physicians and Surgeons: Liability	AB 3648	Failed Assembly
Physicians and Surgeons: Reciprocity Certificate	AB 1446	Failed Senate
Physicians: Suicide Revocation of License	AB 749	Failed Assembly
Practice of Naturopathy: Study	ACR 136	Failed Senate
Professional Reporting: National Practitioner Data Bank	AB 2156	Failed Senate
Transfer of Medical Records: Notification of Patients	AB 2214	Failed Assembly
University of California: Primary Care Physician Training	AB 1855	Vetoed
Volunteer Physicians and Surgeons: Immunity from Liability	AB 1907	Failed Assembly
Workers' Compensation	AB 9	Failed Assembly
Workers' Compensation: Accreditation Standards	SB 523	Failed Senate
Workers' Compensation: Unemployment Benefits	SB 782	Failed Senate

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053)]

\* \* MEDICAL BOARD OF CALIFORNIA -- ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONS \* \*

19. ACUPUNCTURE COMMITTEE

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Acupuncture: Peer Review: Discovery	SB 1279	Chapter 815
Healing Arts: Acupuncture	AB 2494	Failed Assembly

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)]

20. HEARING AID DISPENSER EXAMINING COMMITTEE

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Consumer Affairs: Consolidation of Regulatory Agencies	SB 2037	Failed Senate

**20. HEARING AID DISPENSER EXAMINING COMMITTEE (cont.)**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053)]		

**21. PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINING COMMITTEE**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Industrial Medical Council	AB 512	Failed Assembly
Physical Therapy: Licensing	AB 2836	Chapter 956
Physical Therapy: Supervision of Employees	SB 437	Failed Assembly
[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)]		

**22. PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT EXAMINING COMMITTEE**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Physician Assistants: Drugs	SB 1642	Chapter 968
[See DCA General (AB 3302)]		

**23. BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Clinical Laboratories: Licensure: Exemptions	SB 366	Chapter 1141
Clinical Laboratory Technology Licensure and Regulations	AB 2756	Failed Assembly
Laser Radiation	AB 720	Failed Assembly
Medi-Cal Reimbursement: Podiatrists	AB 1339	Vetoed
Transfer of Medical Records: Notification of Patients	AB 2214	Failed Assembly
[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)]		

**24. BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Healing Arts	SB 2039	Chapter 1274
Lanterman-Petris-Short Act: Psychologists	AB 705	Failed Assembly
Psychotherapist-Patient Privilege	AB 2659	Chapter 1270

[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)]

**25. RESPIRATORY CARE EXAMINING COMMITTEE**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Clinical Laboratory Technology: Respiratory Care Practitioners	AB 1639	Vetoed
Healing Arts	SB 2039	Chapter 1274

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)]

**26. SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY EXAMINING COMMITTEE**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Consumer Affairs: Consolidation of Regulatory Agencies	SB 2037	Failed Senate

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)]

**27. BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Nursing Home Administrators: Licensure Fees	AB 3660	Chapter 1120

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)]

**28. BOARD OF OPTOMETRY**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Optometry: Ancillary Personnel	AB 1894	Failed Senate
Optometry: Certificate of Registration: Qualifications	SB 1399	Chapter 403
Optometry: Continuing Education: CPR	AB 2943	Chapter 578
Optometry: License	SB 908	Failed Assembly
Optometry: Pharmaceutical Agents	AB 2020	Failed Senate
Optometry: Unprofessional Conduct	SB 921	Failed Senate

[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)]

**29. BOARD OF PHARMACY**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Dangerous Drugs and Devices	AB 667	Failed Assembly
Pharmacists: Liability	SB 2045	Failed Senate
Pharmacists: Prescription Drugs Substitution	SB 1427	Vetoed
Pharmacy	AB 2973	Vetoed
Pharmacy: Hospitals	SB 849	Chapter 218
Pharmacy: Oral Consultation	SB 2087	Failed Assembly
Pharmacy: Unlicensed Facilities	SB 1759	Chapter 1161
Prescription Drugs	SB 1991	Failed Senate

[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053, SB 2101)]

**30. BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Engineering Geologists	SCR 45	Chapter R-132
Home Inspectors	AB 2780	Failed Senate
Land Surveyors: Records of Survey	AB 1363	Failed Senate



30. BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS (cont.)

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Land Use: Subdivision Map Act: Real Property Boundaries	AB 1414	Chapter 458
Professional Engineers	AB 2952	Failed Assembly

[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)]

31. BOARD OF REGISTERED NURSING

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Healing Arts: Point-of-Care Laboratory Testing	SB 1834	Vetoed
Nurse-Midwives: Furnishing Drugs	SB 1338	Failed Senate

[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)]

32. BUREAU OF SECURITY AND INVESTIGATIVE SERVICES

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Collection Agencies	SB 394	Failed Assembly
DMV: Home Addresses: Private Investigator Access	AB 89	Failed Assembly
Firearms: Licensing	SBX 7	Failed Senate
Peace Officers: Training: Fees	AB 1329	Chapter 43
Repossessors	AB 2781	Chapter 1114
Security Guards	AB 2226	Failed Assembly
Security Guards: Standards	SB 1713	Chapter 1091
Security Services	AB 3291	Chapter 1285
Vehicles: Auctions Liquidation	AB 375	Chapter 180

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2053, SB 2101)]

**33. STRUCTURAL PEST CONTROL BOARD**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Pests Control Licensees: Africanized Honey Bees	SB 250	Chapter 298
Structural Pest Control: Warning Agents	AB 1851	Chapter 282
Structural Pest Control	SB 2070	Chapter 844

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053)]

**34. TAX PREPARER PROGRAM**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Consumer Affairs: Consolidation of Regulatory Agencies	SB 2037	Failed Senate

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2053)]

**35. BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN VETERINARY MEDICINE AND ANIMAL HEALTH TECHNICIAN EXAMINING COMMITTEE**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Cats: Sterilization	AB 302	Failed Assembly
Veterinary Medicine	SB 1821	Vetoed

[See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)]

**36. BOARD OF VOCATIONAL NURSE AND PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN EXAMINERS**

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
No major legislation in 1994.		

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[See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)]

C. DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS

1. DCA - GENERAL

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Business and Professions: Licensee Reciprocity	SB 2077	Failed Senate
Business and Professions: Licensing - Social Security Numbers	AB 3302	Chapter 1135
Business and Professions: Licensing	AB 1807	Chapter 26
Business and Professions: Licensing and Regulations	SB 2101	Chapter 1275
Cable Television: Council	SB 1942	Failed Senate
California: Legal Charges, State Board of Accountancy	SB 2038	Chapter 1273
Consumer Affairs: Consolidation of Regulatory Agencies	SB 2037	Failed Senate
Consumer Protection: Third-Party Dispute Resolution	SB 2089	Failed Senate
Family Law: Child Support	AB 923	Chapter 906
Government Operations	AB 2384	Chapter 150
Health Care Professionals: Criteria for Licensing Laws	SB 993	Failed Senate
Immigration Consultants	AB 2520	Chapter 561
Immigration Consultants	AB 3137	Chapter 562
Immigrants/Refugees	AB 2650	Vetoed
Legal Entities: Limited Partnerships	SB 2053	Chapter 1010
Medicine: Nontraditional Therapy	SB 1687	Failed Senate
Military Personnel: Employment	SB 1646	Chapter 987
Nonlawyer Providers	AB 1287	Failed Assembly
Open Meetings	SB 1125	Failed Senate
Professional Licensing: Review: Repeals	SB 2036	Chapter 908

2. STATE AGENCIES - GENERAL

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Bicycles: Peace Officer Exemption	AB 2499	Chapter 357
Buildings: Apartment Houses and Hotels	SB 2100	Failed Senate
California Business Registry Task Force	AB 2507	Vetoed
Electronic Data Processing: State Agencies: Master Plan	AB 2523	Chapter 925
English as the Official State Language	AB 2434	Failed Assembly
Governmental Tort Liability	AB 2508	Chapter 796
Open Meetings	SB 1316	Chapter 845
Peace Officer: Personnel Records: Discovery	SB 2058	Chapter 741
Performance and Results Act of 1993	SB 1609	Chapter 672

## 2. STATE AGENCIES - GENERAL (cont.)

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>BILL NUMBER</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
Political Reform Act of 1974: Public Officials	AB 3444	Chapter 274
Political Reform Act of 1974: Campaign Contributions: Officers	SB 1897	Failed Senate
Private Property Rights Protection	AB 145	Failed Assembly
Public Agencies	AB 2811	Chapter 287
Public Employees: Home Loan Program: Annuity Contracts	SB 1727	Chapter 1094
Public Employees: Political Activities	AB 2624	Failed Assembly
Public Records	AB 2498	Failed Senate
Public Records	AB 2525	Failed Senate
Public Records: Law Enforcement Records: Disclosure	AB 894	Failed Assembly
Public Records: Law Enforcement Records: Exemption	SB 1460	Failed Senate
Public Records: Legislative Counsel	AB 2547	Chapter 82
State Agencies: Fees	AB 3413	Chapter 784
State Boards and Commissions: Appointments	SB 1010	Failed Senate
State Bodies: Ex Parte Communications	SB 1900	Failed Senate
State Employees: Supervisory and Managerial Salary Differential	SB 1968	Failed Senate
State Government Strategic Planning and Performance Review	AB 2711	Chapter 779
State Officers and Employees: Salaries	AB 173	Failed Senate
State Officers and Employees: Compensation	AB 3254	Failed Assembly

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## II. SUMMARY OF BILLS

### A. Consumer Protection

#### **BUSINESS AND SALES**

#### **SUMMARY**

#### **DISPOSITION**

AB 722 Karnette	This statute creates the Karnette Rental-Purchase Act which regulates rent-to-own transactions in California. This statute requires every rental-purchase agreement to be in writing and to contain specified information. This statute also prohibits the inclusion of certain provisions in the agreements, including an agreement to purchase insurance from the lessor, an agreement to purchase a service contract, the waiving of rights or defenses under the Act, or the granting of a security interest in the property. This statute also specifies the parameters of consumer liability and regulates advertisement. (Civ C § 1812.620)	CHAPTER 1026 Statutes of 1994
AB 2203 Vasconcellos	This bill would have required California to develop a clearer set of principles and processes for determining the appropriate balance between the legitimate activities of business and the consumer's right to health and safety.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
AB 2612 Sher	This bill would have enacted the Uniform Partnership Act of 1994 that would have applied to partnerships formed on or after January 1, 1997.	FAILED Assembly Judiciary
AB 2669 McDonald	Existing law provides a buyer certain remedies against the manufacturer of nonconforming goods, including the right to secure the services of an independent repair or service facility with respect to goods with a wholesale price of \$50 or more. This bill would have raised that minimum wholesale price.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection
AB 2897 Caldera	This statute requires the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to deny an application for a beverage license if the issuance would tend to create a law enforcement problem or result in an undue concentration of licenses. (B&P C §§ 23958 & 23958.4)	CHAPTER 630 Statutes of 1994

**BUSINESS  
AND SALES****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION****(cont.)**

AB 2951 Karnette	Existing law requires gasoline stations and convenience stores that sell gasoline to provide refueling service to persons with disabilities at the same price charged for self-service. This bill would have required those facilities that are exempt from this requirement to post signs directing drivers seeking refueling service to the nearest station providing that service.	FAILED Assembly Ways and Means
AB 2992 Baca	This bill would have prohibited a person, after July 1, 1995, from producing or distributing videos in this state unless the video is open or closed-captioned. This requirement pertained to commercially produced videos that have more than 2,500 copies produced for retail sale or rental in California.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection
AB 3167 Epple	This bill would have stated that graffiti is a serious problem and would have regulated the display and sale of all aerosol paint, liquid dye or polish, and marker pens containing anything other than a solution that can be removed by water after it dries.	FAILED Assembly Public Safety
AB 3269 Friedman, B.	This statute provides that any security interest taken by a contractor as payment for work performed on a home improvement project that occurs on or after January 1, 1995, is unenforceable if the person soliciting is not a registered salesperson or is not exempt from registration. (B&P C § 7153 and Civ C § 1803.2)	CHAPTER 888 Statutes of 1994
AB 3164 Epple	This statute authorizes the lien sales of vehicles valued under \$300; provides that a lien would become effective upon presentation of a written statement of charges to the registered owner within fifteen days after work or when services are completed; specifies that the allowable length of time of a storage lien is not to exceed 60 days or 120 days (depending upon the value of the vehicle); and clarifies the conditions under which liens could be extinguished. (Civ C §§ 3068, 3068.1, 3070, 3071, 3072, 3073, & 3075)	CHAPTER 799 Statutes of 1994
AB 3333 Speier	Existing law requires each new motor vehicle manufacturer to establish or make available to buyers or lessees of new motor vehicles a qualified 3rd-party dispute resolution process. This bill would have repealed the 3rd-party dispute resolution provisions, substantially revised related provisions, and would have established a comprehensive "lemon law arbitration program" within the Department of Consumer Affairs.	FAILED Senate Appropriations



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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3412 Conroy	The Administrative Procedure Act requires specified agencies to follow certain procedures with respect to administrative adjudications, including procedures for judicial review of decisions. This bill would have permitted a small business to elect to arbitrate a decision adopted by an agency after a hearing and in lieu of the procedure for judicial review.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection
AB 3443 Connolly	This statute prohibits any individual, corporation, or other legal entity, who solicits funds or other property in this state for charitable purposes, from retaining more than fifty percent of the net proceeds as a fee for its fundraising services. (B&P C § 17510.87)	CHAPTER 1279 Statutes of 1994
AB 3827 Mountjoy	This bill would have provided that any person responsible for the creation, dissemination, display, or sale of a computerized video game which depicts violent death or injury to a person, shall be liable for any and all violent injuries caused by a minor who is directly inspired by these games.	FAILED Assembly Judiciary
AB 3836 Burton	Existing law provides various exemptions for prescription medicines. This statute provides that the exemption for prescription medicines extends to medicines furnished without charge by a pharmaceutical manufacturer or distributor to specified health care professionals and facilities and specified educational entities. (R&T C § 6369)	CHAPTER 857 Statutes of 1994
SB 184 Maddy	Existing law regulates the sale of alcoholic beverages under a wholesaler's license. This bill would have provided that with respect to beer sold by a wholesaler to a retailer, delivery shall be made only at retail premises licensed to the retailer or from a loading area at the wholesaler's licensed premises.	FAILED Senate Inactive File
SB 283 Dills	This bill would have required beer wholesalers to own or lease licensed warehouse space for each location where they sell or store beer, would have required wholesalers to offer all beer brands, except private label brands, to retailers generally on the same terms, and would have required wholesalers to provide quality control on beer they sell to retailers.	FAILED Senate Inactive File

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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 469 Beverly	<p>This statute creates the California Limited Liability Company Act and authorizes a limited liability company to engage in any lawful business activity. Among other things, this statute governs the formation of limited liability companies. (B&amp;P C §§ 16602.5, 17900, 17901.5, 17902, 17910.5, 17913, &amp; 17914; Com C § 3307; Corp C §§ 161, 161.7, 167.3, 167.7, 167.8, 171.03, 171.07, 171.3, 174.5, 190, 190.7, 1109, 1113, 1201, 15046, 15611, 15632, 15678.2, 17000, 25013, &amp; 25019; Fin C § 1220; Gov C §§ 8670.3, 12164.7, &amp; 12185; H&amp;S C §§ 25118 &amp; 25281; Pen C §§ 387 &amp; 653; PRC § 40170; R&amp;T C §§ 19, 28, 28.5, 64, 480, 480.1, 480.2, 6005, 6829, 7310, 8606, 11204, 17007, 17087.6, 17220, 18402, 18535, 18621.5, 18633.5, 18637, 18638, 18648, 19002, 19009, 19132, 19254, 23036, 23038, 23091, 23305.5, 25141, 30010, 38106, 40004, 41003, 43006, 45006, 46020, &amp; 55002; UIC §§ 125.4, 135, 135.1, 610, 1116, 1735, 2071, 2107, 2109, 2110, 2110.3, 2110.5, 2110.7, &amp; 13005; and Veh C § 675)</p>	CHAPTER 1200 Statutes of 1994
SB 863 Hughes	<p>This bill would have required any person selling an item represented to be from a defined limited edition to post or provide upon request a notice specifying the number of items in the limited edition. The bill also would have required the producer of the items to provide evidence, upon request by a member of the public, that the film, plates, or molds used to create the limited edition have been destroyed.</p>	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 930 Killea	<p>This bill would have enacted the California Limited Liability Company Act and would have authorized a limited liability company to engage in any lawful business activity.</p>	FAILED Assembly Judiciary
SB 1019 Marks	<p>This bill would have provided that any person who purchases an admission ticket to an entertainment event and who resells the ticket at any price in excess of 120 percent of the price that is printed or endorsed upon the ticket, is guilty of a misdemeanor. This bill would have provided that any person who sells, or offers to sell, 20 or more tickets in violation of these provisions is guilty of a felony.</p>	FAILED Secretary of Senate

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**DISPOSITION**

SB 1081 Calderon	This bill would have allowed motor vehicle dealers to rescind a motor vehicle contract if the dealer was unable to assign the contract to a financial institution because (1) the consumer gave the dealer false information on the credit application; or (2) the consumer did not give the dealer documents that the dealer asked for to prove the information on the credit application; or (3) a credit report on the consumer has information in it, unknown to the dealer, that caused the financial institution to turn down the contract.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection
SB 1288 Calderon	This statute directs the Department of Consumer Affairs, by June 1, 1995, to provide licensees of the State Board of Barbering and Cosmetology a notice that California state law prohibits gender-based pricing. By June 1, 1998, the department must submit to the Legislature a summary of the number and type of comments received from licensees in response to that notice. This statute requires the department to develop by June 1, 1995, and to make available to the public, consumer information on the problem of gender-based price discrimination. This statute makes it an unlawful employment practice for an employer to refuse to permit an employee to wear pants on account of the person's gender. (Civ C § 52 and Gov C § 12947.5)	CHAPTER 535 Statutes of 1994
SB 1405 Beverly	This statute updates existing references to provisions of commercial law. (Civ C §§ 7.1, 9, 697.610, 697.730, 697.740, 3440.1, & 3440.9; Com C §§ 1201, 2103, 5103, 9203, 9206, 9302, 9312, & 16101; Fin C §§ 866.5, 22007, 22013, 22054, 24054, & 26054; Gov C §§ 7170 & 8261; and R&T C §§ 2953.1 & 20639.1)	CHAPTER 668 Statutes of 1994
SB 1685 Lewis	This bill would have provided that it is a misdemeanor to willfully make a retail installment contract for goods as a security interest in real property when the purchase goods are not fixtures of the real property and are financed for less than \$2,000. This would have applied to contracts entered into or modified on or after January 1, 1995.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
SB 1941 Rosenthal	This statute requires video providers to issue security or customer deposit refund checks promptly and prohibits video providers from disclosing the name and address of a subscriber for commercial purposes without notice to the subscriber which allows the subscriber to prohibit such a disclosure. (Gov C § 53088.2)	CHAPTER 384 Statutes of 1994

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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2053  
Killea

This statute revises the California Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act. Among other things, this statute revises provisions governing certificates of limited partnership, changes voting requirements, and eliminates the 6-month withdrawal right of a limited partner in a partnership. (B&P C §§ 128, 302, 653, 1201, 2032, 3300, 4039, 4081, 5035, 5219, 7210.5, 7500.1, 7512.3, 7590.1, 8504, 9801, 9880.1, 9891.1, 9998.1, 14001, 14204, 18402, 18824, 18830, 19413, 20008, 21500, & 22104; Civ C §§ 51.5, 81, 987, 1738, 1739.7, 1740, 1761, 1785.3, 1786.2, 1788.2, 1789.12, 1791, 1798.3, 1799, 1799.101, 1802.15, 1812.201, 1812.300, 1812.501, 1812.601, 1882, 2430, 2945.1, 2981, 2985.7, 3343.5, 3426.1, 3439.01, & 3504; CCP §§ 116.130, 481.170, 511.070, 680.280, 706.011, 1203.51, 1235.160, & 1601; Corp C §§ 605, 12245, 13401, 15002, 15611, 15617, 15622, 15623, 15624, 15625, 15631, 15632, 15633, 15636, 15637, 15641, 15643, 15644, 15645, 15655, 15662, 15663, 15664, 15666, 15672, 15674, 15675, 15681, 24000, 29001, 29514, & 31015; Ed C §§ 32380 & 66405; Elec C §§ 3564.1, 3785.1, 5014.1, 5157.6, & 5326; Evid C §§ 175, 954, & 994; Fin C §§ 18, 113, 700, 1755, 1852, 5113, 17002.5, 22008.1, 24008.1, 26008.1, 30003, 31048, & 33061; F&G C §§ 67, 711.2, 7690, & 7850; F&A C §§ 38, 14554, 14937, 18672, 61313, 61834, 64013, 64506, & 77527; Gov C §§ 17, 4217.11, 6252, 7260, 7465, 9072, 12604, 12650, 12925, 50568, 82047, & 85102; H&N C §§ 19, 293, 294, 651, & 773.2; H&S C §§ 19, 1170.2, 1175.2, 1345, 1596.79, 4010.1, 7150.1, 7186, 11022, 17009.6, 25026, 25249.11, 25270.2, 25319, 25420, 25805, 26024, 27530, 28501, 37912, & 52016; Ins C §§ 19, 729, 791.02, 1067.04, 14001, & 15001; Lab C §§ 18, 1117, 1132.2, 1140.4, 1500, 1682, 1700, 2650, 2671, & 5156; M&V C §§ 480.2 & 1000.2; Pen C §§ 311, 313, 374.2, 498, 574, 632, 637.5, 639, 653, 653.56, 11207, 11234, & 12277; Prob C § 56; PRC §§ 2004, 3316.1, 3460, 3635.1, 4101, 4464, 4525, 4793, 6331, 8750, 21066, 25116, 25953, 29117, & 30111; PUC §§ 4662, 5502, 21009, 102020, & 103019; R&T C §§ 69.5 & 13203; S&H C § 19; Veh C § 470; W C §§ 19, 72140.1, & 75501; and Fam C § 105)

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**DISPOSITION**

AB 119 Horcher	Existing law provides that when a demurrer to any pleading is sustained or overruled and time is given to amend or answer, that time starts from the service of the notice unless that notice is waived. This bill provides that when an order sustaining a demurrer without leave to amend is reversed or otherwise remended, the amended complaint must be filed within 30 days after the date of the mailing of the notice of the issuance of the remittitur by the clerk of the reviewing court.	CHAPTER 41 Statutes of 1994
AB 1130 Bornstein	This bill would have provided that when a dispute arises between a provider and an employer over a lien allowed by the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board and the disputed amount is awarded or denied in a separate proceeding in its entirety, the appeals board may give attorney's fees to the prevailing party.	VETOED
AB 1691 Margolin	This statute corrects and updates references to insurance fraud provisions. This statute also provides that the statute of limitations for a workers' compensation fraud offense would commence upon discovery of the offense. (Pen C §§ 548, 549, 801.5, & 803)	CHAPTER 1031 Statutes of 1994
AB 1868 Brown, W.	This bill would have made technical nonsubstantive changes to the existing law which governs the time period for individuals to file civil lawsuits against health care providers accused of professional negligence. Under the current law, an injured party has three years from the date of the injury, or one year after discovering the injury, to file a civil lawsuit with the exceptions for minors, fraud, and the presence of an undiscovered foreign body.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
AB 2299 Morrow	This bill would have provided for alternative dispute resolution, including mediation, neutral case evaluation, arbitration, minitrial, and neutral fact finding, as a precursor to other proceedings in the determination of a civil action. This bill would have required attorneys to affirmatively consider and advise clients of the advantages of resolving disputes through alternatives to litigation.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly

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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2302 Morrow	This bill would have required mandatory mediation in certain civil actions upon the filing of a request for mediation by a party to the action. This bill also would have provided for minimum qualifications and compensation for mediators.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2506 Andal	Existing law sets the monetary jurisdiction of small claims court at no more than \$5,000. This bill would have raised the monetary jurisdiction of small claims court in those actions to \$10,000 with specified exceptions.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
AB 2571 Polanco	This statute provides for the recovery of reasonable attorney's fees, costs, and any other court awarded remedies by a prevailing party in a civil action brought to obtain tenant relocation assistance. (H&S C § 17060.2)	CHAPTER 1250 Statutes of 1994
AB 2575 Johnson	This bill would have provided that in a civil case arising out of the transfer of real property, any liability over a defendant's apportioned share of fault would not be imposed under the joint liability presumption except under certain circumstances. This bill's provisions would apply only when the action is based on provisions of comparative negligence.	FAILED Assembly Judiciary
AB 2662 Snyder	This statute provides that privileged information transmitted by facsimile, cellular radio telephone, or cordless telephone between the client and lawyer is confidential. (Evid C § 952)	CHAPTER 186 Statutes of 1994
AB 2937 Cannella	Existing law prohibits any <u>person</u> from filing more than two small claims actions in the state in any calendar year where the amount demanded exceeds \$2,500. Under a pilot project scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 1995, the City and County of San Francisco and the County of Stanislaus have been exempted from the \$2,500 limitation. This statute exempts all cities, counties, and public entities in the state from the \$2,500 limitation. (Civ C § 116.231)	CHAPTER 971 Statutes of 1994

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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3046  
Solis

This bill would have provided that any person who contracts to have garment manufacturing operations performed by another person as a contractor shall be civilly liable to the same extent as the contractor for any failure to pay wages lawfully due an employee or to comply with an order of the Industrial Welfare Commission relating to minimum wage or overtime pay. This bill would have assessed the same civil penalties against that person and against the contractor for violations of these provisions.

VETOED

AB 3272  
Bornstein

This bill would have required all disputes of \$50,000 or less between buyers and sellers and their agents arising out of real estate contracts be submitted to mediation before the parties resort to court action unless the contract contains a clause providing for some other form of alternative dispute resolution.

FAILED  
Senate

AB 3283  
Umberg

Existing law permits attorneys to charge statutory fees for legal services in matters governing guardianships, conservatorships, and estate administrations. This bill would have permitted an attorney to charge fees for services rendered by a "paralegal" as defined in this bill.

FAILED  
Assembly Judiciary

AB 3436  
Martinez

This statute provides that in a binding arbitration of specified claims, pursuant to home construction or improvement contracts, the arbitrator shall, within 10 days following his or her appointment, provide to each party a written declaration disclosing an affiliation with either party. (CCP § 1281.95)

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AB 3600  
Judiciary

This statute further governs the sale of real property and makes substantive changes in the laws that treat the scheduling of postponed sales, the court treatment of liens, and the issuance of preliminary injunctions before judgments. (Civ C §§ 1183.5, 2924, & 3154; CCP §§ 116.570, 116.780, 391, 411.20, 484.050, 527, 527.6, 664.6, 1161.2, 1281.6, & 1513.5; Evid C § 952; and Gov C §§ 27287 & 68620)

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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3784 Richter	This bill would have provided that any sums, held by a business association, that have been ordered by a court to be refunded, awarded as damages, or otherwise paid as monetary relief to plaintiffs in a consumer class action suit and that have remained unclaimed for one year shall escheat to the state.	FAILED Assembly Judiciary
SB 102 Lockyer	Existing law authorizes an appellate court to reverse a trial court judgment upon the stipulation of the parties. This bill would have specify that an appellate court may not reverse or vacate a duly entered judgment upon the stipulation of the parties but may do so upon making a specified finding. This bill also would have provided for the appellate court to give the trial court not less than 30 days to comment on an application for a stipulated reversal or vacatur.	VETOED
SB 117 Bergeson	This bill would have invalidated any gift contained within the will of a conservatee to the conservator, to certain relatives or cohabitants of the conservator, or to any business entity with whom the conservator has an established business relationship. This bill also would have prohibited guardians and conservators of an estate of any person from depositing or investing property of the estate into a financial institution or business enterprise in which the guardian or conservator has more than an insubstantial interest.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 517 Bergeson	This statute expresses specific findings and declarations of the Legislature relating to litigation arising out of land use dispute. This statute includes a statement that it is not legislative intent to interfere with litigant's ability to pursue court remedies. This statute also makes other related provisions and changes.	CHAPTER 300 Statutes of 1994
SB 612 Hayden	Existing law prohibits the harassment and discrimination of an employee on the basis of, among other things, gender. This statute provides a cause of action for sexual harassment that occurs during the course of a professional relationship with an employer. (Civ C § 51.9)	CHAPTER 710 Statutes of 1994



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**DISPOSITION**

SB 643 Russell	This bill would have authorized a county to establish a county office of mediation and conciliation to be headed by a commissioner of mediation and conciliation appointed by the board of supervisors. It would have specified the purpose and duties of this office and would have been funded by an increase of \$3 for any copy of a death certificate.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 918 Beverly	Existing law provides that assignees of a claim may not bring suit on that claim in small claims court. This bill would have made a technical change in that provision.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1638 Lockyer	This statute provides that during the arbitration of a claim for damages, a person who is proposed for nomination or appointment to serve as the neutral arbitrator must disclose to all parties, within a specified period of time, certain information concerning the names of prior or pending cases arbitrated by him or her. (CCP § 1281.9)	CHAPTER 1202 Statutes of 1994
SB 1643 Russell	This bill would have authorized a county to impose a fee of \$3 for any death certificate or certified copy of a death certificate if that county has established a dispute resolution program pursuant to the bill and allocates all of the fees collected to that program.	VETOED
SB 1771 Alquist	Existing law prohibits, with certain exceptions, the filing or maintenance of a claim in small claims court by the assignee of the claim. This statute exempts local governments that are self-insured for purposes of workers' compensation. (Civ C § 116.420)	CHAPTER 231 Statutes of 1994
SB 1865 Campbell	Existing law specifies a fee of \$250 for filing a notice of appeal in a civil case appealed to a court of appeal or a petition for a writ within the original civil jurisdiction of the court of appeal. Existing law requires, until January 1, 1995, \$50 of each of these fees to be placed in a special General Fund account for the support of the California State Law Library. This statute extends the repeal date of this requirement to January 1, 2000. (Gov C § 68926.3)	CHAPTER 234 Statutes of 1994
SB 1881 Campbell	This bill would have made evidence of conduct taken to improve the safety of a product after the occurrence of an injury inadmissible in product liability action.	FAILED Senate Judiciary

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AB 320 Burton	This bill would have prescribed a maximum interest rate or finance charge which could be charged on credit card accounts issued by a bank, savings association, or credit union.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 561 Speier	This bill would have enacted a Collection Agency Act. This bill would have provided that any consumer debtor, injured by a collection agency's violation of these provisions or the provisions of the Robbins-Rosenthal Fair Debt Collections Act, may recover actual damages as well as civil penalty and punitive damages.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1922 Peace	Existing law excludes from the definition of a credit services organization, any nonprofit organization exempt from taxation under federal law. This statute revises the definition of credit services organization to exclude only those nonprofit organizations that meet prescribed criteria. (Civ C §§ 1789.12, 1789.13, 1789.16, & 1789.21)	CHAPTER 792 Statutes of 1994
AB 1923 Peace	This statute repeals provisions that provide for the disclosure of certain account charges and deposit information relative to savings associations, credit unions, and industrial loan companies. (Fin C §§ 6650, 6654, 6655, 6656, 6657, 6658, 6659, 6660, 15150, & 18330)	CHAPTER 68 Statutes of 1994
AB 2739 Cannella	This statute requires a credit card issuer to provide written notice to a cardholder if the issuer discloses specified information concerning the consumer's identity to anyone, and specifies the methods of satisfying this requirement. (Civ C § 1748.12)	CHAPTER 188 Statutes of 1994
AB 2771 Burton	Under existing law, the seller or holder of a defined retail installment account may charge, receive, and collect a finance charge as disclosed to the buyer in the billing statement. This bill would have prohibited a finance charge on a retail contract or account in excess of 18% per year on the outstanding balance for purchases made on and after January 1, 1995.	FAILED Assembly Banking & Finance
AB 2830 Brulte	This bill would have authorized banks, savings associations, savings banks, and credit unions to charge and collect fees pursuant to a consumer credit agreement.	FAILED Assembly Judiciary

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**DISPOSITION**

AB 2885 Caldera	This statute consolidates the Personal Property Brokers Law, the Consumer Finance Lenders Law, and the Commercial Finance Lenders Law to regulate consumer and commercial loans under the Personal Property Brokers Law which is renamed the California Finance Lenders Law. (Fin C §§ 22000, 24000, & 26000)	CHAPTER 1115 Statutes of 1994
AB 2929 Johnson	This bill would have prohibited a person from contracting for or collecting a finance charge in connection with the sale of real property, where the finance charge would exceed the maximum amount of interest permitted under Section 1 of Article XV of the California Constitution.	FAILED Senate Banking, Commerce, Etc.
AB 3027 Friedman, B.	This bill would have <u>required</u> a creditor to <u>require</u> a borrower to seek counseling from specified financial counselors, in specified instances. Counseling would not be complete until the creditor received a written statement from the counselor or the borrower stating that the counseling was complete. It would have prohibited a creditor from charging a borrower if the borrower failed to obtain counseling or did not enter into the transaction after receiving counseling.	FAILED Assembly Banking & Finance
AB 3397 Aguiar	Existing law requires a beneficiary or assignee of the beneficiary of an obligation secured by a deed of trust to execute and deliver to the trustee certain documents, including the original note, deed of trust, and request for a full reconveyance, when the obligation has been satisfied. This statute authorizes these documents to be transmitted by facsimile machine. (Civ C §§ 2941 & 2943)	CHAPTER 374 Statutes of 1994
AB 3736 Caldera	This statute requires, effective July 1, 1995, that the written contract for every loan made by a pawnbroker, for which goods are received in pledge as security, to indicate whether the item or items pledged are to be stored at the business premises of the pawnbroker. This statute also requires the posting of a sign to indicate whether or not pawned items are insured. A violation of these requirements is an infraction. (B&P C §§ 21203 & 21636 and Fin C § 21201.3)	CHAPTER 490 Statutes of 1994

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**DISPOSITION**

AJR 24 Areias	This measure memorializes the President, Congress and the Federal Reserve Board to review and revise specified provisions of the Federal law so that holders of charge cards and credit cards are required to be advised on the billing statement to inscribe their account number on the payee line of their check.	CHAPTER R-125 Statutes of 1994
SB 201 Ayala	This bill would have specified that if the district attorney declares that he or she is unable to implement a bad check diversion program because of insufficient funds or personnel, then, upon adoption of a resolution by the city council that there are sufficient funds available to fund the program, the program may be implemented by the city police department and funded by the city.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 632 Deddeh	Under existing law, if a check is dishonored by a bank, the drawer is obliged to pay the check according to its terms. This bill would have provided, in addition, that the drawer is obligated to pay any service charges resulting from the dishonoring of the check.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 867 Beverly	This bill would have limited the application of specified provisions of the commercial code on claims for goods or services that are used or bought primarily for personal, family, or household purposes.	FAILED Assembly Banking & Finance
SB 978 Alquist	This bill would have repealed the statutes that require credit card issuers to furnish an annual interest statement to cardholders.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1145 Boatwright	This bill would have authorized banks, savings associations, saving banks, and credit unions to charge and collect fees pursuant to a consumer credit agreement, and would have required these organizations to submit a report to the Legislature regarding jobs in the credit card industry, on or before March 31, 1999.	FAILED Secretary of Senate

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**DISPOSITION**

SB 1333 Lockyer	This statute authorizes banks, savings associations, savings banks, and credit unions or charge card issuers, to charge and collect fees pursuant to a consumer credit agreement. (Fin C § 4000)	CHAPTER 1079 Statutes of 1994
SB 1483 Peace	The Consumer Credit Reporting Agencies Act which regulates consumer credit reporting agencies, exempts persons who "solely" convey a decision whether to guarantee a check in response to a request by a third party from its provisions. This statute deletes that exemption and subjects check guarantee agencies to the Consumer Reporting Agencies Act. (Civ C § 1785.3)	CHAPTER 225 Statutes of 1994
SB 1583 Hughes	Existing law permits the holder of a retail installment contract to charge a late payment fee of no more than five percent of the amount due or five dollars, whichever is less, with a minimum charge of one dollar. This statute changes the maximum late charge to not exceed ten dollars. (Civ C §§ 1803.6 & 1810.12)	CHAPTER 168 Statutes of 1994
SB 1796 Beverly	Existing law regulates the terms of agreement between personal property brokers and consumer finance lenders to refinance retail installment contracts. This bill would have provided that the date of the loan contract shall not be less than 90 days from the date the retail installment contract was executed by the buyer, impose a minimum requirement on the amount of additional proceeds upon the refinance, limit the liability of the borrower to the lender, modify the lender's disclosure obligations, and limit the lender's ability to obtain a deficiency judgment.	FAILED Assembly Banking & Finance
SB 1949 Killea	This bill would have reduced the maximum fee of \$10 to \$5 that a check casher may charge to set up an initial account and issue an optional identification card for providing check cashing services.	FAILED Senate Judiciary

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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2067  
Marks

Existing law excludes certain items of information from any consumer credit report prepared by a consumer credit reporting agency. This bill would have excluded information regarding a small claims judgment until 60 days from the date of entry of the judgment had elapsed.

FAILED  
Senate Judiciary

**HEALTH  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 94  
Horcher

This bill would have established the Workers' Compensation Cost Evaluation Commission. This bill also would have provided that no psychiatric injury shall be compensated unless the employee demonstrates that the psychiatric injury arose out of a single, specific event, and did not arise out of a legal, good faith employment decision by the employer. This bill would have provided that for an employer to be liable for a claim filed after an employee is terminated, the employer must have known of the injury prior to the notice of termination or layoff.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

AB 757  
Polanco

This statute requires the Department of Health Services, in consultation with the Department of Mental Health, to ensure that Medi-Cal managed care include a process for screening, referral, and coordination of medically necessary mental health services. (H&S C § 1343 and W&I C §§ 5775, 14680, 14681, 14682, 14683, 14684, & 14685)

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AB 1171  
Alpert

This bill would have authorized local health officers to operate immunization registry systems and would have provided that certain health care providers and immunization registries could disclose or share immunization-related information maintained by these systems concerning individual patients, without the patient's consent.

VETOED

AB 1172  
Moore

This bill would have revised numerous provisions relating to workers' compensation and workers' compensation insurance. This bill would have prohibited the imposition of a surcharge for workers' compensation insurance. This bill also would have required reserves to be maintained in a segregated account and all interest to be credited to the insured.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1440 Harvey	This bill would have revised various provisions regulating workers' compensation. Among other things, it would have repealed the existing minimum rate law and related rate regulations and would have enacted rate supervision regulations. This bill would have transferred the function of appointing a medical director from the Industrial Medical Council to the Administrative Director of the Division of Workers' Compensation.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2034 Polanco	This bill would have provided that any charge for specified health services for any injury resulting from an automobile accident occurring on or after January 1, 1994, shall not exceed charges permitted under the schedules of the Division of Workers' Compensation of an official medical fee for services for industrial accidents.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2203 Vasconcellos	This bill would have required that California develop a clearer set of principles and processes for determining the appropriate balance between the legitimate activities of business and the consumer's right to health and safety.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
AB 2350 Escutia	This bill would have required the California Medical Assistance Commission to consider the extent to which a hospital maximizes the delivery of preventative health care services to pregnant mothers and children. This bill would have focused on preventive assistance from primary care physicians, primary care nurse practitioners, and physicians' assistants, and the willingness of a hospital or university medical school with which the hospital is affiliated.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2610 Bronshvag	This bill would have established the Clean Needle and Syringe Exchange Program and would have authorized pharmacists, physicians, and certain specified persons to furnish hypodermic needles and syringes without a prescription or permit as prescribed through the program. It would have stated the findings and declarations of the Legislature regarding infection with the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) and the development of acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS) among injection drug users.	VETOED

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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2696 Snyder	This bill would have provided reimbursement for a registered dietician or other nutritional professional for services rendered pursuant to a referral by a physician. This bill also would have revised the required qualifications for registered dieticians.	VETOED
AB 2804 Burton	The Sherman Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Law regulates the selling of any food, drug, device, or cosmetic. Existing law provides that an Official compendium is any of three prescribed publications on pharmacopoeia. This bill would have added to the definition of Official compendium, the publication of traditional Chinese Pharmacopoeia.	FAILED Assembly Health
AB 2989 Conroy	Existing law sets forth the licensing and renewal fee to be charged to certain health facilities. This statute requires the State Department of Health Services, in consultation with provider representatives, to develop a specific proposal by July 1, 1995, to revise methodologies to ensure the validity and reliability of data systems that calculate fees, addresses, and subsidy of licensing and certification activities and to develop a licensing and certification fund. (H&S C § 1266)	CHAPTER 579 Statutes of 1994
AB 3081 Lee	This statute requires the Department of Health Services to convene a conference to address the issue of testing and treatment in preventing the neonatal group B streptococcal disease, if funds are available. (H&S C § 1695)	CHAPTER 758 Statutes of 1994
AB 3102 Martinez	This statute designates the Office of AIDS within the Department of Health Services as the lead agency within the state for developing, coordinating, and administering state programs related to AIDS. (H&S C §§ 103.6 & 103.61)	CHAPTER 683 Statutes of 1994
AB 3143 Boland	This bill would have revised the requirements for the establishment of a commission and its membership and would have revised the scope of the duties and obligations of the commission and the counties in contracting with the state for the provision of health care services under the Medi-Cal program.	FAILED Assembly Inactive Files



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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3163 Frazee	This statute requires certain providers of health care who use only electronic recordkeeping systems to use various mechanisms regarding the security, access, safety, integrity, maintenance, destruction, and confidentiality of these records. (H&S C § 1795.28)	CHAPTER 651 Statutes of 1994
AB 3173 Snyder	This bill would have specified functions that a registered pharmacist would be authorized to perform as part of the care provided by certain unlicensed facilities operated by a health care service plan or by a licensed health care service plan in accordance with policies, procedures, or protocols of that facility, clinic, home health agency or health care service plan developed by health professionals.	VETOED
AB 3260 Bornstein	This statute requires health care service plans, disability insurance policies, and a nonprofit hospital service plans, which include a binding arbitration clause in their contracts, to include a specified disclosure. (B&P C §§ 803.3 & 4227.4; H&S C §§ 1363.1 & 1373.19; and Ins C §§ 10123.19 & 11512.33)	CHAPTER 653 Statutes of 1994
AB 3386 Burton	This bill would have eliminated certain types of medications from the formulary of medications that may be administered by medical assistants, including those excluded by the Medical Board of California, because of their potential for substantial harm to the patient.	FAILED Assembly Health
AB 3388 Harvey	This statute requires that supplies furnished by a pharmacy to licensed health facilities for storage in a prescribed manner be approved by the facility's patient care policy committee or pharmaceutical service committee and be readily available to each nursing station. (B&P C § 4035 and H&S C § 1261.5)	CHAPTER 1060 Statutes of 1994

**HEALTH  
AND SAFETY**  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3391 Friedman, B.	The Cigarette and Tobacco Products Tax Law requires revenues from a specified increase in that tax to be deposited in the State Treasury to the Breast Cancer Fund and provides for allocation of this revenue within the State Department of Health Services. This statute provides that the Breast Cancer Fund shall consist of two accounts: the Breast Cancer Research Account and the Breast Cancer Control Account and that the revenues be divided equally between the two accounts. (R&T C § 30461.6)	CHAPTER 483 Statutes of 1994
AB 3571 Margolin	This bill would have required the Department of Insurance and the Department of Corporations to establish a health benefits panel which would consider whether particular procedures, services, drugs, or devices may be excluded from coverage by health care service plan contracts or disability insurance policies because they are considered experimental or investigational.	FAILED Senate Insurance & Claims
AB 3743 Martinez	This bill would have required individuals and establishments that practice cosmetology to make a specific written disclosure regarding nonregulation of cosmetic tattooing to clients for whom the service is provided.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection
AB 3787 Brown, V.	This bill would have directed the Department of Health Services to establish sterilization, sanitation, and safety standards for persons engaging in the business of tattooing, body piercing, or permanent cosmetics. It would have required the department to distribute those standards to county health departments.	VETOED
AB 3802 Woodruff	This statute establishes the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Fund and requires the deposit of licensing fees and other monies received by the Department of Health Services into that fund and to be expended in administering those licensing provisions, upon appropriation by the Legislature. (B&P C § 1302 and H&S C §§ 113, 115.1, 116, 1616, 1616.5, 10039, 10039.1, 10040, 10601, & 10605.3)	CHAPTER 492 Statutes of 1994

**HEALTH  
AND SAFETY  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

ABX 74 Speier	This statute requires hospitals to report any act of assault or battery that results in injury or involves the use of a firearm or dangerous weapon and makes the reporting of other acts of assault or battery permissible. (H&S C § 1257.7 and Pen C § 11160)	CHAPTER X-019 Statutes of 1994
SB 493 Kelley	This statute repeals a pilot program administered by the Office of Statewide Planning and Development which tested the safety and cost-effectiveness of performing cardiac catheterization in up to seven freestanding cardiac catheterization laboratories. (H&S C § 444)	CHAPTER 666 Statutes of 1994
SB 719 Craven	This bill would have provided that no specialized health care service plan that provides or arranges for dental services shall request reimbursement for overpayment or shall reduce the level of payment to a provider based on the allegation that the provider has entered into a contract with any other health care service plan for participation in a supplemental dental benefit plan which has been approved by the commissioner.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1048 Watson	This bill would have established the Clean Needle and Syringe Exchange Pilot Project and would have authorized pharmacists, physicians, and certain persons authorized for the pilot project to furnish hypodermic needles and syringes without a prescription or permit as prescribed through the pilot project.	FAILED Assembly Ways & Means
SB 1079 Watson	This bill would have required every general acute care hospital, upon request, to make known to health care consumers and the general public, the patient classification system it uses and its application to the section or unit of the hospital serving the patient in question.	VETOED
SB 1148 Watson	This bill would have required the Los Angeles County and Santa Rosa District Regional Offices of the Department of Health Services to make nurse patient advocates available to receive complaints from patients or staff of licensed health facilities relating to inappropriate denial of treatment, limitations on treatment, or unnecessary treatments or procedure.	FAILED Secretary of Senate

**HEALTH  
AND SAFETY  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 1160 Watson	This bill would have established the Alternative Reproduction Act of 1993 which would regulate the process by which infertile persons may become parents through the use of a donated egg or through a surrogate.	FAILED Senate
SB 1408 Alquist	Existing law states that on or after September 1, 1993, a manufacturer, distributor, or seller of certain industrial containers is required to place warning labels on the containers. This statute exempts these labeling requirements for those industrial containers manufactured prior to September 1, 1993. (H&S C § 24428.5)	CHAPTER 173 Statutes of 1994
SB 1832 Bergeson	This statute requires health care service plans to reimburse providers for emergency services and care without prior authorization in specified circumstances. (H&S C §§ 1363.5, 1370.2, 1371, 1371.4, 1371.8, 1373.65, 1374.8, & 1397.5 and Ins C §§ 791.27, 796.04, & 11512.55)	CHAPTER 614 Statutes of 1994
SB 1852 Thompson	This statute expresses legislative findings regarding the necessity of adopting emergency Home Health Agency licensing regulations. It requires the director of the State Department of Health Services to adopt revised Home Health Agency emergency regulations. (H&S C § 1727.5)	CHAPTER 551 Statutes of 1994
SB 1921 Lewis	This bill would have exempted a manufacturer of industrial containers, solely for wholesale distribution, from the existing law requirement of placing warning labels on the containers.	FAILED Senate Appropriations
SB 1927 Hayden	This statute establishes the Stop Tobacco to Kids Enforcement Act or "STAKE" Act and states findings and declarations regarding the necessity for reducing and eliminating the consumption of tobacco products by minors. It requires the State Department of Health Services to establish and develop a program to reduce the availability of tobacco products to minors and to establish requirements for the posting of notices by retailers. (B&P C § 22950 and H&S C § 216)	CHAPTER 1009 Statutes of 1994

**LANDLORD  
AND TENANT**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 157 Conroy	This bill would have prohibited cities and counties from adopting or enforcing rent control for residential property.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1320 Costa	This bill would have provided that an owner of residential real property could establish the initial and all subsequent rental rates for a dwelling or a unit that has a certificate of occupancy issued after March 1, 1994 and that has already been exempt from the residential rent control ordinance of a public entity on or before March 1, 1994, pursuant to a local exemption for newly constructed units.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
AB 1672 Friedman, T.	This bill would have created special exemptions to the landlord-tenant law for tenants who were affected by the January 17, 1994 Northridge Earthquake. Tenants in default of rent payments as a result of the earthquake, would have been entitled to receive from a landlord, notices informing tenants of their right to receive assistance. The failure to provide such notices could have been used by tenants as an affirmative defense in any unlawful detainer action.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
AB 2484 Andal	This statute exempts from registration, licensed real estate salespersons or brokers who act as property managers for the property and who are named as a party to an unlawful detainer action. (B&P C §§ 6401 & 6401.5)	CHAPTER 203 Statutes of 1994
AB 3578 Ferguson	This bill would have stated the intent of the Legislature to exclude from the provisions of any rent control ordinance, individuals with average or above-average income. It would have provided that if a space within a mobilehome park, subject to rent control, is not leased to a person or persons of low income or very low income, within 180 days of an announced vacancy, the unit shall be exempt from any local rent control measure.	FAILED Assembly Ways & Means
AB 3585 Ferguson	This bill would have stated the intent of the Legislature to exclude from the provisions of any residential rent control ordinance, individuals with average or above-average income.	FAILED Assembly Ways & Means

**LANDLORD  
AND TENANT  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 690 Kopp	This statute establishes a pilot project in two counties in the state where a defendant in an unlawful detainer action may be required to deposit with the court a pretrial rent deposit. However, this statute does not apply to mobilehomes, manufactured homes, real property in mobilehome parks, or defined manufactured housing communities. (CCP §§ 715.050 & 1167.2)	CHAPTER 898 Statutes of 1994
SB 1341 Rosenthal	This bill would have required a landlord and tenant to use a property inspection checklist, both at the beginning and at the end of tenancy.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
SB 1510 Lewis	This statute requires a city or county that administers a rent control measure to permit management to separately charge for fees and costs imposed by a specified governmental entity on the space rented by the homeowner, and will make this provision applicable to fees and charges first imposed on or after January 1, 1995. (Civ C §§ 798.23, 798.49, & 798.53)	CHAPTER 340 Statutes of 1994
SB 1664 Craven	This bill would have allowed nonpurchasing residents in a mobilehome park to pay rent increases in five annual payments rather than four. For low-income nonpurchasing residents, the monthly rent or fees could not be increased by an amount greater than the average monthly increase in the Consumer Price Index for the most recently reported period.	FAILED Assembly Housing & Community Development
SB 2088 Mello	This statute specifies that "persons who hire" real property does not include a person who, among other things, maintains an occupancy at a hotel or motel where the innkeeper retains a right of access to and control of the dwelling unit and the hotel or motel provides certain specified services, including central dining, maid, mail, and room. (Civ C § 1940 and Pen C § 602)	CHAPTER 680 Statutes of 1994

**LANDLORD  
AND TENANT  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SCR 44  
Calderon

This statute encourages local agencies that administer or are considering local rent control ordinances to adopt procedures that encourage the submission of disputes between landlords and tenants to a mediator prior to the submission of the dispute to arbitration or the formal legal process of the local agency.

CHAPTER R-82  
Statutes of 1994

**LOCAL  
GOVERNMENT**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 860  
Pringle

This statute requires that any legal action by a local agency against the State of California and that challenges the constitutionality of any new statute relating to state funding, be filed within 45 days of the effective date of the disputed statute. (CCP § 341.5; Gov C § 955.3; and R&T C §§ 97.02, 97.03, 97.035, 97.036, & 97.04)

CHAPTER 155  
Statutes of 1994

AB 3352  
Gotch

This statute provides that a joint powers entity, formed by agreement between a city and one or more reclamation districts to carry out a flood control project, receive the same assessment and bonding authority granted to reclamation districts under existing law. (Gov C §§ 6546, 6546.5, 24011, 56131.5, & 57092 and H&S C §§ 9504.5, 9600.5, & 9600.6)

CHAPTER 1152  
Statutes of 1994

**MOBILEHOMES**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 115  
Honeycutt

This bill would have required a homeowner to give management at least 30 days notice prior to filing a judicial action based on an alleged violation of the Mobilehome Residency Law. This bill would have prohibited management of a mobilehome park from commencing judicial action against homeowners who submit a request to management to meet and consult.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

**MOBILEHOMES**  
**(cont.)****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**

<b>MOBILEHOMES</b> <b>(cont.)</b>	<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>DISPOSITION</b>
AB 122 Andal	This bill would have amended the Mobilehome Residency Law to prohibit cities or counties from adopting or enforcing rent control within a mobilehome park.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
AB 390 Richter	This bill would have required a mobilehome park tenant to enter into nonbinding mediation with management, within a specified timeframe, before the tenant could commence a legal action. Tenant and management would have shared mediation costs. Management that refused to enter into mediation would have been liable for the tenant's legal costs. No other mediation of a dispute would have been required if mediation is conducted pursuant to this bill.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 515 Ferguson	This bill would have prohibited a local agency, with certain exceptions, from acquiring an existing mobilehome park by eminent domain if the local agency intends to continue the usage of the property for mobilehome residential sites, and the park is subject to rent control.	FAILED Assembly
AB 746 Ferguson	This bill would have exempted from local rent control a mobilehome space that is not rented and is not the principal residence of the owner of the mobilehome. This bill would have declared the intent of the Legislature to exclude wealthy individuals from provisions of rent control.	FAILED Assembly
AB 1052 Conroy	This bill would have specified that mobilehome park management may pass-through specified operating costs to tenants if it is done pursuant to a rental agreement. This provision, however, would have applied only during the term, extension, or holdover of those rental agreements not subject to rent control.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1109 Hoge	This bill would have required that a mobilehome owner give management prior notice of the basis of the claim before commencing a civil action.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly



**MOBILEHOMES****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION****(cont.)**AB 2144  
Nolan

Under existing law, the management of a mobilehome park may not terminate or refuse to renew a tenancy except for specified reasons and upon written notice of not less than 60 days to remove the mobilehome from the park. This bill would have provided that during the above 60-day period but not less than 30 days following the giving of the written notice to the homeowner, the management of the mobilehome park may commence a civil action to terminate the tenancy of the homeowner. The bill also would have specified that if the mobilehome owner terminates his or her tenancy during the 60-day period specified above, he or she is not liable for any attorney fees or costs incurred by the management in connection with the action. This bill would have eliminated the requirement that specific facts be set forth to permit determination of the witnesses concerning the reason for termination.

**FAILED**  
Chief Clerk-AssemblyAB 2959  
Ferguson

Existing law provides that mobilehome parks governed by rent control shall use the last rental rate charged for a space under a previous rental agreement exempt from rent control, as the basis for rent regulation laws. This bill would have further specified that the latter base rent shall be treated like any other base rent under the rent regulations.

**FAILED**  
AssemblyAB 3107  
Ferguson

This bill would have provided that the definition of mobilehome park not include a subdivision, cooperative, or condominium for mobilehomes or a common interest development.

**FAILED**  
Assembly Housing  
& Community  
DevelopmentAB 3203  
Brown, V.

This statute prohibits mobilehome park management from requiring repairs and improvements to the park space or property owned by the management, except for damage caused by the homeowner. (Civ C § 798.73)

**CHAPTER 729**  
Statutes of 1994

**MOBILEHOMES**  
**(cont.)****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**AB 3578  
Ferguson

This bill would have stated the intent of the Legislature to exclude from the provisions of any rent control ordinance, individuals with average or above-average income. It would have provided that if a space within a mobilehome park, subject to rent control, is not leased to a person or persons of low income or very low income, within 180 days of an announced vacancy, the unit shall be exempt from any local rent control measure.

FAILED  
Assembly  
Ways & Means

SB 1058  
Dills

This bill would have specified conditions for mobilehome owners renting or subleasing their spaces in a mobilehome park.

FAILED  
Secretary of Senate

SB 1280  
Craven

Existing law, which sunsets January 1, 1995, requires a mobilehome park owner, prior to offering to sell a park to any party, to provide written notice to a homeowner's organization at least 30 days prior to listing the park with a real estate broker. This statute deleted the sunset date. (Civ C § 798.80)

CHAPTER 219  
Statutes of 1994

SB 1386  
McCorquodale

This statute requires that whenever a mobilehome park is sold, the owner shall deposit in escrow an amount equal to all security deposits collected prior to January 1, 1989. The mobilehome park owner shall include directions in his or her escrow instructions providing that, upon close of escrow, security deposits held for 12 months or more shall be refunded to persons who are current on their rent payments during the 12 months preceding the close of escrow. (Civ C § 798.39)

CHAPTER 119  
Statutes of 1994

SB 1413  
Craven

This statute authorizes certain bonds to be issued to finance mobilehome parks in which residents rent spaces and either rent, legally own, or are purchasing the mobilehomes occupying these spaces within the multifamily rental housing. (H&S C §§ 33741, 33742, 34377, 34377.2, 52101, & 52102)

CHAPTER 379  
Statutes of 1994

**MOBILEHOMES**

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**SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**

SB 1461 Craven	This statute provides that when a manufactured home or a mobilehome owned by a person 55 or older and who is also a member of a lower income household, is moved from a park space in one school district to a mobilehome park space in another school district, and is subject to school facilities construction fees, the school district may waive the fee. If the new district chooses not to waive the fee, it must grant approval for occupancy and permission to pay the fee in installments. (Civ C §§ 798.82 & 799.8 and Gov C § 53080.4)	CHAPTER 983 Statutes of 1994
SB 1508 Craven	This statute provides that a homeowner in a mobilehome park shall not be required to obtain liability insurance as a condition of use of common area facilities to assemble or meet for specified purposes. (Civ C § 798.24)	CHAPTER 380 Statutes of 1994
SB 1663 Craven	This statute lengthens the amount of time allowed between mobilehome park inspections from five to seven years. This statute contains other related provisions.	CHAPTER 674 Statutes of 1994
SB 1664 Craven	This bill would have allowed nonpurchasing residents in a mobilehome park to pay rent increases in five annual payments rather than four. For low-income nonpurchasing residents, the monthly rent or fees could not be increased by an amount greater than the average monthly increase in the Consumer Price Index for the most recently reported period.	FAILED Assembly Housing & Community Development

**NEW REGULATORY  
PROGRAMS****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**

AB 2780 O'Connell	This bill would have provided for certification of home inspectors by the California Registry of Certified Home Inspectors. This bill would have exempted certified home inspectors from the Architects Practice Act, the Professional Engineers Act, the Contractors' State License Law, and the Real Estate Appraisers' Licensing and Certification Law.	FAILED Senate
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**NEW REGULATORY  
PROGRAMS**  
(cont.)

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3517  
Bronshvag

This bill would have required the Department of Consumer Affairs to contract with the University of California to conduct a study to determine whether health and fitness instructors need to be regulated. This study would have been financed by private donations.

FAILED  
Senate  
Business & Professions

**PRIVACY**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 659  
Moore

This bill would have required that the home address and home telephone number of a person contained in a public record, except records of registered voters, could not be released by any state or local agency or county assessors and recorders without the authorization of that person. Law enforcement officials and news gathering organizations would not have been required to obtain prior authorization.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

AB 661  
Moore

This bill would have enacted the Personal Information Integrity Act of 1993, requiring, among other things, any person who uses a computer network to collect or distribute personal information pertaining to a California resident for a commercial purpose to provide a copy of that information to the resident and permit correction of that information.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

AB 662  
Moore

This bill would have established an Office of Information Practices in the Office of the Secretary of State and would have authorized the Office to develop model guidelines to assist agencies in the implementation of the Information Practices Act of 1977. The bill would have required the Office to adopt regulations governing the conduct of state agencies in carrying out the act.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

AB 2451  
Bates

This bill would have required the Office of Information Technology to develop a plan by January 1, 1996, for free statewide computer-assisted public access to government information that has been computerized and is subject to public disclosure. It requires the Office to make various reports to the Legislature during the development of the plan and requires that those reports be made available to the public through a public computer network.

FAILED  
Assembly

**PRIVACY**  
**(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2843  
Snyder

Existing law generally prohibits intentional and nonconsensual eavesdropping on a confidential communication. Existing law provides that specified law enforcement officers shall not be prohibited from eavesdropping. This bill would have extended that exemption to specified persons employed by certain state agencies and departments. This includes investigators employed by the State Fire Marshall, Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control, Department of Motor Vehicles, or an inspector of the food and drug section of the State Department of Health Services.

FAILED  
Senate Judiciary

AB 3170  
Napolitano

This bill would have enacted the Vital Records Security Act of 1995 that would have provided that all records or certificates of live births, deaths, marriages, dissolutions of marriages, legal separations, or nullity decrees be classified as vital records and would have deleted and recasted various provisions relating to these records in order to standardize the forms and to provide for greater security and confidentiality of vital statistics information.

FAILED  
Assembly

SB 1460  
Calderon

Under existing law, the California Public Records Act, public records are open to inspection during the office hours of state and local agencies with specified exceptions. One category of records exempt from disclosure is law enforcement records. This bill would have specified the conditions under which investigatory records compiled or maintained by any state or local law enforcement agency would have been considered exempt.

FAILED  
Senate  
Inactive Files

**PRODUCTS**  
**AND SERVICES**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 171  
Conroy

This statute makes it a misdemeanor for any person conducting a business in this state and who uses a private mailbox to sell or offer to sell consumer goods without first disclosing in all advertising and promotional materials, the legal name and the complete address of the business unless certain requirements are met. (B&P C § 17538.5)

CHAPTER 684  
Statutes of 1994

**PRODUCTS  
AND SERVICES**  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 318 Friedman, T.	Existing law exempts a seller from liability for inherently unsafe common consumer products intended for personal consumption, such as cigarettes, if the product is known by the ordinary consumer to be unsafe. This bill would have prohibited advertising any of these products by the use of a defined cartoon character, such as "Joe Camel", if the product is inherently unsafe, exempt from product liability actions, or may not be used or consumed by minors.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 350 Tucker	This bill would have required any deposit on a contract for health studio services for an unopened facility to be placed in an escrow account. This bill would have authorized the imposition of a civil penalty of \$250 for each contract in violation of these requirements.	FAILED Assembly Inactive Files
AB 918 Speier	Existing law generally prohibits offers of a sales incentive if the recipient must pay any money to use the incentive. The law exempts incentives to stay at a hotel or resort at a discount if, among other things, the hotel or resort is within 20 miles of the property offered for sale. This statute expands the exemption to apply to accommodations more than 20 miles from the property for sale. (B&P C §§ 17537.2, 17538.8, 17550, & 17550.35)	CHAPTER 1123 Statutes of 1994
AB 1533 Tucker	This bill would have reduced the maximum charges of check cashers to 1% for cashing a payroll check with identification and 1.5% for cashing a payroll check without identification, or \$3, whichever is greater.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2301 Morrow	This bill would have provided that in a product liability action, a plaintiff may establish as a basis for his or her claim, that the defendant failed to provide an adequate warning of the danger or dangers causing injury to the plaintiff.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly

**PRODUCTS  
AND SERVICES  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2418  
Speier

This bill would have provided that no seller of goods or services may discriminate, with respect to the price charged for goods or services of similar or like kind, against a person solely because of the person's gender. This bill would have provided that its provisions do not alter or affect the provisions of the Health and Safety Code, the Insurance Code, or other laws that govern health care service plan or insurer underwriting or rating practices.

VETOED

AB 2513  
Bowen

Existing law provides for the comprehensive regulation of ticket sellers. A violation of those regulations is a misdemeanor. This bill would have provided that a ticket seller who contracts for the sale of tickets to an event and who fails to provide a ticket at a contracted price shall, in addition to the misdemeanor penalty, be civilly liable to the ticket purchaser for two times the contract price of the ticket in addition to any sum expended by the purchaser in nonrefundable expenses for attending or attempting to attend the event. (See also AB 3083 & SB 580)

VETOED

AB 2593  
Costa

This bill would have specified that if the registered owner of a vehicle sells a vehicle and submits a Notice of Release of Liability to the Department of Motor Vehicles, the person shown as the transferee would be liable for the amount of towing and storage incurred after the submission of that notice.

FAILED  
Assembly  
Transportation

AB 2813  
Morrow

This bill would have exempted from liability for exemplary damages a manufacturer or seller of a defective product that was in compliance with all applicable governmental standards in the jurisdiction in which any defective component was manufactured.

FAILED  
Assembly Judiciary

**PRODUCTS  
AND SERVICES  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3083 Alpert	This statute prohibits a ticket seller from contracting to sell or accepting payment for tickets unless he or she either has the tickets in his or her possession or has a contractual right to obtain the tickets. If the ticket seller cannot meet one of these requirements, he or she must disclose to the ticket purchaser that the tickets may not be available as promised. If the ticket seller makes the necessary disclosures, he or she may accept a deposit and promise to make best efforts to obtain the tickets for the buyer. (B&P C §§ 22500, 22502.1, 22502.2, & 22502.3) (See also AB 2513 & SB 580)	CHAPTER 1132 Statutes of 1994
AB 3406 Umberg	Existing law regulates the content and effect of home solicitation contracts. Existing law defines "services" for purposes of these provisions to include, among other things, services furnished in connection with the repair, alteration, or improvement of residential premises. This bill would have revised the definition to also include services furnished in connection with the restoration of residential premises.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection
ABX 36 Katz	This statute enacts price gouging prohibitions following the proclamation of a state of emergency resulting from a natural or manmade disaster. Specifically, the statute prohibits the selling of consumer food items, goods, services used for emergency cleanup, emergency supplies, medical supplies, home heating oil, or gasoline or motor fuels for 10 percent or more over the price charged by that person immediately before the emergency. (B&S C § 7123.5 and Pen C § 396)	CHAPTER X-052 Statutes of 1994
ABX 57 Archie-Hudson	Existing law regulates the content and effect of home solicitation contracts, and defines "services" in connection with the repair, alteration, or improvement of residential premises. This statute revises this definition to also include the restoration of residential premises and gives buyers of home solicitation contracts to repair or restore a home damaged by a disaster seven days to cancel the contract (unless the buyer waives his or her cancellation rights). (Civ C §§ 1689.13, 1689.14, 1689.5, 1689.6 & 1689.7 and Pen C § 396)	CHAPTER X-051 Statutes of 1994



**PRODUCTS  
AND SERVICES  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

ABX 119  
Umberg

This bill would have prohibited imposition of excessive price increases on essential consumer goods or services that are sold or offered for sale during a declared state of emergency or within 30 days of the termination of a state of emergency. (See also ABX 36, ABX 57, & SB 1538)

FAILED  
Assembly  
Public Safety

ABX 122  
Speier

This bill would have provided that any person who on or after January 1, 1995, manufactures, distributes, or sells in this state a restricted firearm is strictly liable to the victim, or his or her estate, for any personal injury or death cause by the firearm.

FAILED  
Assembly Judiciary

SB 580  
Mark

This bill would have deleted an exemption from various requirements for ticket sellers for sellers working under contract for the primary contractor; the person or organization responsible for the event for which tickets are being sold. Existing law requires on the request the refund of the price of a ticket for a cancelled, postponed, or rescheduled event. This bill also would have required the service charge to be refunded. This bill would have required the ticket seller to disclose in any advertisement or promotion the amount of any service or other charges added to the price of the ticket.

FAILED  
Secretary of Senate

SB 618  
Hayden

This bill would have, with certain exceptions, prohibited the advertisement of any personal consumption products that are known to be unsafe by using defined cartoon characters, and would have prohibited the advertisement of alcoholic beverages in a manner that encourages minors to drink.

FAILED  
Secretary of Senate

SB 759  
Hayden

Existing law provides that manufacturers or sellers of certain common consumer products known to be unsafe by the ordinary consumer are not liable in a product liability action. This bill would have limited the term "product liability action" for purposes of these provisions to such actions brought by or on behalf of a person who voluntarily and personally consumed the product.

FAILED  
Secretary of Senate

**PRODUCTS  
AND SERVICES****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION****(cont.)**

SB 861 Hughes	This statute provides that any person who knowingly sells a cut, unlicensed sports trading card that has been produced by cutting the card from a publication in which unlicensed sports trading cards are bound, without disclosing the source and the means of producing the card, with the intent to deceive, injure, or defraud another, is guilty of a misdemeanor. (B&P C §§ 17539.35 & 21672; and Pen C § 319.3)	CHAPTER 1074 Statutes of 1994
SB 1538 Wright	This bill would have provided that, upon proclamation of an emergency and for a period of 30 days following the declaration, it is a misdemeanor for any person, contractor, business, or other entity to sell or offer to sell any consumer food items, repair or reconstruction services, and other specified items for a price that exceeds 10 percent of the price charged by that person for those goods and services, unless that person can prove that the increase in price was directly attributable an increase in costs for specified reasons. (See also ABX 36, ABX 57, & ABX 119)	FAILED Assembly Public Safety
<b>TELECOMMUNICATIONS</b>	<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>DISPOSITION</b>
AB 4 Areias	This bill would have permitted a customer to withhold the display of a telephone caller's number on a per call basis or a per line basis and would have prohibited a telephone call identification service from displaying a caller's telephone number unless the caller has been notified of the caller identification service and has had the opportunity to block that identification. (See also AB 814)	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 252 Murray	This bill would have created the California Arts Fund and would have imposed a specified fee on cable television franchisees or licensees to fund programs authorized by the bill. This bill would have authorized the council to make grants to eligible organizations and independent producers for programming in accordance with a specified process.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS**  
**(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 814 Conroy	This bill would have required the Public Utilities Commission to permit telephone corporations to offer call ID services. This bill would have permitted the withholding of the display of the caller's telephone number to be done on a per call basis or a per line basis at the customer's option. (See also AB 4)	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 903 Klehs	Existing law requires an information provider, engaged in furnishing any live, recorded, or recorded-interactive telephone service, to provide callers with a delayed timing of information charges and a price disclosure message of specified content. This bill would have applied to an information provider who is a state entity.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 950 Moore	Existing law provides for the California Education Information System to establish, conduct, and keep current a basic integrated, statewide information system for education. This bill would have required the system to include additional information relating to information technology, telecommunications, and electronic communications technology.	FAILED Senate Appropriations
AB 1806 Bronshvag	Existing law declares that the Public Utilities Commission has no jurisdiction and no control over the billing and collection practices of a telephone corporation for its services to an information provider furnishing any live or recorded video text or audio information service containing harmful matter through a specified prefix or access code. Existing law specifically permits the commission to investigate for purposes of establishing telephone rates any services a telephone corporation may perform for an information provider. These provisions were repealed on January 1, 1994. This bill would have extended these provisions indefinitely.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2195 Costa	This bill would have required the Public Utilities Commission to study the effect of regulation on the competitiveness of telephone corporations and competition in the mobile telecommunications industry, and would have required the commission to report to the Legislature on its findings by July 1, 1995.	FAILED Senate Energy & Public Utilities

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS**  
**(cont.)****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**

AB 2455 Epple	This bill would have required that any telephone corporation providing enhanced "911" emergency telephone service that is capable of selective routing, automatic number identification, and graphic automatic location identification, to present to the communications division a comprehensive plan detailing a schedule of conversion prior to December 31, 1997.	FAILED Assembly Ways & Means
AB 2662 Snyder	This statute provides that privileged information transmitted by facsimile, cellular radio telephone, or cordless telephone between the client and lawyer is confidential. (Evid C § 952)	CHAPTER 186 Statutes of 1994
AB 2903 Conroy	This bill would have exempted from the definition of a telephone corporation, commercial paging systems regulated by the Federal Communications Commission.	FAILED Assembly Utilities & Commerce
AB 3029 Archie-Hudson	Under existing law, the Public Utilities Commission is vested with regulatory authority over public utilities. Existing law also makes legislative findings and declarations setting forth policies for telecommunications in California. This bill would have made a legislative finding and declaration that a policy for telecommunications in California is to promote development in low-income communities by prioritizing those communities for the initial development of "information superhighway" pilot programs.	FAILED Assembly Utilities & Commerce
AB 3354 Martinez	This bill would have required the California Public Utilities Commission to begin a review of the existing and planned telecommunication infrastructure of all major local exchange telephone companies and to report these findings to the Legislature by October 1, 1995.	FAILED Assembly Utilities & Commerce
AB 3606 Moore	This statute provides that if any local exchange telephone company obtains the right to offer cable television or video dialtone service within its service territory, any cable television corporation may immediately have the right to enter into the local telecommunications market by filing for approval a certificate of public convenience and necessity. (PUC §§ 709 & 709.5)	CHAPTER 1260 Statutes of 1994

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION****(cont.)**

AB 3607 Moore	This bill would have required the State Librarian and the Superintendent of Public Instruction to apportion funds appropriated from the California School and Library Information Infrastructure Trust Fund to public libraries and to school districts and county offices of education for specified purposes related to education technology.	FAILED Assembly Inactive Files
AB 3609 Moore	This bill would have required the Public Utilities Commission to designate a geographic area as the California Competition Zone.	FAILED Assembly Utilities & Commerce
AB 3610 Moore	This statute extends (through January 1, 1997) the surcharge established by the Public Utilities Commission to finance programs that service the needs of hearing impaired individuals. (PUC § 2881)	CHAPTER 608 Statutes of 1994
AB 3643 Polanco	Under existing law, the Public Utilities Commission is vested with regulatory authority over public utilities. This statute requires the commission to initiate an investigation and open a proceeding to examine the current and future definitions of universal service in telecommunications. This statute requires the commission to report to the Legislature on its findings and recommendations by January 1, 1996.	CHAPTER 278 Statutes of 1994
AB 3704 Bronshvag	Existing law prescribes the circumstances under which telephone corporations can release information regarding residential subscribers without their consent in writing. This statute permits the release of information relating to lifeline telephone customers to public utilities for the sole purpose of low-income ratepayer assistance outreach efforts. (PUC § 2891)	CHAPTER 214 Statutes of 1994
AB 3720 Costa	This statute requires the Public Utilities Commission to pursue all reasonable and necessary legislative and judicial actions to open California's intrastate interexchange markets to full competition. (PUC § 709.2)	CHAPTER 934 Statutes of 1994

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS**  
**(cont.)****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**

AB 3767 Andal	This bill would have, until January 1, 1998, authorized the Public Utilities Commission to determine that some or all nondominant telephone corporations shall be subject to registration-only regulation, and would have set forth the duties and authority of the commission in regulating these corporations.	FAILED Senate Energy & Public Utilities
SB 319 Rosenthal	Under existing law, the Public Utilities Commission has jurisdiction over the rates and services of telephone corporations. This bill would have required the commission, as part of its decision in the Phase III implementation rate design case, to apply specified principles of the new regulatory framework for local exchange telecommunications carriers. This bill also would have required the commission to make a determination into what constitutes a fair competitive environment, rate fairness, and whether a fair return for local exchange carriers has been met.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 320 Rosenthal	This bill would have permitted the Public Utilities Commission to expand the funding base of the Universal Lifeline Telephone Service program surcharge to include any or all telephone corporations or telecommunications services provided by telephone corporations.	FAILED Assembly Utilities & Commerce
SB 454 Lockyer	This bill would have increased the penalty for those who sell illegal cable descramblers and would have provided independent civil action against persons who illicitly descramble cable signals.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 595 Rogers	Under existing law, the Public Utilities Commission implements programs whereby telecommunications devices are furnished to telephone subscribers who are deaf or hearing-impaired and to statewide organizations representing the deaf or hearing-impaired. This bill also would have permitted the certification of deaf or hearing-impaired to be made by a hearing aid dispenser if a physician and surgeon have evaluated the hearing-impaired individual's hearing.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 597 Rosenthal	This bill would have required the Public Utilities Commission to direct cellular telephone companies to revise the charges during cellular-to-cellular telephone calls so that calls not completed are not charged.	FAILED Assembly

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION****(cont.)**

SB 1630 Hart	This statute requires local telephone corporations, excluding those providing wireless and cellular services, to provide residential telephone connections, to the extent allowed by existing technology or facilities, with access to "911" emergency service regardless of whether an account has been established. This statute requires the Public Utilities Commission to prohibit any corporation from terminating access to the "911" service due to nonpayment or customer telephone debt. (PUC § 2883)	CHAPTER 612 Statutes of 1994
SB 1709 Peace	This statute states the intent of the Legislature that public utilities and publicly owned utilities be fairly and adequately compensated for the use of their rights-of-way and easements for the installation of fiber optic cable and that electric public utilities and publicly owned utilities have the ability, if they so desire, to negotiate access to those fiber optic cables, for their own use, and would make findings and declarations in that regard. (PUC § 767.7)	CHAPTER 623 Statutes of 1994
SB 1846 Mello	This statute requires the Public Utilities Commission to pursue all legal remedies to eliminate or redraw telecommunications intrastate interexchange (also known as LATA) boundaries and eliminate other customer burdens in the counties of Monterey, San Luis Obispo, and Santa Cruz. (PUC § 2888)	CHAPTER 941 Statutes of 1994
SB 1939 Rosenthal	Existing law authorizes the Public Utilities Commission to establish rates for telephone corporations. This statute requires the commission to extend special programs for up to a 3-year period to encourage telecommuting in the area of the state affected by the Northridge Earthquake of 1994. (PUC § 739.9)	CHAPTER 943 Statutes of 1994
SB 1960 Rosenthal	This bill would have enacted the Rosenthal-Moore Educational Technology Act of 1994, and established the Golden State Education Network Foundation, with specified membership. This bill would have sunseted on January 1, 2010.	VETOED

<b>TELECOMMUNICATIONS</b> <b>(cont.)</b>	<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>DISPOSITION</b>
SB 1962 Rosenthal	This bill would have required the Public Utilities Commission to maintain a telecommunications education program to protect the interests of California consumers.	FAILED Assembly Ways & Means
SB 1966 Calderon	This statute adds a provision to the Public Utilities Act to declare additional policy to remove the barriers to open, competitive markets and promote fair product and price competition in such a way as to encourage greater efficiency, lower prices, expand consumer choice and avoid anti-competitive conduct. (PUC § 709)	CHAPTER 1284 Statutes of 1994
SB 1998 Kopp	This statute requires the Public Utilities Commission to investigate the advantages and disadvantages of requiring telephone corporations to bill in increments shorter than one minute and report to the Legislature no later than December 31, 1995. (PUC § 2882.5)	CHAPTER 677 Statutes of 1994
SB 2108 Dills	This bill would have required the commission to design and implement a program under which each telephone corporation would provide public pay telephones equipped with telecommunications devices capable of servicing the needs of the deaf or hearing impaired in existing and newly constructed buildings, and would have required telephone corporations to equip public telephones with volume controls in accordance with specified federal standards.	FAILED Senate Energy & Public Utilities
<b>UTILITIES</b>	<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>DISPOSITION</b>
AB 783 Polanco	Existing law requires the Public Utilities Commission to authorize public utilities to engage in programs to encourage economic development. This statute extends the permitted incentives to include recycling market development zones. (PUC §§ 12827 & 740.4)	CHAPTER 53 Statutes of 1994
AB 1386 Escutia	This bill would have required the Public Utilities Commission to require a gas corporation to publish a tariff establishing terms and conditions of wholesale gas service for a municipality within its service territory including rates.	FAILED Senate



**UTILITIES**  
**(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1879  
Bornstein

Existing law requires the Public Utilities Commission to designate a baseline quantity of electricity and gas necessary for a significant portion of the reasonable energy needs of the average customer. The commission is also required to establish a standard limited allowance of gas and electricity to which specified residential customers are entitled in addition to the baseline quantity. This bill would have included customers 62 years of age or older who reside in extreme climactic zones as a part of the class of residential customer where additional limited allowance of electricity applies.

VETOED

AB 2363  
Moore

This bill would have permitted the work for which a contractor's license is required, to be performed if the work is incidental to another utility function and is performed by a utility employee who is present on the premises for the other function.

FAILED  
Assembly  
Inactive Files

AB 2576  
Baca

This statute permits the Public Utilities Commission to authorize rate discounts to industries or business entities whose facilities are located or will be located within the boundaries of enterprise zones, recycling market development zones, or economic incentive areas, in addition to the incentives permitted by existing law. The discounts are applied in the form of reduced monthly rates on utility bills, or, for industries or business entities that agree to maintain their facilities in this state for a minimum of 5 years from the date of commencement of the discount, the utility is authorized to assign the discounts to a private or public entity that returns consideration of like value to those customers. (PUC § 740.4)

CHAPTER 945  
Statutes of 1994

AB 2816  
Connolly

This bill would have required all utility investments for extensions of service provided by gas and electric corporations to residential, commercial, agriculture, and industrial customers to be cost-justified for utility ratepayers, and would have required the portion of any extension which is not cost-justified to be the financial responsibility of the applicant requesting the extension.

FAILED  
Assembly  
Utilities & Commerce

AB 2837  
Baca

This bill would have prohibited the Public Utilities Commission from ordering an electrical or gas corporation to put low-income energy services out for bid.

VETOED

**UTILITIES**  
**(cont.)****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**

AB 2840 Solis	This bill would have required the Public Utilities Commission to schedule public participation meetings in order to hear public opinion on various public utilities' rates or services.	VETOED
AB 3332 Conroy	This statute expands the scope of court orders which may be granted to include an order allowing vehicles operating in violation of an injunction, restraining order, or other order, to be impounded at the carrier's expense, subject to release only by subsequent court order following a petition to the court by the defendant or owner of the vehicle. (PUC §§ 1044, 1079, 3742, 3802.5, 5259, & 5415.5)	CHAPTER 457 Statutes of 1994
AB 3667 Martinez	This bill would have specified limits on the amount of customer deposits required by electrical, gas, heat, telephone, cable television, and water corporations, and cellular telephone service providers. This bill would have required each of these entities to pay interest, at a rate set by the Public Utilities Commission according to specified criteria, on the amount of any customer deposit for the establishment or restoration of service that is refunded to the customer.	FAILED Assembly Utilities & Commerce
SB 1304 Ayala	This statute requires the Public Utilities Commission to direct each Public Utility Electrical Corporation to renew its efforts to reduce the rates charged to heavy industrial customers to a level competitive with other states, and requires each electrical corporation to report to the commission no later than June 30, 1995. (PUC § 743.1)	CHAPTER 752 Statutes of 1994
SB 1632 Kelley	This statute specifies that, until January 1, 1999, existing law shall not prohibit the development of experimental electrical residential rate schedules where the energy component of a rate decreases as consumption increases, if the utility demonstrates and the commission finds that the consumption pattern of those participating customers causes the energy costs of the utility to decrease as consumption increases. (PUC § 739.3)	CHAPTER 767 Statutes of 1994
SB 1659 Russell	This bill would have required the Public Utilities Commission to establish processes and procedures that provide administrative due process while expeditiously reviewing protests, when promoting open markets and product and price competition.	FAILED Senate Energy & Public Utilities

**UTILITIES**  
**(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 1709  
Peace

This statute states the intent of the Legislature that public utilities and publicly owned utilities be fairly and adequately compensated for the use of their rights-of-way and easements for the installation of fiber optic cable and that electric public utilities and publicly owned utilities have the ability, if they so desire, to negotiate access to those fiber optic cables, for their own use, and would make findings and declarations in that regard. (PUC § 767.7)

CHAPTER 623  
Statutes of 1994

SB 1938  
Rosenthal

Existing law authorizes the Public Utilities Commission to supervise and regulate every public utility in the state and to do all things necessary and convenient in the exercise of its power and jurisdiction. This bill would have required the Commission to report to the Legislature no later than March 1, 1995, describing its actions taken to implement the internal management recommendations of the advisory group to the Senate Subcommittee on California Public Utilities Commission Reforms.

FAILED  
Senate  
Energy & Public  
Utilities

SB 1956  
Rosenthal

Existing law states that the meetings of the Public Utilities Commission shall be open and public in accordance with the Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act. This bill would have prohibited certain ex parte communications regarding proceedings conducted by the commission.

FAILED  
Senate

SB 1957  
Rosenthal

This bill would have required that prior to commencement of any meeting at which commissioners vote on items on the public agenda, the commission make available to the public copies of the agenda and any other writings distributed to all or a majority of the commissioners for discussion or consideration at the meeting.

VETOED

**MISCELLANEOUS****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**

AB 1 Alpert	This bill would have, until January 1, 1999, given cities and counties authority to assign the collection of debts that are delinquent for 60 days or more, to private or public collection agencies. This bill would have set a cap of 25 percent of the delinquent debt for fees to recover the costs of collection. This bill would have prohibited the city or county from assigning debts owed by another city, county or state government.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
AB 12 Epple	This bill would have, until January 1, 1998, conferred immunity upon public entities, public employees, and other specified others for injuries caused by medical instructions given in good faith and without gross negligence during the operation of a local 911 emergency telephone system. Also the person giving the instructions must have satisfactorily completed training that complies with the standards of the Emergency Medical Services Authority or the State Fire Marshal or the prescribed course certified by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training. This bill would have required those agencies to annually review and update the guidelines and course of instruction as necessary.	VETOED
AB 67 Hauser	This statute clarifies the Davis-Sterling Common Development Act which provides for the establishment and regulation of common interest developments. This statute requires that there be a common area and defines the purposes of managing the development. (Civ C § 1374)	CHAPTER 245 Statutes of 1994
AB 586 Tucker	Existing law imposes various obligations on employers in connection with the protection of the rights of employees. This bill would have declared that it is the public policy of the state that all citizens enjoy the right to privacy guaranteed by Section 1 of Article 1 of the California Constitution.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 658 Moore	This bill would have required contracts that authorize disclosure of personal information or that authorize the obtaining and disclosure of personal information, to contain a prescribed disclosure.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
**(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 797 Connolly	This statute is a technical clean-up for the Probate code addressing the issues of Statutes of Limitations, Distribution of Trust Property, No Contest Clauses, and Non-profit Exclusion. (CCP C § 366.2 and Prob C §§ 19255, 21320, & 21351)	CHAPTER 40 Statutes of 1994
AB 1111 Sher	This bill would have codified changes made by the Governor's Reorganization Plan No. 1 of 1991. This bill would have included changes made to provisions of the plan by acts enacted in the 1991-92 Regular Session of the Legislature.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1121 Nolan	This bill would have made the offense of affixing graffiti a misdemeanor if the amount of the damage was equal to or less than \$400, and a felony if the amount of the damage was greater than \$400 or if the person had been previously convicted of a violation of this offense.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1253 Goldsmith	Existing law, the Budget Act of 1993, requires that the revenues derived from the imposition of fines and penalties that are deposited in each governmental cost fund during the period July 1, 1993 to June 30, 1994, be transferred to the General Fund. This bill would have codified this provision in the Government Code and would have required this transfer to be made on an ongoing basis unless the Legislature expressly provides otherwise.	FAILED Assembly
AB 1627 Farr	This bill would have added specified areas to the Los Angeles revitalization zone thereby making these areas eligible for the tax credits and deductions contained in the Personal Income Tax Law and Bank and Corporation Tax Law.	FAILED Assembly Concurrence
AB 1689 Statham	This bill would have provided, under the Personal Income Tax Law, a credit of \$5,000 for a taxpayer who is a health care practitioner, with a practice that is certified by the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development. It would have required the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development to report to the Legislature by March 1, 1999, an evaluation of the impact of the bill's provisions.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
**(cont.)****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**

AB 1698 Martinez	This bill would have required every manufacturer of a video game or video game system sold in this state to include a warning with the product of the potential dangers of prolonged use of video games. It also would have required every video game arcade or business that offers or provides access to video games to post a prescribed warning of the potential dangers of prolonged use of video games.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1800 Friedman, T.	This bill would have abolished the Department of Industrial Relations and instead would have provided for the Labor and Employment Agency, supervised by the Secretary of the Labor and Employment Agency.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1835 Snyder	This bill would have deemed a person who represents himself or herself as a registered dietitian and who meets specified qualifications, to be a licensed health care provider for purposes of any provisions of state law or federal law that provide for referral for, reimbursement for, or direct payment for specified dietitian services.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2411 Knight	Existing law entitles a student who is a member of the armed forces of the United States stationed in this state on active duty, except a member of the armed forces assigned for educational purposes to state-supported institutions of higher education, to resident classification until he or she has resided in the state the minimum time necessary to become a resident. This statute entitles military personnel to pay the resident rate of student fees at any campus of the California Community Colleges that has not exceeded specified funded growth limitations. (Ed C § 68075.1)	CHAPTER 1035 Statutes of 1994

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2634  
Knight

This statute makes changes to the provisions for the licensing and certification of real estate appraisers by deleting the definition of the term "certified real estate appraisal report." This statute provides for the issuance of citations and the assessment of fines for violations of these provisions. (B&P C §§ 11301, 11302, 11313, 11315, 11319, 11321, 11327, 11328, 11340, 11344, 11350, 11352, 11400, & 11411)

CHAPTER 837  
Statutes of 1994

AB 2770  
Cortese

This statute authorizes the governing body of a common interest development to temporarily transfer reserve funds to the general operating fund to meet short-term cash flow requirements or other expenses. The board must make a written finding, recorded in the board's minutes, explaining the reasons that the transfer is needed and describing when and how the money will be repaid to the reserve fund. (Civ C § 1365.5)

CHAPTER 885  
Statutes of 1994

AB 3111  
Aguar

This statute provides that the requirement that ambulance or emergency medical personnel makes a search for a donor card on a person who is near death is secondary to the requirement that they provide emergency medical services to that person. (H&S C §§ 7151.5 & 7152.5)

CHAPTER 211  
Statutes of 1994

AB 3454  
Speier

This statute prohibits the release of any registration or driver's license record of a person who submits acceptable verification to the Department of Motor Vehicles that he or she has reasonable cause to believe that he or she is the subject of stalking or is in fear of death or great bodily injury. (Veh. C § 1808.21)

CHAPTER 395  
Statutes of 1994

AB 3539  
Aguar

This statute defines "brokering" as an arrangement under which an auto dealer, for consideration, provides the service of arranging, negotiating, assisting, or effectuating the purchase of a motor vehicle, not owned by the dealer, for another or others. (Ins C § 2150 and Veh C §§ 166, 232.5, 286, 430, 1671, 9262, 11713, 11713.1, 11713.3, 11735, 11736, 11737, 11738, & 11739)

CHAPTER 1253  
Statutes of 1994

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
**(cont.)****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**

AB 3628 Karnette	This statute requires the Department of Justice to complete work on its current backlog of criminal records clearances for community care facilities and residential care facilities for the elderly by July 1, 1995, and to complete all new requests for criminal record clearances within 30 days of receiving a request. (H&S C §§ 1522 & 1569.17)	CHAPTER 1265 Statutes of 1994
AB 3676 Burton	This statute specifies a formula for the calculation of benefits of retired or disabled pilots (including widows of deceased pilots) who were issued an original pilot's license in 1985 and who thereafter were not issued an inland pilot's license. (H&N C § 1163)	CHAPTER 1066 Statutes of 1994
AB 3686 Horcher	This statute would exclude persons interested under deed or will from bringing certain actions for declaratory relief relating to the property named in the deed or will. This statute defines a "transferee" for purposes of the code. (CCP § 1060 and Prob C §§ 81.5, 285, 800, 1000, 1218, 1220, 1460, 1834, 2252, 2340, 2341, 2342, 2343, 2529, 2616, 2683, 3110, 6140, 7050, 7240, 7604, 8200, 8404, 8488, 8545, 8874, 8901, 9861, 9869, 10832, 11745, 11854, 13540, 15401, 16247, 17203, 21101, & 21101)	CHAPTER 806 Statutes of 1994
ABX 135 Martinez	This bill would have created the Video Game Rating Administration, with specified membership and designated duties and authority and funded through the Department of Commerce through annual budget appropriations.	FAILED Assembly Public Safety
SB 89 Lockyer	Existing law provides that, with specified exceptions, it is a crime to bring or possess specified weapons, including a knife or dagger, upon the grounds of, or within, a public or private school. This bill would have provided that these provisions shall not apply to the carrying of any knife or dagger that is an integral part of a recognized religious practice.	VETOED



**MISCELLANEOUS**  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 514 Alquist	This bill would have specifically exempted "bid callers", from the bonding requirements for auctioneers and auction companies.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection
SB 522 Kopp	Existing law prohibits a person from knowingly and maliciously interrupting, disrupting, or otherwise interfering with the transmission of a communication, informing or inquiring about emergency, over a citizen's band radio channel. This statute prohibits these acts with regard to the transmission of a communication over an amateur radio and additionally provides that these provisions shall apply to a radio frequency, rather than a radio channel. (Pen C § 653)	CHAPTER 217 Statutes of 1994
SB 738 Alquist	Existing law requires vendors selling or exchanging personal property at swap meets to submit a form prescribed by the Department of Justice, containing specified information, to the swap meet operator. This bill additionally would have required the DOJ form to include the date of birth of the vendor.	FAILED Assembly Public Safety
SB 1240 Marks	This statute prohibits landlords from refusing to permit individuals with disabilities, subject to certain conditions, from making reasonable modifications to existing rented premises to afford the individual full enjoyment of the premises. (Civ C §§ 30850, 54, 54.1, 54.2, 54.3, 54.4, 54.5, 54.6, 54.7, & 55.1; Ed C § 39839; and Pen C §§ 365.5, 365.7, 600.2 & 600.5)	CHAPTER 1257 Statutes of 1994
SB 1490 Johnston	This statute creates the Joint Enforcement Strike Force on the Underground Economy under the Director of Employment Development. This statute requires the Strike Force to include representatives of the Employment Development Department, the Department of Consumer Affairs, the Department of Industrial Relations, and the Office of Criminal Justice Planning. This Strike Force is required to report to the Governor and the Legislature annually commencing, February 1, 1995, regarding its activities. (Lab C § 106; R&T C §§ 19290, 19531, & 19566; and UIC §§ 329, 1126.1, & 1128)	CHAPTER 1117 Statutes of 1994

**MISCELLANEOUS****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION****(cont.)**

SB 1559 Mello	This bill would have established within the Office of the Attorney General, the Office of Probate Court Investigation. This bill would have required the Office of Probate Court Investigation to hear complaints regarding conservators of persons who are 60 years of age or older and to initiate proceedings to overturn any conservatorship order that may have been based upon abuse, fraud, or the use of untrue or misleading statements or documents.	FAILED Senate Appropriations
SB 1579 Wright	This statute provides that a hazardous waste facility that exclusively treats solvents generated from dry cleaning operations, will be eligible for the standard permit fee exemption for any year prior to January 1, 1995, if specified conditions are met. (H&S C §§ 25201.6, 25205.12, 25202.2, 25205.4, & 25205.7)	CHAPTER 1159 Statutes of 1994
SB 1604 Hart	This bill would have made gubernatorial appointments to the Milton Marks Commission on California State Government subject to Senate confirmation.	VETOED
SB 1718 Alquist	This bill would have eliminated the requirement that a student at a nonaccredited law school pass the "baby bar" as a condition of receiving credit for the first year of study or subsequent study, and of admittance to the practice of law.	VETOED
SB 1794 Johannessen	Existing law imposes various reporting requirements that are applicable to the sale or exchange of personal property by vendors at swap meets. Existing law exempts from these reporting requirements the sale or exchange of any vehicle accessory or part that is "used" exclusively for a motor vehicle that is eligible for vehicle registration as a historical vehicle. This statute makes that exemption applicable to any vehicle accessory or part that is "usable" for a motor vehicle eligible for vehicle registration as a historical vehicle and expands that exemption to include items of memorabilia or history, or both, relating to these vehicles. (B&P C § 21662)	CHAPTER 174 Statutes of 1994

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 1857  
Watson

This statute requires the Secretary of State to establish a voluntary registry system for any person who has executed a durable power of attorney for health care. This information would be made available upon request to any health care provider, the public guardian, or any other person authorized by the registrant. (Civ C § 2446 and Prob C § 4800)

CHAPTER 1280  
Statutes of 1994

SB 1907  
Campbell

This statute revises and recasts provisions in the Civil Code governing the law of agency and powers of attorney, and transfers these provisions to the Probate Code. (Civ C §§ 2355, 2356, 2357, 2400, 2410, 2430, 2450, 2475, 2500, & 2510; Fin C § 6725; and Prob C §§ 3700, 3721, 3722, 4000, & 5204)

CHAPTER 307  
Statutes of 1994

SB 2068  
Johnston

Existing law establishes a program for the licensing of pilots for the Bays of San Francisco, San Pablo, and Suisun, administered by the Board of Pilot Commissioners, and specifies the rates for pilotage, adjusted quarterly as specified. This statute provides that the rate of the additional pilotage charge is 64.88 per high gross registered ton. (H&N C § 1190)

CHAPTER 385  
Statutes of 1994

SCR 28  
Calderon

This measure would have directed the Department of Fair Employment and Housing to conduct a "sting" operation to identify businesses in the drycleaning and cosmetology professions which practice gender-based price discrimination, and to identify any other business in which gender-based price discrimination is documented by studies or consumer complaints to the department, and to take action to penalize such discrimination.

FAILED  
Senate  
Business & Professions

**B. Occupational Regulation**

<b>BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY</b>	<b>SUMMARY</b>	<b>DISPOSITION</b>
AB 719 Horcher	This bill would have required the written examination that qualifies an individual to practice accountancy in the state to include the rules of professional conduct.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1031 Aguiar	Existing law requires licensed escrow agents to submit annually to the Commissioner of Corporations an audit report containing audited financial statements covering the calendar year. This statute provides that if the independent accountant who was engaged to complete those reports and financial statements resigns or is dismissed, the licensed agent must so notify the commissioner. (B&P C § 5037.1 and Fin C §§ 17406 & 17406.1)	CHAPTER 496 Statutes of 1994
AB 1754 Frazee	This statute authorizes the State Board of Accountancy to contract with and employ consultants and experts to assist in its enforcement program. This statute also requires the board to report annually to the legislature regarding these contracts. (B&P C § 5025.1)	CHAPTER 44 Statutes of 1994
SB 1111 Ayala	This statute requires each accountancy corporation to renew its permit to practice biennially and to pay the renewal fee fixed by the board. (B&P C §§ 5070, 5070.7, 5134, 5152, & 5152.1)	CHAPTER 1077 Statutes of 1994
SB 2038 McCorquodale	This statute decreases the number of members on the Board of Accountancy and establishes three administrative committees. This statute also requires the Department of Justice to submit itemized statements with detailed information regarding legal services performed for the boards within the Department of Consumer Affairs. (B&P C §§ 202.5, 5000, 5020, 5023, 5024, & 5029)	CHAPTER 1273 Statutes of 1994

**BOARD OF  
ACCOUNTANCY  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2079  
Campbell

Existing law authorizes the Board of Accountancy to examine all applicants for the certificate of "certified public accountant". This statute redesignates "certified public accountants" as "licensed public accountants". This statute also revises various licensure requirements, reciprocity provisions, examination provisions, and procedures. (B&P C §§ 5023, 5033.1, 5080, 5081, 5081.2, 5081.3, 5082, 5082.1, 5082.3, 5083, 5086, 5087, 5088, 5089, 5090, & 5135)

CHAPTER 1278  
Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053, SB 2101)

**BOARD OF  
ARCHITECTURAL  
EXAMINERS**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2702  
Frazee

This statute increases the maximum penalty of imprisonment in the county jail from six months to one year for various violations of the Architects Practice Act. (B&P C §§ 5536 & 5586)

CHAPTER 258  
Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)

**ATHLETIC  
COMMISSION**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2313  
Cortese

This bill would have authorized the State Athletic Commission to register and establish minimum safety and equipment standards for all martial arts studios or schools. This bill would have deleted the exemption from regulation for light and noncontact kickboxing and martial arts and for kickboxing and martial arts instruction and schools and instead would have provided an exemption only for light and noncontact martial arts tournaments or martial arts studios and schools.

FAILED  
Senate  
Business &  
Professions

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 2384, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053, SB 2101)

**BUREAU OF  
AUTOMOTIVE  
REPAIR**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 717 Ferguson	This statute authorizes air pollution control districts and air quality management districts to establish programs to assist public government agencies and businesses in complying with district regulations. This statute authorizes the districts to provide to any person, any factual, nonconfidential information regarding any product or service that complies with district regulations. (H&S C § 40730)	CHAPTER 247 Statutes of 1994
AB 948 Moore	Existing law provides for the Bureau of Automotive Repair in the Department of Consumer Affairs to enforce and administer the Automotive Repair Act. This bill would have made technical changes to that provision.	FAILED Assembly
AB 1119 Ferguson	Existing law establishes the motor vehicle inspection program which provides for smog checks and repairs to be done by smog check station mechanics. This bill would have designated those mechanics as technicians and would have provided testing and retesting at test-only stations. This bill would have provided for the electronic filing of a certificate of compliance without a fee.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1158 Tucker	Existing law prohibits the transportation of any person in or on the back of a pickup truck or a flatbed motortruck operated on a highway, unless the person is secured with a restraint system. Existing law does not prohibit transporting individuals in enclosed campers where they cannot be ejected. This bill would have removed this exception and prohibited passengers in camper shells from being transported without a restraint system.	FAILED Senate
AB 1633 Karnette	This statute revises the definition of "trailer bus" to mean a trailer or semitrailer used or maintained for the transportation of more than 15 persons, rather than 10 persons. The definition includes the driver and a connected towing motor vehicle that is a motor truck, truck tractor, or bus. This statute reduces the inspection term of every maintenance facility of any motor carrier, if the maintenance facility has paid all fees and has been rated satisfactory in its last inspections. (Veh C §§ 636, 34501.12, 34505.5, 34505.6, 34505.9, & 40000.21)	CHAPTER 58 Statutes of 1994

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AUTOMOTIVE  
REPAIR  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1825  
Goldsmith

This bill would have prohibited a city, county, or air pollution control district or air quality management district from restricting the hours of operation of heavy-duty trucks. This bill would have required a district to perform a socioeconomic analysis of each component of an air quality management plan and of the total collective impact of the plan.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

AB 1876  
Knowles

Existing law requires that all records of the Department of Motor Vehicles regarding actual mileage of motor vehicles be open to the public. This bill would have deleted an obsolete federal cross-reference provision governing odometer information.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

AB 2018  
Katz

This statute requires the Department of Consumer Affairs to ensure reductions in emissions as required by federal law. This statute revises the specifications of vehicles subject to the Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance 'Smog Check' Program. (H&S C §§ 39032.5, 43012, 44000, 44001, 44001.5, 44003, 44003.1, 44003.5, 44005, 44010, 44011, 44012, 44013, 44014, 44014.5, 44014.7, 44015, 44017, 44017.3, 44020, 44021, 44022, 44024, 44025, 44031, 44031.5, 44032, 44033, 44034, 44034.1, 44035, 44036, 44036.1, 44036.8, 44037, 44037.1, 44038, 44040, 44041, 44045.5, 44045.6, 44050, 44051, 44056, 44060, 44062.1, 44062.2, 44063, 44070, 44070.5, 44072.10, 44072.11, 44081, 44081.6, 44082, & 44083 and Veh C §§ 4000.3, 5204, 9250.18, 27156, & 40517)

CHAPTER 27  
Statutes of 1994

AB 2247  
Collins

Existing law permits the Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District to collect a \$4 surcharge on vehicles registered in this district. Proceeds from this surcharge are to be used as financial incentives for consumers who need to repair or dispose of vehicles that exceed smog check repair costs, as well as to remove high-emitting heavy-duty vehicles. This bill would have increased the surcharge from \$4 to \$6.

VETOED

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AUTOMOTIVE  
REPAIR**  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2317 Baca	This bill would have deleted the requirements imposed on an insurance company and instead would have required the owner of a total loss salvage vehicle who retains possession of the vehicle to apply for a salvage certificate. This bill would have prohibited an insurer from making a total loss settlement with the owner until the owner produces evidence that the salvage certificate had been issued.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2325 Knowles	This bill would have required the Department of Motor Vehicles to pay \$25 to any person who had complied with certificate requirements, had paid a registration fee, and who could establish that the mailing contained a valid smog certificate of compliance or a smog certificate of noncompliance, as appropriate, and that the department failed to issue the registration card and license plates before the fee became delinquent.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2358 Sher	Existing law requires regional transportation improvement programs to be prepared to coordinate biennially the effort by all counties to address traffic congestion and air pollution. This statute requires air pollution districts to encourage and to require ridesharing, vanpooling, flexible work hours, and other measures intended to reduce the number and length of vehicle trips. (Gov C § 65089; H&S C § 40717.5; and Veh C § 22365)	CHAPTER 924 Statutes of 1994
AB 2495 Richter	This bill would have prohibited the State Air Resources Board from adopting or enforcing any rule or regulation that would have required automobile manufacturers to produce or offer for sale zero-emission or electric vehicles by a specified date unless the state board had, at least 3 years prior to the effective date of the rule or regulation, conducted public hearings and certified that electric vehicle battery technology was available and that met specified performance criteria.	FAILED Assembly Transportation



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REPAIR  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2509 Pringle	This statute authorizes the South Coast Air Quality Management District to approve or disapprove the work program for funding grants submitted by the Mobile Source Air Pollution Reduction Review Committee within 60 days by a majority vote of the full south coast district board, or the program will be deemed disapproved. (H&S C § 44244)	CHAPTER 721 Statutes of 1994
AB 2581 Pringle	This statute prohibits a district, or any regional or local agency, from imposing specified transportation control requirements upon an event center. (H&S C § 40928)	CHAPTER 425 Statutes of 1994
AB 2751 Honeycutt	This statute requires the State Air Resources Board, by December 31, 1995, to prepare and submit a report to the Governor and the Legislature on the requirements for the preparation and submittal of Air Pollution Control District and Air Quality Management District Plans to achieve state ambient air quality standards.	CHAPTER 189 Statutes of 1994
AB 2852 Escutia	This statute requires motor vehicle manufacturers of all 1980 and newer model-year motor vehicles to provide certain emission control service information. Additionally, this statute requires that this information be provided in an electronic format for all 1998 models. (H&S C §§ 44036.2 & 44036.3)	CHAPTER 725 Statutes of 1994
AB 2910 Baca	This bill would have required the state to promote the development and use of alternative fuels and alternative fueled vehicles.	FAILED Senate Appropriations
AB 3078 Katz	Existing law requires all motor vehicles powered by internal combustion engines to biennially obtain a certificate of compliance or noncompliance with vehicle emission standards but exempts certain vehicles from these requirements. This bill would have stated that documentation of that exemption shall not be based solely on the owner's statement.	FAILED Senate Inactive Files

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AUTOMOTIVE  
REPAIR  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3104 Ferguson	Existing law establishes the Vehicle Inspection Maintenance Program which provides for privately operated smog check stations to test and repair vehicles subject to the program. This bill would have required that vehicles subject to inspection by reason of the increase in capacity of the program by January 1, 1996 be tested at licensed test-only stations and not at test-only stations established pursuant to contract or operated by the department.	FAILED Assembly Transportation
AB 3127 Alpert	This bill would have authorized the Department of Consumer Affairs to issue, for a specified fee, a certificate of compliance to be used by inspection agencies in verifying the certification of compressed fuel containers.	FAILED Senate Transportation
AB 3132 Katz	This statute authorizes the Department of Transportation to conduct a study (funded from nonstate sources) to determine the policy and fiscal consequences of deleting the requirement that tow trucks be equipped with, among other things, one or more shovels. This statute also requires the Department of Transportation to issue notices of noncompliance to the owners of gross polluting vehicles and, instead of the civil penalty, requires those owners to pay a specified administrative fee. (Civ C §§ 2982.2 & 3068.2; Ed C §§ 40084.5, 40088, & 40089; Gov C §§ 14035.4, 14035.6, 14529.11, 29601, & 65089.3; H&S C §§ 44005, 44014.5, 44017, 44031.5, 44037, 44041, 44081, & 44081.6; Pen C § 1463; PCC § 20366; PUC §§ 30601, 99314.6, 130051.22, & 130242; R&T C § 10856; S&H C §§ 73.1, 91.5, 190, 263.1, 263.3, 263.6, 304, 307, 311, 315, 318, 326, 353, 360, 371, 391, 428, 457, 471, 475, 487, 515, 544, 547, 552, 555, & 556; and Veh C §§ 440, 1801, 4000.6, 9250.18, 11516, 11705, 12804.9, 12810, 12954, 22356, 22651, 22651.3, 22651.7, 22658, 22850.3, 24007.1, 25950, 34505.9, 35002, & 40517)	CHAPTER 1220 Statutes of 1994
AB 3223 Jones	Existing law requires the Department of Food and Agriculture to establish specifications for gasoline or automotive spark-ignition engine fuels, to set requirements for gasoline-methanol blends, gasoline-motor oil blends, and to prohibit sales of those regulated petroleum products unless labeled. This statute redefines those terms and defines "gasoline-oxygenate blend" and "oxygenate" for those purposes. (B&P C §§ 13401, 13440, 13451, & 13480)	CHAPTER 521 Statutes of 1994

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AUTOMOTIVE  
REPAIR  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3239 Conroy	This statute defines "interests" as they apply to special programs related to research and development of electric and compressed natural gas-fueled vehicles and low-emission vehicles. (PUC § 740.8)	CHAPTER 1000 Statutes of 1994
AB 3242 Aguir	This statute requires the State Air Resources Board to develop and periodically update guidelines to be used by districts in establishing equivalent emission reduction targets for those alternative strategies. (H&S C § 40916)	CHAPTER 430 Statutes of 1994
AB 3312 Takasugi	This statute authorizes the Department of Motor Vehicles to apply for a court order if a person has engaged or is about to engage in acts that constitute an offense subject to license requirements under the Vehicle code without obtaining a license. (Veh C § 1651.2)	CHAPTER 584 Statutes of 1994
AB 3541 Satham	This bill would have required the State Air Resources Board, prior to the adoption or implementation of regulations establishing fuel standards or formulas for reformulated gasoline, to conduct specified testing.	FAILED Assembly Transportation
AB 3665 Horcher	This bill would have specified a formula for the calculation of equivalent emission reductions with regard to alternative strategies. This bill would have required appropriate emissions factors to be used in determining the equivalent emissions reduction target for reactive organic gases, oxides of nitrogen, and carbon monoxide.	FAILED Assembly Transportation
AB 3671 Cortese	This bill would have required the State Air Resources Board to prohibit, by regulation, the use of heavy duty gasoline powered motor vehicles and heavy duty diesel powered motor vehicles that were manufactured prior to January 1, 1994 and which are determined to have excessive emissions.	FAILED Assembly Transportation
AB 3724 Katz	This bill would have required the Bureau of Automotive Repair to administer a program of vehicle safety inspections to check a motor vehicle's lights, brakes, and tires at the time that a smog check is performed on the motor vehicle.	FAILED Senate Transportation

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AUTOMOTIVE  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

HR 12 Umberg	Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, specified industry associations are hereby requested to each designate a representative to form a study group to investigate the appropriateness of requiring a more comprehensive equipment inspection than the current brake and light inspection required for salvaged vehicles.	RESOLUTION ADOPTED
SB 8 Lockyer	This bill would have required the mutual exchange of information in connection with 3rd-party claims that seek or contest a claim for money damages arising from a motor vehicle accident. This bill would have required judicial arbitration of motor vehicle accident claims involving 3rd-party liability for bodily injury if the amount in controversy does not exceed \$50,000.	FAILED Assembly Judiciary
SB 39 Kopp	Existing law provides that any contract for the sale of a new motor vehicle shall contain a notification to the buyer of the availability of a certificate of exemption from certain smog check requirements. This statute provides that any conditional sale contract executed after June 30, 1994, shall contain such notification. (Civ C § 2982.2)	CHAPTER 85 Statutes of 1994
SB 119 Presley	This bill would have extended the motor vehicle inspection program indefinitely and would have expressed the intent of the Legislature to improve the effectiveness of the program and to conform the program to federal law.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 153 Morgan	This bill would have established the Bay Area Regional Commission in a region consisting of 9 counties in the San Francisco Bay Area by merging 3 existing regional agencies: the Association of Bay Area Governments, the Bay Area Air Quality Management Districts, and the Metropolitan Transportation Commission.	FAILED Senate
SB 198 Kopp	This statute specifies that the first certificate of compliance for any vehicle which is registered for the first time in this state on or after January 1, 1994 shall be required upon the second renewal of its registration. (Civ C § 2982.2; H&S C § 44090; and Veh C § 4000.6)	CHAPTER 28 Statutes of 1994

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AUTOMOTIVE  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 334 Rosenthal	This bill would have, until January 1, 2002, exempted the gross receipts from the sale, storage, use, or other consumption in this state of zero emission vehicles from state sales and use taxes. This bill would have imposed a \$1.00 fee upon the registration or renewal of registration of any motor vehicle subject to specified vehicular air pollution control laws.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 378 Hart	This bill would have enacted a program to be known as the Demand-based Reduction in Vehicle Emissions (plus reductions in CO2) or the DRIVE Program. This bill would have required the State Air Resources Board to adopt regulations and would have imposed related duties, such as collection of fees on vehicles. This bill would have created the DRIVE + Account in the General Fund, and would have required any implementation costs of the program to be repaid from amounts collected under the program.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 381 Hayden	This bill would have required the State Air Resources Board to require the purchase of low-emission and zero-emission vehicles by state and local governmental agencies and would have authorized those agencies to form a consortium to purchase electric vehicles. This bill would have required the state board to also require the purchase of specified percentages of zero-emission vehicles by private fleet operators, and would have exempted from that requirement certain authorized emergency vehicles.	FAILED Senate
SB 455 Presley	Existing law authorizes air pollution control districts and air quality management districts to adopt market-based incentive programs to improve air quality. This statute requires the South Coast Air Quality Management District to comply with specified requirements in the implementation of its market-based incentive program. (H&S C §§ 39616 & 40440.2)	CHAPTER 1179 Statutes of 1994
SB 521 Presley	Existing law establishes the Vehicle Inspection Maintenance Program, which provides for privately operated smog check stations to test and repair vehicles subject to the program. This statute, contingent upon the enactment of AB 2018, requires the Department of Consumer Affairs to implement a program to test a portion of the vehicles registered in the enhanced program area at test-only stations which are privately operated pursuant to department contract. (H&S C § 44010.5)	CHAPTER 29 Statutes of 1994

**BUREAU OF  
AUTOMOTIVE  
REPAIR  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 662 Bergeson	This bill would have authorized the governing body of each county transportation commission to appoint one of its members to the multicounty designated transportation planning agency. This bill would have created within the agency a subregional transportation committee, comprised of those members of the agency appointed by the commissions, a member of the governing board of the agency, and 3 members appointed by the Governor.	FAILED Assembly Transportation
SB 629 Russell	This statute requires the Department of Consumer Affairs to ensure reductions in emissions as required by Federal Law. This statute revises the specification of vehicles subject to the smog check program. (H&S C §§ 39032.5, 43012, 44000, 44000.5, 44001, 44001.5, 44003, 44003.1, 44003.5, 44005, 44010, 44011, 44012, 44013, 44014, 44014.5, 44014.7, 44015, 44017, 44017.3, 44020, 44021, 44024, 44025, 44031, 44031.5, 44032, 44033, 44034, 44034.1, 44035, 44036, 44036.8, 44037, 44037.1, 44038, 44041, 44045.5, 44045.6, 44050, 44056, 44060, 44062.1, 44062.2, 44070.5, 44072.10, 44072.11, 44081, 44081.5, 44082, & 44083 and Veh C §§ 4000.3, 5204, 9250.18, 27156, & 40517)	CHAPTER 1 Statutes of 1994
SB 684 Torres	This bill would have provided that each motor vehicle operated in California is covered with basic motor vehicle insurance. This bill would have abolished liability for covered injuries or damages arising out of the operation or use of a motor vehicle and would have provided that the basic motor vehicle insurance is the exclusive source of compensation for personal injuries. This bill also would have provided for supplementary insurance and would have provided for a limit on fees for professional health services rendered in connection with motor vehicle accidents.	FAILED Secretary of Senate

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AUTOMOTIVE  
REPAIR**

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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 981 Hayden	This bill would have required any person who sells, at wholesale, any antifreeze containing ethylene glycol to collect from the purchaser, at the time of the sale, a surcharge per gallon, or fraction thereof. This bill would have required the wholesaler to transmit the surcharges monthly to the treasurer for deposit in the antifreeze subaccount which the bill would create in the Integrated Waste Management Fund. The funds would only be available, upon appropriation in the annual Budget Act, to the California Integrated Waste Management Board or as grants for treatment of antifreeze poison control centers for the treatment of antifreeze poisoning victims.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1070 Presley	This bill would have required smog check stations to collect a specified fee on motor vehicles. The amount of the fee would have been calculated on the basis of mileage and pollutants emitted by a vehicle as determined by the State Air Resources Board in consultation with the Bureau of Automotive Repair. After the deduction of administrative costs by the Bureau, the fees would have been used by the State Board for specified programs related to reducing emissions, including retrofitting, sale, or disposal of high-emission vehicles, and the reduction in their usage.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1113 Morgan	This bill would have prohibited any emission standard, rule, regulation, or other requirement from taking effect or being implemented prior to July 1, 1997, to require the owner or operator of any stationary source, which is required to make vehicular fuel composition modifications, to make any capital expenditure to reduce nitrogen oxide emissions.	FAILED Assembly Natural Resources
SB 1195 Russell	This bill would have required the Department of Consumer Affairs to ensure reductions in emissions as required by federal law.	FAILED Secretary of Senate

**BUREAU OF  
AUTOMOTIVE  
REPAIR**  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 1336 Leonard	Existing law authorizes air pollution control districts to establish programs and financial incentives which identify scrap and repair gross polluting vehicles. This statute requires the districts to approve or reject, within 90 days of receipt, an employer-established repair program which achieves emission reduction levels equal to district standards. (H&S C § 40717.1)	CHAPTER 538 Statutes of 1994
SB 1634 Hurtt	This bill would have prohibited air quality management districts from expending any funds pursuant to an operating budget unless the budget has been submitted to the Legislature by May 15. This bill would have required the budgets of those districts to contain specified information.	FAILED Senate Local Government
SB 1819 Kelley	This bill would have prohibited the Public Utilities Commission from authorizing any program that allocates costs or expenses to ratepayers or natural gas vehicles, unless specific conditions are met.	FAILED Senate Energy & Public Utilities
SB 1833 Torres	This statute specifies certain insurance fraud acts to be subjected to mandatory civil penalties. This statute requires the deposit of these civil penalties in the General Fund for prescribed commissioners to appoint full-time attorneys and supervisory and investigatory personnel within the Bureau of Automotive Repair. (H&S C § 43705; Ins C § 1879; Pen C § 550; R&T C § 10902; and Veh C §§ 220, 431, 432, 543, 544, 5505, 6050, 6161, 9255.2, 11515.1, 11515.2, 11519, 11520, 11540, & 24007)	CHAPTER 1008 Statutes of 1994
SB 2050 Presley	This statute requires the San Diego County and Ventura County Air Pollution Control Districts in their triennial plan review, to determine the target pollution miles per vehicle and to reduce that figure by 5% annually. (H&S C §§ 39016.5, 39027.5, 39047.4, 39051.7, 39053.1, 40925, 43200.5, 43201, 43646, 43800, 44001, 44001.6, 44001.7, 44011, 44012, 44013, 44013.5, 44015, 44037.1, 44062.1, 44062.2, 44225, & 44236.1 and Veh C § 1667)	CHAPTER 1192 Statutes of 1994



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AUTOMOTIVE  
REPAIR  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

See DCA General (AB 1807, SB 2038, SB 2053, SB 2101)

**BOARD OF  
BARBERING  
AND  
COSMETOLOGY**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 292 Polanco	This bill would have required all persons licensed by the Board of Barbering and Cosmetology to obtain 16 hours of continuing education in health and safety topics for every two-year renewal period for two renewal cycles. The board would have to approve the continuing education program. The provision would have been operative January 1, 1997, and would have been repealed January 1, 2002.	VETOED
AB 1358 Karnette	This bill would have further defined "employee" for purposes of unemployment insurance and personal income tax withholding to include booth renters in the cosmetology industry unless specified conditions and requirements are met that would result in them being considered independent contractors.	VETOED
SB 1498 Hughes	This statute provides that a student extern may work at a licensed cosmetology establishment and that the student extern may receive school credit for the work. (B&P C §§ 7349 & 7395.1)	CHAPTER 1142 Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)

**BOARD OF  
BEHAVIORAL  
SCIENCE  
EXAMINERS**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

<p>AB 79 Tucker</p>	<p>Initially, this bill would have required the Department of Consumer Affairs to approve organizations that had established voluntary, self-supported drug and alcohol programs and to certify drug and alcohol counselors working in these programs. This bill was amended to require the Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs to establish minimum standards for alcohol and drug treatment professionals who worked in the Department's licensed programs.</p>	<p>FAILED Senate Judiciary</p>
<p>AB 2659 Morrow</p>	<p>This statute provides that in a situation where a professional person is rendering mental health treatment to a minor and the treatment or counseling was requested and received by the minor, the minor is the holder of the psychotherapist-patient privilege. (Evid C §§ 1010 &amp; 1014.5)</p>	<p>CHAPTER 1270 Statutes of 1994</p>
<p>AB 2956 Brown, V.</p>	<p>This statute requires the Board of Behavioral Science Examiners to refuse to issue a registration or license as a marriage, family and child counselor, an educational psychologist, or a clinical social worker to any applicant who has been convicted of any crime involving the sexual abuse of children in the United States or who has been ordered to register as a mentally disordered sex offender or the equivalent in another state or territory. (B&amp;P C §§ 4980.40, 4986.20, 4992.36, &amp; 4996.2)</p>	<p>CHAPTER 474 Statutes of 1994</p>
<p>SB 133 Hill</p>	<p>This statute provides that services performed by a marriage, family, and child counselor trainee at the place where the employer regularly conducts business may be provided at other locations if the services are performed pursuant to the direction and under the control of his or her employer and supervisors. This statute also prohibits trainees and interns from having a proprietary interest in the employer's business and repeals a requirement that an intern receive fair compensation or pay from his or her employer. (B&amp;P C § 4980.43)</p>	<p>CHAPTER 116 Statutes of 1994</p>

**BOARD OF  
BEHAVIORAL  
SCIENCE  
EXAMINERS  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2039  
McCorquodale

Existing law provides that the Board of Psychology, the Board of Behavioral Science Examiners, and the Respiratory Care Board may suspend, deny, or revoke the license of any licensee for no more than one year upon showing that the licensee had engaged in sexual misconduct with a patient. This statute would require the board to include an order of license revocation and prohibit an administrative law judge from issuing a stay of the order of revocation. (B&P C §§ 101, 130, 149, 2960.1, 3704, 3710, 3711, 3712, 3713, 3714, 3715, 3716, 3717, 3718, 3719, 3720, 3721, 3722, 3730, 3731, 3732, 3733, 3734, 3735, 3735.3, 3735.5, 3736, 3736.5, 3737, 3739, 3740, 3750, 3750.5, 3750.6, 3751, 3751.5, 3752, 3752.7, 3753.5, 3754, 3754.5, 3755, 3756, 3757, 3760, 3761, 3762, 3763, 3764, 3771, 3773, 3774, 3775, 3775.1, 3775.5, 3776, 4982.26, 4986.71, 4992.33, & 808)

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Statutes of 1994

SB 2109  
Alquist

This bill would have increased the amount of the renewal fees for licenses of marriage, family, and child counselors, and clinical social workers that expire on or after January 1, 1995, and would have authorized the Board of Behavioral Science Examiners to establish the renewal fee for those licenses that expire on or after January 1, 1996.

FAILED  
Senate  
Business &  
Professions

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)

**CEMETERY BOARD**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1392  
Speier

This statute amends and revises the cremation and funeral laws. Among other things, it provides that disclosure of contracted goods and services from a funeral director, a cemetery authority or crematory shall prominently disclose specific information on the first page of the contract. (B&P C §§ 7685.3, 9662, 9765, & 9786 and H&S C §§ 7051, 7054.1, 7054.7, 7100, 8344.5, & 8346)

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**CEMETERY BOARD**  
**(cont.)****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**SB 155  
Boatwright

This bill would have deleted the requirement that a crematory licensee is prohibited from conducting any cremations of human remains more than 72 hours after death unless the remains have been preserved by refrigeration or embalming. This bill would have provided that notwithstanding that provision, cremated remains may be disposed of by a funeral director, cemetery authority, or crematory, after one year by burial at sea, after certain notification requirements are met.

FAILED  
Secretary of Senate

SB 1562  
Mello

This bill would have authorized a public cemetery district to use or lease any land purchased for future cemetery use and contiguous to an existing cemetery for any purpose consistent with the general plan of the city or county.

FAILED  
Assembly  
Local Government

SB 2037  
McCorquodale

This bill would have made various operational and regulatory changes to the following entities within the Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA): The Speech Pathology and Audiology Examining Committee, the Hearing Aid Dispensers Examining Committee, the State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers, the Cemetery Board, and the Tax Preparers Program. Specifically, this bill would have appropriated \$186,000 from the Cemetery Fund to the Cemetery Board.

FAILED  
Senate

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)

**CONTRACTORS**  
**STATE**  
**LICENSE BOARD****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**AB 203  
Collins

Existing law provides that the Contractors' State License Board consist of 13 board members, and specifies that seven shall be public members. The Governor is authorized to appoint five of these public members. This statute provides that one of these seven public members shall be an active local building official appointed by the Governor. (B&P C §§ 7002 & 7003)

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**CONTRACTORS  
STATE  
LICENSE BOARD  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1845 Conroy	This bill would have modified the form of the "Unconditional Waiver and Release Upon Progress Payment" and the form of the "Conditional Waiver and Release Upon Progress Payment" as defined under existing law. This bill would have declared the intent to supersede the decision of the court of appeal in Halbert's Lumber, Inc. V. Lucky Stores, Inc., 6 Cal. App.4th 1233.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2044 Hoge	This bill would have required the registrar to provide public officials with on-line access to the Contractors' State License Board's computer database containing information on the status of licenses of all licensed contractors.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2363 Moore	This bill would have permitted the work for which a contractor's license is required, to be performed if the work is incidental to another utility function and is performed by a utility employee who is present on the premises for the other function.	FAILED Assembly Floor
AB 2636 Richter	Existing law provides for the licensing and regulation of contractors by the Contractors' State License Board. This statute specifically provides that this exemption shall not authorize a real estate licensee or a property manager to act in the capacity of a contractor unless licensed by the board. (B&P C § 7044.1)	CHAPTER 361 Statutes of 1994
AB 2646 Goldsmith	Existing law provides that only specified contractors may install fire protection systems, excluding electrical alarm systems. This statute provides that an owner-builder of an owner occupied, single-family dwelling may install these systems. (B&P C § 7026.12)	CHAPTER 185 Statutes of 1994
AB 2665 Hannigan	Existing law provides that only specified contractors may install fire protection systems, excluding electrical alarm systems. This bill would have authorized specified property owners to install these systems.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection

**CONTRACTORS  
STATE  
LICENSE BOARD  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2719 Frazee	Existing law provides that violation of specified laws by a licensed contractor constitutes cause for disciplinary action. This statute includes within the specified laws, provisions dealing with excavations and subsurface installations. This statute provides that an indictment must be brought, or a complaint be filed, for a violation of these provisions, within three years from the effective date of the contract. (B&P C §§ 7110 & 7159)	CHAPTER 362 Statutes of 1994
AB 2723 Connolly	Existing law provides for the licensing and regulation of contractors. This bill specifically would have exempted interior designers from these provisions. This bill would have included within the definition of a contractor, a person or entity that undertakes, offers, or acts as a consultant to any other person or entity to construct a building or other property.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection
AB 2780 O'Connell	This bill would have authorized the California Registry of Certified Home Inspectors to certify home inspectors. This bill would have exempted certified home inspectors from the Architects Practice Act, the Professional Engineers Act, the Contractors' State License Law, and the Real Estate Appraisers' Licensing and Certification Law.	FAILED Senate
AB 2934 Richter	Existing law provides for an advisory committee to recommend grant awards for the support of courses of study in construction management and requires that the membership of the committee consist of 11 members, including at least one representative from each of a list of specified contractor associations. This statute adds other contractor associations to the list and specifies the mission and duties of the advisory committee. (B&P C § 7139.3)	CHAPTER 647 Statutes of 1994
AB 2962 Baca	This statute clarifies that an original contractor may only withhold a retention from the specific subcontractor with whom a bona fide dispute exists. (Civ C § 3260)	CHAPTER 1046 Statutes of 1994

**CONTRACTORS  
STATE  
LICENSE BOARD  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3001 Conroy	Existing law requires a licensed contractor to include on all written contracts a statement specifying that contractors are be licensed and regulated by the Contractors' State License Board and that the board has jurisdiction to investigate complaints against contractors. This statute requires a contractor who has been disciplined two or more times within a 10-year period to disclose, prior to entering into a contract to perform work on residential property, of any contractor related discipline action taken during the previous 4 years. (B&P C § 7030)	CHAPTER 783 Statutes of 1994
AB 3087 Baca	This statute revises existing provisions of law regarding construction lenders. It provides that in no event shall a construction lender be required to withhold, pursuant to a bonded stop notice, more than a prescribed amount. (Civ C §§ 3159 & 3162)	CHAPTER 782 Statutes of 1994
AB 3269 Friedman, B.	This statute provides that any security interest taken by a contractor, to secure any payment for the performance of any act or conduct relating to home improvement that occurs on or after January 1, 1995, is unenforceable if the person soliciting is not a duly registered salesperson or is not exempt from registration at the time the homeowner signs the home improvement contract. (B&P C § 7153 and Civ C § 1803.2)	CHAPTER 888 Statutes of 1994
AB 3292 Bowen	This bill would have provided that the Registrar of Contractors may waive the written examination for licensure for up to one year provided that all of the specified circumstances are met.	FAILED Senate Business & Professions
AB 3293 Bowen	Existing law provides for bonding requirements applicable to contractors upon the issuance, reinstatement, reactivation or renewal of a license. This bill would have increased the bonding requirements applicable upon the reinstatement of a license for a period of 5 years after reinstatement.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection

**CONTRACTORS  
STATE  
LICENSE BOARD  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3294 Bowen	This bill would have provided that specified actions by contractors, including a willful or deliberate failure by any licensee to pay any moneys, when due for any materials or services rendered, concerning a dwelling place with 4 or fewer units shall result in suspension of the contractor's license and constituted a cause for other disciplinary action.	FAILED Senate Business & Professions
AB 3300 Speier	This bill would have required that a bond be issued for the benefit of any owner or tenant contracting for a home improvement or other residential work or a homeowner contracting for construction of a personal residence that is damaged as a result of a violation of the Contractors' State License.	FAILED Senate Business & Professions
AB 3302 Speier	This statute provides that a licensing board may not process any application for an original license or for renewal of a license unless the applicant or licensee provides its federal employer identification number or social security number where requested on the application. (B&P C §§ 30, 7091, 7103, 7104, & 7190)	CHAPTER 1135 Statutes of 1994
AB 3357 Goldsmith	Under existing law, a 90-day public works preliminary bond notice must be given by a prescribed claimant as a prerequisite to enforcement of a claim on a payment bond. This statute deletes these provisions and instead requires the giving of a prescribed 20-day public works preliminary bond notice. (Civ C §§ 3091, 3096, 3097, 3098, 3240, 3241, 3242, 3252, & 3253)	CHAPTER 974 Statutes of 1994
AB 3475 Mountjoy	Existing law requires an applicant for a contractor's license, for restoration of a license, or for continued use of a license after disciplined to file a bond in addition to other required bonds. This statute makes this requirement applicable to renewal of a contractor's license and to an application to change officers of a corporation after discipline. (B&P C §§ 7071.8, 7121.1, & 7122.1)	CHAPTER 192 Statutes of 1994



**CONTRACTORS  
STATE  
LICENSE BOARD  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3528 Alpert	This bill would have created the San Diego County Construction Contractors Council in state government with a prescribed membership, subject to modification and would have specified the powers, duties, and responsibilities of the council in carrying out the provisions of this bill. The council would have been authorized to promote the sale of construction industry services and commodities.	FAILED Senate Appropriations
SB 634 Craven	Existing law makes various actions in connection with work by contractors a misdemeanor, including receiving or accepting completion certificates when work is not complete, failing to comply with requirements for home improvement contracts, and making various misrepresentations or engaging in fraudulent activities. This statute requires restitution and increases the fines for a violation of these provisions involving fraud with repairs to a home damaged by a natural disaster. (B&P C §§ 7158, 7159, & 7161 and Pen C § 667.16)	CHAPTER 175 Statutes of 1994
SB 920 Rogers	This bill would have specified that any stop notice filed or served pursuant to existing law may include any amount due for labor, services, equipment, or materials furnished based on a written modification of the contract or as a result of the recession, abandonment or breach of the contract, provided, with respect to a written modification, that the lender receive written notice of that modification within 30 days prior to the service of the stop notice on the lender.	FAILED Assembly
SB 949 Rogers	This bill would have provided that, with respect to all contracts between owners and original contractors for the construction of any private work of improvement, excluding residential construction entered into on or after July 1, 1994, the retention proceeds withheld by the owner from the original contractor or by the original contractor from any subcontractor from any payment shall not exceed 10% of the payment and in no event shall the total retention withheld exceed 5% of the contract price.	FAILED Assembly

**CONTRACTORS  
STATE  
LICENSE BOARD  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 1588 Roberti	Existing law provides that obtaining a false completion certificate for performance of a contract for work of improvement, including home improvements, is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine or by imprisonment in the county jail or both. This bill would have enhanced the penalties, including the addition of felonies, for schemes designed to defraud homeowners and owners of non-residential property who contract to repair damage caused by a natural disaster.	FAILED Assembly Housing & Community Development
SB 1694 Wright	Existing law provided that the Contractors State License Board conduct a Southern California demonstration project by creating a separate enforcement unit. This statute removes the regional limitation and allows for the unit to operate statewide. (B&P C §§ 7011.4 & 7027.1)	CHAPTER 413 Statutes of 1994
SB 1808 Lewis	This bill would have exempted from the home improvement contractors law, employees of licensed contractors who are paid referral fees relating to home improvement business.	FAILED Senate Business & Professions
SB 1844 Mello	This statute provides that a court may find substantial compliance with licensing requirements if the person acting as a contractor acted reasonably and in good faith to maintain his or her proper license. (B&P C § 7031)	CHAPTER 550 Statutes of 1994

**COURT REPORTERS  
BOARD OF CALIF.**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 721 Horcher	Existing law provides that certain courts are designated to participate in demonstration projects using audio or video reporting of court proceedings, with prescribed fees to be charged to the parties for an official court reporter. This bill would have extended the court reporter fee to all other courts where audio or video reporting is utilized.	FAILED Assembly Inactive Files
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**COURT REPORTERS  
BOARD OF CALIF.  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3657  
Weggeland

This bill would have considered it to be unprofessional conduct for a licensed court reporter to offer, deliver, receive, or accept any gift or gratuity from any party to any legal or administrative action, any attorney of that party, or any entity, employee or agent of the party.

FAILED  
Assembly  
Inactive Files

AB 3670  
Weggeland

This statute requires the Court Reporters Board to establish an inactive category of licensure. This statute requires schools that offer a court reporting program to notify the board and also requires that stenographic notes be retained for not less than eight years where no transcript is required. (B&P C §§ 8024.7, 8025, & 8027 and CCP § 2025)

CHAPTER 660  
Statutes of 1994

SB 1671  
Beverly

This statute revises the requirements for storage, destruction, transcription, and delivery of reporting notes kept by a court reporter. This statute also provides that a court reporter shall be reimbursed for the actual cost of the medium on which the reporting notes are kept. (Gov C § 69955)

CHAPTER 390  
Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)

**BOARD OF  
DENTAL  
EXAMINERS**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 221  
Areias

This bill would have created a new category of allied dental health professionals called a "registered dental hygienist in alternative practice," and would have authorized this person to independently provide dental hygiene services in specified settings.

FAILED  
Senate

AB 559  
Peace

Existing law requires that insurers who provide professional liability insurance for dentists report to the Board of Dental Examiners any malpractice award, judgment, or settlement that exceeds \$3,000. This statute would raise the reporting requirement from \$3,000 to \$10,000. (B&P C § 801)

CHAPTER 468  
Statutes of 1994

**BOARD OF  
DENTAL  
EXAMINERS**  
(cont.)

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 720 Horcher	This bill would have prohibited any person other than a licensed physician and surgeon, podiatrist, and dentist from applying laser radiation to any person for therapeutic purposes. This bill also would have provided that any person who violates this provision is guilty of a misdemeanor.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2820 Knight	This statute provides that it is unprofessional conduct for a licensed dentist to perform, or to hold himself or herself out as able to perform, services beyond the scope of his or her license or competency. Certain research is exempt from this provision. (B&P C § 1684)	CHAPTER 365 Statutes of 1994
AB 2821 Knight	This statute authorizes the Board of Dental Examiners to require licensees to complete a portion of the required continuing education by taking a certain number of hours of coursework in specific areas adopted in regulations by the board. (B&P C § 1645)	CHAPTER 400 Statutes of 1994
AB 2954 Karnette	This bill would have deleted the provision of existing law which requires the Board of Dental Examiners to consider referencing prescribed standards, regulations, and guidelines for the prevention of blood-borne infectious disease. It would have revised the provision that provides that it is unprofessional conduct for a dentist or a dental auxiliary to knowingly fail to protect patients by failing to follow specified infection control procedures.	FAILED Assembly Health
SB 719 Craven	This bill would have provided that no specialized health care service plan that provides or arranges for dental services shall request reimbursement for overpayment or reduce the level of payment to a provider based on the allegation that the provider has entered into a contract with any other health care service plan for participation in a supplemental dental benefit plan that has been approved by the commissioner.	FAILED Secretary of Senate

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)

**COMMITTEE ON  
DENTAL  
AUXILIARIES**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 221 Areias	This bill would have created a new category of allied dental health professionals called a "registered dental hygienist in alternative practice," and would have authorized this person to independently provide dental hygiene services in specified settings.	FAILED Senate
AB 2954 Karnette	This bill would have deleted the provision of existing law which requires the Board of Dental Examiners to consider referencing prescribed standards, regulations, and guidelines for the prevention of blood-borne infectious disease. It would have revised the provision that provides that it is unprofessional conduct for a dentist or a dental auxiliary to knowingly fail to protect patients by failing to follow specified infection control procedures.	FAILED Assembly Health
	See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)	

**BUREAU OF  
ELECTRONIC  
& APPLIANCE  
REPAIR**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

No major legislation in 1994.  
See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2053)

**BOARD OF  
FUNERAL  
DIRECTORS  
AND EMBALMERS**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1392 Speier	This statute amends and revises the cremation and funeral laws. Among other things, it provides that disclosure of contracted goods and services form a funeral director, a cemetery authority, or a crematory shall prominently disclose specific information on the first page of the contract. (B&P C §§ 7685.3, 9662, 9765, & 9786 and H&S C §§ 7051, 7054.1, 7054.7, 7100, 8344.5, & 8346)	CHAPTER 570 Statutes of 1994
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**BOARD OF  
FUNERAL  
DIRECTORS  
AND EMBALMERS  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2037  
McCorquodale

This bill would have made various operational and regulatory changes to the following entities within the Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA): The Speech Pathology and Audiology Examining Committee, the Hearing Aid Dispensers Examining Committee, the State Board of Funeral Directors and Embalmers, the Cemetery Board, and the Tax Preparers Program. Specifically, this bill would have appropriated \$432,000 from the State Funeral Directors and Embalmers Fund to the State Board of Funeral Board of Directors and Embalmers.

FAILED  
Senate

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)

**BOARD OF  
REGISTRATION  
FOR GEOLOGISTS  
AND  
GEOPHYSICISTS**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 746  
Rogers

This bill would have revised the definition of "Geology," and it would have revised the definition of "responsible charge of work" to include supervision or review and approval of geological or geophysical work on behalf of the public. This bill also would have required the State Personnel Board, in cooperation with the State Board of Registration for Geologists and Geophysicists, to revise the job specifications for certain engineering geologist positions to require certification by the State Board of Registration for Geologists and Geophysicists as engineering geologists.

FAILED  
Secretary of Senate

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)

**BOARD OF  
GUIDE DOGS  
FOR THE BLIND**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2388  
Vasconcellos

This statute creates a special fund, the Guide Dogs for the Blind Fund, as part of the Professions and Vocations Fund to be used for the support of the Board of Guide Dogs for the Blind. The result of this statute is to eliminate General Fund support and provide for industry support of this board. (B&P C §§ 205, 7200.7, 7211, & 7217)

CHAPTER 149  
Statutes of 1994

SB 1887  
Hill

This bill would have provided that persons who train guide dogs, signal dogs, or service dogs be entitled to take dogs into specified public places for the purpose of training them without being required to pay an extra charge or security deposit for the dog.

FAILED  
Senate Judiciary

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053)

**BUREAU OF HOME  
FURNISHINGS  
AND THERMAL  
INSULATION**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2182  
Lee

This bill would have required the Bureau of Home Furnishings and Thermal Insulation to establish by regulation, standards for accelerated aging of insulation.

VETOED

AB 2857  
Ferguson

This bill would have exempted from the licensing requirements of the Home Furnishings and Thermal Insulation Act persons who sell upholstered furniture that is solely gym equipment. This bill would have provided that this exemption is not intended to affect the application of certain provisions respecting false advertising to these persons.

FAILED  
Senate  
Business &  
Professions

SB 1586  
Craven

This statute exempts from the licensing requirement of existing law an individual or firm whose sole business is designing and specifying for interior spaces, and who purchases, on behalf of a client, specified amenable upholstered furniture or specific amenable bedding items from an appropriately licensed wholesaler or retailer.  
(B&P C §§ 19051 & 19055)

CHAPTER 410  
Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 3302)

**BOARD OF  
LANDSCAPE  
ARCHITECTS**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

No major legislation in 1994.

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)

**MEDICAL BOARD  
OF CALIFORNIA**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 9  
Mountjoy

This bill would have prohibited any physician, attorney or other representative who performs specified services in a workers' compensation action, and any alleged injured worker or any agent, employee, or operative of any of those persons from accepting any inducement for a referred evaluation or consultation. This bill would have required attorneys, clients, and physicians to sign a statement under penalty of perjury that they have not violated the provision. This bill would also have made numerous other provisions regarding workers' compensation.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

AB 172  
Snyder

This bill would have authorized a physician to perform a perfusion (injecting fluids into arteries to reach tissues) upon persons 18 years of age or older who have been determined to be dead. This bill would provide that no consent of any person is required in order for perfusion to be performed.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

AB 595  
Speier

This statute prohibits, on or after July 1, 1996, any physician and surgeon from performing surgery in an outpatient setting, using specified anesthesia. This statute provides an exception to these provisions if the setting is one of enumerated health care settings, including a setting accredited by an accreditation agency approved by the division of licensing of the Medical Board of California. (B&P C § 2215 and H&S C § 1248)

CHAPTER 1276  
Statutes of 1994



**MEDICAL BOARD  
OF CALIFORNIA  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 720 Horcher	This bill would have prohibited any person other than a licensed physician and surgeon, podiatrist, or dentist from applying laser radiation, to any person for therapeutic purposes. It would also have provided that any person who violates this provision is guilty of a misdemeanor.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 749 Conroy	This bill would have required the Medical Board of California to temporarily suspend or deny a Physician and Surgeon's certificate to any person who deliberately aids, advises, or encourages another to commit suicide. This bill would have required that the Board revoke a Physician and Surgeon license from any person who is convicted of aiding a suicide.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 929 Horcher	This bill would have provided that if the trier of fact for a peer review hearing for specified health practitioners determines that the person who filed the report against the health practitioner made a false accusation with the knowledge that the accusation was false, the health care practitioner may seek civil remedies against that person.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1139 Epple	This statute requires the Department of Health Services to convene a committee to assess the need for changes to the process for the initiation of medical intervention for certain long-term health care facility residents. This statute requires the committee to make recommendations to the Legislature regarding any identified changes to be made to that process by July 1, 1995. (H&S C §§ 1418.8 & 1418.85)	CHAPTER 791 Statutes of 1994
AB 1141 Epple	This bill would have prohibited the entry of a periodic payment judgment at the request of a health care provider in specified actions against the provider, unless there is a declaration or affidavit that has been filed with the court and served on all parties.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1291 Speier	Existing law provides that effective January 1, 1995, licensed physicians and surgeons are prohibited from referring persons to a health care facility in which the provider has a financial interest in. This bill would have revised the definition of "financial interest" and would have provided for certain exemptions.	FAILED Senate

**MEDICAL BOARD  
OF CALIFORNIA  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1368 Conroy	This bill would have required the Medical Board of California to maintain a pain management program directory for the purpose of providing the names of programs to the public and other specified groups. This bill would have required the board to include in the directory, health care providers and multidisciplinary programs specializing in the treatment of chronic pain that have submitted evidence of accreditation by certain private organizations.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1446 Margolin	This bill would have required an applicant for the physician and surgeon reciprocity certificate to provide on the application a statement as to whether the employment or practice of the applicant has been suspended or terminated, or whether the applicant has resigned or taken a leave of absence from employment or practice due to certain medical disciplinary investigations, causes, or reasons.	FAILED Senate Business & Professions
AB 1855 Isenberg	This bill would have required University of California medical schools to achieve specified goals for enrollment of medical residents in primary care and family practice programs.	VETOED
AB 1898 Bornstein	This bill would have made it unlawful for a physician to charge, bill, or solicit payment for diagnostic imaging services unless certain conditions are met and the physician discloses the name, address, and charges of the diagnostic imaging facility.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1907 Knight	This bill would have exempted a physician and surgeon, who in good faith renders voluntary medical services at a privately operated shelter, from liability for any injury or death caused by an act or omission of the physician and surgeon, when the act or omission does not constitute gross negligence or willful misconduct. The immunity provided by the bill would have applied only to a physician and surgeon who complied with applicable licensing requirements, and had a license in good standing.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly

**MEDICAL BOARD  
OF CALIFORNIA  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2036 Mountjoy	This bill would have authorized the Medical Board of California to issue an emergency suspension order to suspend a license under certain circumstances and would have required a hearing to be conducted before an emergency suspension order was issued, unless it appeared from the facts shown by affidavit that serious injury would have resulted to a patient or to the public before the matter could be heard on notice.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2156 Polanco	This bill would have required reports filed with the Medical Board of California or the Osteopathic Medical Board of California by professional liability insurers to state whether the settlement or arbitration award has been reported to the federal National Practitioner Data Bank.	FAILED Senate Inactive Files
AB 2214 Lee	This bill would have required any physician and surgeon or podiatrist who sells, or transfers his or her medical practice to notify each patient in writing. This bill would also have required that each patient be given an opportunity to determine where his or her records shall be directed before the licensee transfers or disposes of those records.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2241 Murray	This bill would have established the Naturopathic Physicians' Act that would establish the Naturopathic Physicians' Examining Committee within the Division of Allied Health Professions of the Medical Board. This bill would have prescribed the membership and duties of the committee regarding the administration of the act and would make it unlawful to practice Naturopathic medicine without a Naturopathic Physician's Certificate issued by the committee.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2756 Morrow	Existing law requires the Department of Health Services to license and regulate clinical laboratories. Current law provides certain exceptions from these requirements, for individual licensed physician and surgeon or podiatrist for laboratory work performed on his or her own patients. This bill would have deleted the reference to an individual physician and surgeon or podiatrist, and would, instead, provide an exception for physicians and surgeons or podiatrists for laboratory work performed on their patients.	FAILED Assembly Health

**MEDICAL BOARD  
OF CALIFORNIA  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3390 Friedman, B.	This statute restates the public policy of California which encourages health care practitioners to advocate for medically appropriate health care for their patients. (B&P C §§ 510 & 2056)	CHAPTER 1119 Statutes of 1994
AB 3440 Karnette	This bill would have provided that any physician and surgeon or hospital affiliated health facilities providing emergency treatment to a person, is entitled to a lien on damage awards recovered or to be recovered by that person.	FAILED Assembly Judiciary
AB 3497 Friedman, B.	Existing law, the Medical Practice Act, provides for the licensure and regulation of physicians and surgeons, including required minimum amounts of instruction. This statute would add four weeks of clinical instruction in family medicine to be completed by applicants. Schools outside of California can fulfill this requirement by instructing its applicants in primary care medicine, recognizing this exception to the California rule will be repealed on June 30, 1999. (B&P C §§ 2089.5 & 2089.7)	CHAPTER 657 Statutes of 1994
AB 3648 Morrow	Existing law provides a definition of what constitutes unprofessional conduct by a physician and surgeon. This bill would have created exceptions to professional liability for malpractice by permitting physicians to prove that they acted in a manner consistent with the ordinary care and prudence exercised by other physicians in the same or similar locality.	FAILED Assembly Health
AB 3732 Takasugi	This statute requires the Osteopathic Medical Board of California to license each osteopathic physician and surgeon and to require the completion of a minimum of 150 American Osteopathic Association Category 1A continuing education hours during each three-year cycle as a condition for renewal of license. (B&P C §§ 2154, 2454.5, 2455, & 2456)	CHAPTER 895 Statutes of 1994
AB 3765 Campbell	This bill would have required the Medical Board of California to study and report to the legislature on the practice of naturopathy and the desirability of establishing a "Naturopathic Practitioners Registration Act" by July 1, 1995.	FAILED Assembly Ways & Means

**MEDICAL BOARD  
OF CALIFORNIA  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

ACR 136 Campbell	This bill would have requested the Medical Board of California to study the practice of naturopathy and the desirability of establishing a "Naturopathic Practitioner Registration Act" and to report to the legislature by March 1, 1995.	FAILED Senate Business & Professions
SB 366 Maddy	Existing law prohibits the operation or maintenance of a clinical laboratory without a license from the Department of Health Services. Certain individual physicians, surgeons and podiatrists are exempted from the laboratory licensing requirement if the work performed is for the benefit of the patients of these health care providers. This bill will extend the exemption for individual laboratory licensure to groups of 5 or fewer physicians who jointly own and operate a clinical laboratory for the exclusive benefit of their patients.	CHAPTER 1141 Statutes of 1994
SB 523 Maddy	This bill would have required the Administrative Director of the Division of Workers' Compensation to establish standards for the accreditation of facilities that receive referrals from physicians who have a proprietary interest in the facility. This bill would have authorized the administrative director to prohibit physicians from referring a person to any laboratory, pharmacy, clinic, or other health facility unless that facility is accredited under those regulations. Finally, this bill would provide to the extent feasible, that the administrative director shall contract with private, non-profit entities to perform the accreditation function.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 782 Johnston	This bill would have required all physicians providing medical services or conducting examinations under the workers' compensation law to inquire whether the patient has filed, or will be filing, a claim for unemployment compensation disability benefits, and if so, the physician is required to advise the Employment Development Department.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 799 Presley	Existing law provides that when monies are returned to the Contingent Fund of the Medical Board of California, they may be used to offset any license fee increase in the event the Medical Association prevails in certain actions for injunctive and other relief. These monies would also be exempt from the requirement of the 1993 Budget Act that interest earned on these monies be transferred to the general fund.	CHAPTER 532 Statutes of 1994

**MEDICAL BOARD  
OF CALIFORNIA  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 971 Rosenthal	This bill would have prohibited a health facility from allowing postgraduate physicians and surgeons in a training program to work in excess of certain hour limits.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1100 Calderon	This bill would have prohibited a licensee from waiving specified rights contained in any applicable professional society or medical staff bylaws when the licensee is subject to the proposed action of a peer review body.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1166 Watson	This bill would have provided for the creation of the Naturopathic Physicians Examining Committee within the Allied Health Professions of the Board of Medical Examiners. This bill would have prescribed the membership and duties of the committee.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1402 Greene	Existing law permits a physician and surgeon, without being disciplined by the Medical Board of California, to administer in a non-health facility a controlled substance to a patient who is diagnosed with intractable pain (Intractable Pain Treatment Act). This statute permits the administering of painkiller drugs in health facilities. (B&P C § 2241.5)	CHAPTER 222 Statutes of 1994
SB 1566 Watson	This bill would have established the Naturopathic Title Act which would have regulated the use of titles in the field of Naturopathy.	FAILED Senate Business & Professions
SB 1642 Craven	This statute authorizes a licensed physician and surgeon, approved to supervise a physician assistant, to delegate to a physician assistant under his or her supervision the authority to administer or provide medication to a patient or to transmit a prescription to a person who may lawfully furnish the medication or medical device to the patient. (B&P C §§ 3502.1 & 4051.6)	CHAPTER 968 Statutes of 1994

**MEDICAL BOARD  
OF CALIFORNIA  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 1775 Presley	This statute revises the disciplinary measures taken with regard to crimes involving the abuse of licenses. This statute provides for the automatic suspension of a physician and surgeon's license if the physician is incarcerated after being convicted of a felony. (B&P C §§ 119, 125, 125.7, 652, 652.5, 656, 801, 803.1, 803.2, 803.5, 804, 2013, 2015, 2021, 2230, 2236, 2236.1, 2313, 2337, 2475.3, & 2484; Civ C § 43.96; Gov C §§ 11371, 11510, & 11523; and H&S C § 1795.10)	CHAPTER 1206 Statutes of 1994
SB 1886 Presley	This statute provides that persons retained under any arrangement, paid or unpaid, who provide expertise to the Medical Board of California shall be provided with representation by the board in a civil action against the expert based on the expert's testimony. (B&P C §§ 2317 & 2356)	CHAPTER 1098 Statutes of 1994
SB 1958 Presley	This bill would have imposed minimum qualifications for a physician and surgeon to serve as a medical board expert, but would authorize the Division of Medical Quality to use the services of an individual who does not meet all of these qualifications, but has reasonably equivalent or superior qualifications.	VETOED
SB 1965 Calderon	This bill would have required a physician and surgeon who specializes in obstetrics and gynecology, surgery, or any other specialty designated by the board, to complete a prescribed course in current breast cancer diagnosis and treatment.	FAILED Senate Business & Professions
	See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053)	

**ACUPUNCTURE  
COMMITTEE**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2494 Conroy	This bill would have defined the terms "prescribing herbs" and "herbs" and would have authorized the holder of an acupuncturist's license to suggest, recommend or direct the use of herbs.	FAILED Assembly Health
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**ACUPUNCTURE  
COMMITTEE  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 1279  
Torres

This statute extends the prohibition on the imposition of monetary liability on the part of professional societies and members of peer review committees, peer review bodies, and members of peer review committees that review acupuncturists. (Civ C § 43.7, Corp C § 13401.5 and Evid C § 1157)

CHAPTER 815  
Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)

**HEARING AID  
DISPENSER  
EXAMINING  
COMMITTEE**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2037  
McCorquodale

This bill would have eliminated the existing licensure and regulation of speech-language pathologists and audiologists by the Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Examining Committee, and hearing aid dispensers by the Hearing Aid Dispensers Examining Committee, and it would have reorganized licensure and regulation under the merged Speech-Language Pathology, Audiology, and Hearing Aid Board.

FAILED  
Senate Floor

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053)

**PHYSICAL THERAPY  
EXAMINING  
COMMITTEE**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 512  
Burton

This bill would have required that the Industrial Medical Council in the Department of Industrial Relations include a physical therapist appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly. It also would have prohibited a physical therapist from serving as, or appointing an agreed or qualified medical evaluator.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly



**PHYSICAL THERAPY  
EXAMINING  
COMMITTEE  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2836 Snyder	This statute requires the Physical Therapy Examining Committee to adopt regulations setting forth standards and requirements regarding the supervision of an aide and a physical therapy assistant, and authorizes a physical therapist to use the services of one aide engaged in patient-related tasks. (B&P C §§ 2608.5, 2620.3, 2630, 2630.5, 2633, 2634, 2635, 2636, 2636.5, 2638, 2639, 2650, 2651, 2652, 2653, 2655, 2655.1, 2655.10, 2655.11, 2655.2, 2655.3, 2655.4, 2655.5, 2655.6, 2655.7, 2655.71, 2655.8, 2655.9, 2672, & 2688)	CHAPTER 956 Statutes of 1994
SB 437 Hart	This bill would have authorized supervision of a physical therapy aide by a physical therapist, and would have allowed a physician and a surgeon, in certain circumstances, to use one unlicensed aide to perform patient-related tasks. This bill would have repealed these provisions on January 1, 1998.  See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)	FAILED Assembly Inactive Files

**PHYSICIAN  
ASSISTANT  
EXAMINING  
COMMITTEE**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 1642 Craven	This statute authorizes a licensed physician and surgeon, approved to supervise a physician assistant, to delegate to a physician assistant under his or her supervision the authority to administer or provide medication to a patient or to transmit a prescription to a person who may lawfully furnish the medication or medical device to the patient. (B&P C §§ 3502.1 & 4051.6)  See DCA General (AB 3302)	CHAPTER 968 Statutes of 1994
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**BOARD OF  
PODIATRIC  
MEDICINE**
**SUMMARY**
**DISPOSITION**

AB 720 Horcher	This bill would have prohibited any person other than a licensed physician and surgeon, podiatrist, or dentist from applying laser radiation to any person for therapeutic purposes. It also would have provided that any person who violates this provision is guilty of a misdemeanor.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 1339 Bronshvag	This bill would have specified that, to the extent permitted by federal law, for purposes of services provided under the Medi-Cal program, doctors of podiatric medicine receive the same reasonable consideration for participation and inclusion in, and reimbursement for services provided under the program to the same extent as any other specialty provider.	VETOED
AB 2214 Lee	This bill would have required any physician and surgeon or podiatrist who sells, or transfers his or her medical practice to notify each patient in writing. This bill also would have required that each patient be given an opportunity to determine where his or her records shall be directed before the licensee transfers or disposes of those records.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2756 Morrow	Existing law requires the Department of Health Services to license and regulate clinical laboratories. This bill would have provided certain exceptions from these requirements for an individual licensed physician and surgeon or podiatrist for laboratory work performed on his or her own patients. This bill would have deleted the reference to an individual physician and surgeon or podiatrist, and would have instead, provided an exception for physicians and surgeons or podiatrists for laboratory work performed on their patients.	FAILED Assembly Health
SB 366 Maddy	This statute exempts from licensure, laboratories owned and operated by a physician and surgeon or podiatrist, (or a partnership or professional corporation of 5 or fewer physicians and surgeons or podiatrists), that perform clinical laboratory tests or examinations exclusively for the patients of that individual physician, surgeon, podiatrist, partnership, or professional corporation. (B&P C § 1241)	CHAPTER 1141 Statutes of 1994

**BOARD OF  
PODIATRIC  
MEDICINE  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)

**BOARD OF  
PSYCHOLOGY**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 705  
Alpert

This bill would have authorized the release of a person who has been involuntarily detained if the psychologist directly responsible for that person's treatment, (or a reviewing psychologist), believes that the person no longer requires evaluation or treatment, or is not a danger to others or to himself or herself. This bill would have exempted the psychologist from civil and criminal liability for that person's actions.

FAILED  
Chief Clerk-Assembly

AB 2659  
Morrow

This statute provides that in situations in which a minor has requested and received mental health treatment or counseling, the minor is the holder of the psychotherapist-patient privilege. (Evid C §§ 1010 & 1014.5)

CHAPTER 1270  
Statutes of 1994

SB 2039  
McCorquodale

This statute requires the Board of Psychology to include an order of revocation of any license to practice psychology upon a proposed decision or decision made that contains any finding of fact that the licensee or registrant engaged in any act of sexual contact with a patient or with a former patient in described circumstances. (B&P C §§ 101, 130, 149, 2960.1, 3704, 3710, 3711, 3712, 3713, 3714, 3715, 3716, 3717, 3718, 3719, 3720, 3721, 3722, 3730, 3731, 3732, 3733, 3734, 3735, 3735.3, 3735.5, 3736, 3736.5, 3737, 3739, 3740, 3750, 3750.5, 3750.6, 3751, 3751.5, 3752, 3752.7, 3753.5, 3754, 3754.5, 3755, 3756, 3757, 3760, 3761, 3762, 3763, 3764, 3771, 3773, 3774, 3775, 3775.1, 3775.5, 3776, 4982.26, 4986.71, 4992.33, & 808)

CHAPTER 1274  
Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036)

**RESPIRATORY  
CARE  
EXAMINING  
COMMITTEE**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1639  
Tucker

This bill would have authorized respiratory care practitioners to perform blood gas analysis and analysis of blood electrolytes from the same specimen.

VETOED

SB 2039  
McCorquodale

This statute requires the Respiratory Care Examining Committee to include an order of revocation of any license to practice respiratory care upon a proposed decision or decision made that contains any finding of fact that the licensee or registrant engaged in any act of sexual contact with a patient or with a former patient in described circumstances. This bill also revises terminology related to licensure, limits the titles and suffixes that a practitioner may use, and revises the dates between which an applicant may practice prior to receipt of license. (B&P C §§ 101, 130, 149, 2960.1, 3704, 3710, 3711, 3712, 3713, 3714, 3715, 3716, 3717, 3718, 3719, 3720, 3721, 3722, 3730, 3731, 3732, 3733, 3734, 3735, 3735.3, 3735.5, 3736, 3736.5, 3737, 3739, 3740, 3750, 3750.5, 3750.6, 3751, 3751.5, 3752, 3752.7, 3753.5, 3754, 3754.5, 3755, 3756, 3757, 3760, 3761, 3762, 3763, 3764, 3771, 3773, 3774, 3775, 3775.1, 3775.5, 3776, 4982.26, 4986.71, 4992.33, & 808)

CHAPTER 1274  
Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)

**SPEECH-LANGUAGE  
PATHOLOGY AND  
AUDIOLOGY**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2037  
McCorquodale

This bill would have merged the Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Board and the Hearing Aid Dispensers Board and would have prescribed the composition of the new board. This bill also would have eliminated the Tax Preparers Program and would have established a requirement of tax preparers to file a bond.

FAILED  
Senate Floor

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036)

**BOARD OF  
EXAMINERS OF  
NURSING HOME  
ADMINISTRATORS**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3660  
Caldera

Under existing law, the Board of Examiners of Nursing Home Administrators is authorized to set and charge fees for the application and examination of applicants for licensure as nursing home administrators. This statute revises this fee schedule by increasing the amounts of certain fees deposited into the board's fund. (B&P C §§ 3924 & 3940)

CHAPTER 1120  
Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)

**BOARD OF  
OPTOMETRY**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1894  
Polanco

This bill would have authorized ancillary personnel who work under the supervision of an optometrist to assist in the preparation of the patient and the preliminary collection of data that does not require the exercise of professional judgment or the skill of an optometrist. It would have provided that ancillary personnel are not authorized to perform any data analysis or diagnosis or to prescribe and determine any treatment plan.

FAILED  
Senate  
Business &  
Professions

AB 2020  
Isenberg

This bill would have defined the scope of optometry practice. It would have deleted the requirement of board designated pharmaceutical agents and would have authorized the use of specified diagnostic pharmaceutical agents for use in eye examinations. It would have authorized the use, prescription, and dispensing of specified therapeutic pharmaceutical agents. It would have excluded controlled substances specified in state and federal law and would have prohibited the administration of drugs by injection or intravenously by optometrists. This bill would have established a seven-member pharmaceutical advisory committee to authorize the board to determine educational and exam requirements of optometrists seeking certified registration to use the agents. It would have required the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development to conduct a study regarding the implementation of this bill.

FAILED  
Senate  
Business &  
Professions

**BOARD OF  
OPTOMETRY**  
(cont.)

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2943 Hauser	Existing law prohibits the practice of optometry without a certificate of registration issued by the State Board of Optometry. This statute authorizes the board to adopt regulations to require licensees to maintain current certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation. (B&P C § 3059)	CHAPTER 578 Statutes of 1994
SB 908 Calderon	This bill would have provided that the terms "license" and "certificate of registration" are deemed to be synonymous for purposes of provisions of the law regarding the licensure and regulation of optometry.	FAILED Assembly Inactive Files
SB 921 Maddy	Existing law authorizes the State Board of Optometry to revoke or suspend a certificate of registration to practice optometry for unprofessional conduct, among other things. This bill would have provided that it is unprofessional conduct for an optometrist to fail to advise a patient in writing of any pathology that requires the attention of a physician and surgeon when an examination of the eyes of the patient indicates a substantial likelihood of that pathology.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1399 Lewis	This statute authorizes the State Board of Optometry to issue a certificate of registration to persons licensed in another state who meet certain specific qualifications. (B&P C § 3056)	CHAPTER 403 Statutes of 1994
	See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)	

**BOARD OF  
PHARMACY**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 667 Boland	This bill would have provided that the prohibition against furnishing drugs or devices does not apply to the furnishing of any dangerous device by a manufacturer or wholesaler or pharmacy to a chiropractor acting within the scope of his or her license. This bill would have authorized a medical device retailer to dispense, furnish, transfer, or sell a dangerous device to a licensed chiropractor.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
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**BOARD OF  
PHARMACY**  
(cont.)

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2973 Aguiar	This bill would have made various provisions regulating pharmacies and medical device retailers to be also applicable to veterinary food-animal drug retailers. This bill would have provided that veterinary food-animal drugs include any dangerous drug to be used in food-producing animals and that these drugs can be furnished only pursuant to certain requirements.	VETOED
SB 849 Bergeson	This statute permits a hospital pharmacy under certain conditions to be located outside of the hospital in a physical plant that is regulated under a hospital's consolidated license. (B&P C § 4035.1)	CHAPTER 218 Statutes of 1994
SB 1427 Mello	Existing law authorizes a pharmacist, when filling a prescription drug order, to select another drug product with the same active chemical ingredients of the same strength, quantity, and dosage form, and of the same generic drug type, under certain circumstances. This bill would have defined the term "dosage form" for purposes of this provision.	VETOED
SB 1759 Kopp	This statute permits a registered pharmacist who has successfully completed clinical residency training or who has demonstrated clinical competence in direct patient care delivery to perform specified functions in certain unlicensed facilities. These functions include but are not limited to, ordering drug therapy-related laboratory test and administering drugs and biologicals by injection pursuant to a prescriber's order. This statute requires the function to be performed in accordance with specified policies, procedures, or protocols. (B&P C § 4046)	CHAPTER 1161 Statutes of 1994
SB 1991 Russell	This bill would have made technical, nonsubstantive changes to existing law that authorizes a pharmacist who is filling a prescription order by its trade name to select another drug product with the same active chemical ingredients of the same strength, quality and dosage form, and of the same generic drug type.	FAILED Senate Rules

**BOARD OF  
PHARMACY  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2045 Petris	Existing law prohibits the recovery of damages for emotional distress suffered by parents of a minor injured by the improper administration of medication by parents. This bill would have provided damage awards for emotional distress to parents to sue a pharmacist who improperly prescribed the medication administered by the parents and consumed by the injured minor.	FAILED Senate
SB 2087 Mello	This bill would have required any pharmacy, whether located in this state or outside this state, to provide a toll-free telephone service during normal business hours for patients to receive oral consultation from a pharmacist who has access to the patient's records.	FAILED Assembly Ways & Means

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053, SB 2101)

**BOARD OF  
REGISTRATION  
FOR  
PROFESSIONAL  
ENGINEERS AND  
LAND SURVEYORS**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1363 Lee	Existing law provides that if the county surveyor finds that the record of survey does not comply it shall be returned to the person who presented it together with a written statement of the changes necessary. This bill would have required the licensed land surveyor or registered civil engineer to make the agreed changes and note on the map any specific matters which cannot be agreed upon, before resubmission.	FAILED Senate Business & Professions
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**BOARD OF  
REGISTRATION  
FOR  
PROFESSIONAL  
ENGINEERS AND  
LAND SURVEYORS  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1414 Gotch	This statute will provide for the expiration of permits in conjunction with planned unit developments and will allow the imposition of conditions for issuance of building permits. This statute will authorize lettering as well as numbering of parcels on the parcel map and make clarifying changes regarding the conveyance of land to a governmental agency and termination of offers of dedication. This statute will require that monuments to delineate boundaries of subdivisions, tracts, streets, or highways to be set prior to the time streets and highways are constructed and moved. (B&P C § 8771; Gov C §§ 66412, 66424, 66426.5, 66428, 66434, 66445, 66452.12, & 66477.2; and S&H §§ 1492.5, 1810.5, & 732.5)	CHAPTER 458 Statutes of 1994
AB 2780 O'Connell	This bill would have provided that the California Registry of Certified Home Inspectors shall certify home inspectors. This bill would have exempted certified home inspectors from the Architects Practice Act, the Professional Engineers Act, the Contractors' State License Law, and the Real Estate Appraisers' Licensing and Certification Law.	FAILED Senate
AB 2952 Karnette	This bill would have provided that a professional engineer shall practice only in the field or fields in which he or she is by education or experience fully competent and proficient. This bill would have allowed a professional engineer to practice incidental civil, electrical, or mechanical engineering consistent with his or her branch of registration.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection
SCR 45 Rogers	This measure requests the State Personnel Board and the Department of Personnel Administration to review the civil service classification for engineering geologists and to report to the Legislature within 180 days of the adoption of this measure.	CHAPTER R-132 Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)

**BOARD OF  
REGISTERED  
NURSING**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 1338 Killea	This bill would have eliminated the restriction on the number of nurse-midwives that a physician and surgeon may supervise for purposes of furnishing drugs or devices.	FAILED Senate Business & Professions
SB 1834 Campbell	This bill would have provided that it is within the existing scope of practice for registered nurses to use point-of-care laboratory testing devices and would have required any health facility where point-of-care laboratory testing devices are used to establish protocols for the use of these devices.	VETOED
See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)		

**BUREAU OF  
SECURITY AND  
INVESTIGATIVE  
SERVICES**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 89 Conroy	Under existing law, any resident address in any record maintained by the Department of Motor Vehicles is confidential and, with exceptions, may not be disclosed to any person. This bill would have authorized specified entities or persons to release information obtained pursuant to existing law to private investigators, if specified conditions had been met.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 375 Bustamante	This statute exempts from the Yacht and Ship Brokers Act, a person licensed as a reposessor when liquidating repossessed collateral and exempts from the act any transaction in the regular course of business by a wholesale motor vehicle auction. (Civ C § 1812.601; H&N C § 710; and Veh C §§ 1819, 4456, 5602, 5901, 6100, 6102, & 9561)	CHAPTER 180 Statutes of 1994

**BUREAU OF  
SECURITY AND  
INVESTIGATIVE  
SERVICES  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1329 Epple	<p>This statute authorizes the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) to evaluate and approve pertinent training, previously received, as meeting current prescribed training requirements. This statute deletes the POST's authority to charge reexamination fees and instead allow charges, not to exceed actual costs, for applicants taking an original exam if the applicant is not sponsored by a law enforcement agency; not a police officer employed by a state, local agency, department or district; or is not a custodial officer. This statute also revises provisions relating to the accreditation program to provide that the regulations and professional standards be developed before July 1, 1996, and other law enforcement agencies shall be eligible for accreditation after January 1, 1998. (Pen C §§ 832, 13511.3, 13519.9, 13551, &amp; 13552)</p> <p>This statute provides for the establishment of the Robert Presley Institute of Criminal Investigation by January 1, 1995. The Institute would establish advanced training programs to meet the needs of working investigators in specialty assignments such as arson, homicide, auto theft, and narcotics. (Pen C §§ 13511.3, 13519.9, 13551, 13552, &amp; 832)</p>	CHAPTER 43 Statutes of 1994
AB 2226 Frazee	<p>This bill would have provided that any peace officer, who completed a course of training and obtained the basic certificates prescribed by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training would have been, upon presentation of proof to the bureau, exempted from certain training and testing requirements under existing law.</p>	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2781 Horcher	<p>This statute makes clarifying changes regarding the specified fees paid by a debtor and requires the party releasing possession of a repossessed vehicles to provide a copy of proof of payment to the debtor upon request. It exempts certain fees from specified charge limitations contained in the Personal Property Brokers Law and the Consumers Finance Lenders Law. (B&amp;P C §§ 7502.2 &amp; 7510.2; Fin C §§ 22005, 22465.5, 24005, &amp; 24465.5; and Gov C §§ 26751 &amp; 41612)</p>	CHAPTER 1114 Statutes of 1994

**BUREAU OF  
SECURITY AND  
INVESTIGATIVE  
SERVICES**  
(cont.)

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3291 McPherson	This statute enacts the Private Investigator Act for the licensing and regulation of private investigators and the Private Security Services Act for the licensing and regulation of private patrol operators, armored contract carriers, and firearms and baton training facilities. (B&P C §§ 6980.81, 7511, 7512, 7570, 7580, 7588, & 7599.72)	CHAPTER 1285 Statutes of 1994
SB 394 Deddeh	This bill would have required any person engaged in the business of collecting claims for others or conducting the activities of a collection agency, to record a verified certificate of operation of a collection agency with the recorder's office of the county of the principal place of business. This bill also would have exempted from this requirement specified persons or entities that engage in collection activities that are minor and incidental to other primary business activities. This bill would have required a collection agency to maintain a bond in the amount of \$10,000.	FAILED Assembly Banking & Finance
SB 1713 Hart	This statute requires the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services, with technical assistance from the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training, to develop minimum selection and training standards for armed security guards. The standards shall be implemented by January 1, 1996. This statute declares legislative intent that armed security guards not be required to meet the same standards required of peace officers.	CHAPTER 1091 Statutes of 1994
SBX 7 Hart	This bill would have required any person who seeks to own a firearm capable of being concealed upon the person, to apply to the Department of Justice for a license or a renewal license valid for four years from the date of issuance.	FAILED Senate Judiciary

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2053, SB 2101)

**STRUCTURAL PEST  
CONTROL BOARD**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 1851  
Connolly

This statute removes chloropicrin from the list of lethal fumigants. This statute defines "warning agent" as any agent used in combination with any fumigant that lacks warning properties and includes cholopicrin as a warning agent. This statute authorizes the Structural Pest Control Board to adopt and amend, by regulation, a list of warning agents. (B&P C §§ 8505.1, 8505.14, 8505.15, 8506.1, 8641 & 8663)

CHAPTER 282  
Statutes of 1994

SB 250  
Kelley

This statute permits an applicant for licensing or certification as a qualified applicator to elect to be trained in the handling, control, and techniques of removal of Africanized honey bees. (B&P C § 8565.6 and F&A C §§ 12203 & 14153)

CHAPTER 298  
Statutes of 1994

SB 2070  
Calderon

This statute prohibits a fire department from charging a fee in excess of \$25 for receiving notice of fumigation, provides for licensure of a "structural pest control applicator," increases certain civil penalties and fees, revises the requirements applicable to inspection reports, and requires the posting of inspection tags and completion tags. (B&P C §§ 8505.10, 8505.13, 8505.16, 8505.17, 8505.5, 8507.1, 8512, 8513, 8515, 8516, 8516.1, 8516.5, 8538, 8550, 8551.5, 8555, 8560, 8562, 8564, 8564.5, 8564.6, 8565, 8565.5, 8566, 8566.5, 8567, 8572, 8590, 8590.1, 8591, 8592, 8593, 8593.1, 8611, 8616, 8616.4, 8616.5, 8616.6, 8616.9, 8618, 8619, 8620, 8622, 8642, 8649, 8651, 8652, 8655, 8674, 8675 & 8690)

CHAPTER 844  
Statutes of 1994

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2053)

**TAX PREPARER  
PROGRAM**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2037  
McCorquodale

This bill would have eliminated the Tax Preparer Program and would have required tax preparers to maintain a \$5,000 surety bond to be filed with the Secretary of State.

FAILED  
Senate Floor

See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2053)

**EXAMINERS IN  
VETERINARY  
MEDICINE**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 302 Horcher	This bill would have required an owner of a cat over the age of four months to have the cat sterilized by a veterinarian if the cat is permitted outdoors without supervision or obtain a written certification from a veterinarian that the cat should not be sterilized for medical reasons.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
SB 1821 Kelley	This bill would have renamed the Board of Examiners of Veterinary Medicine to be the Veterinary Medical Board. This bill would have renamed the Animal Health Technician Examining Committee to the Registered Veterinary Technician Examining Committee and would have revised the composition of the committee.	VETOED
See DCA General (AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)		

**BOARD OF  
VOCATIONAL  
NURSES**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

No major legislation in 1994.

See DCA General (AB 1807, AB 3302, SB 2036, SB 2101)

C. Department of Consumer Affairs

**DCA - GENERAL**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 923 Speier	This statute revises the method of calculating child support under the statewide uniform guideline. This statute requires the Department of Motor Vehicles to suspend the commercial license of any person who neglects to pay or defaults in the court-ordered payment of child or family support obligations. This statute permits the Department of Consumer Affairs to suspend a license of an individual who is four or more months in arrears in child support payments at any time instead of only when a license is renewed. (B&P C § 490.5; R&T C §§ 19271 & 19274; Veh C §§ 15310; W&I C §§ 11350.6 & 11475.3; and Fam C §§ 4055 & 4508)	CHAPTER 906 Statutes of 1994
AB 1287 Moore	This bill would have required the Judicial Council and the Department of Consumer Affairs, jointly, to establish a task force to conduct a comprehensive statewide study to identify all nonlawyer providers and to assess pro per legal services. The study would have been funded by private and public grant sources which the Judicial Council would have been authorized to seek.	FAILED Assembly
AB 1807 Bronshvag	This was the department's 1993 annual omnibus bill and enacts a number of technical, clarifying, updating, or strengthening amendments to the general provisions of the Business and Professions Code related to the DCA, its constituent licensing agencies, and several licensing acts administered by boards and bureaus within the department, as well as a few substantive amendments. (B&P C §§ 101, 124, 128.5, 130, 136, 146, 149, 1626, 1632, 1633.5, 1686, 18605, 200.1, 205, 206, 2071, 2085, 2101, 2102, 2135, 2140, 2144, 2265, 23.7, 2406, 2415, 2423, 2427, 2428, 2461, 2489, 2499, 2530.3, 2530.4, 2531.05, 2531.2, 2531.3, 2535.2, 2536, 2537.1, 2537.2, 2537.3, 2538, 2559.2, 2560, 2561, 2604, 2636, 2655.4, 2655.5, 2655.71, 2655.8, 2660, 2666, 2673, 2688.5, 2732.1, 2733, 2739, 2741, 2761, 2892.1, 2895.1, 2927.5, 2932, 2960, 2984, 2986, 2987, 3057.5, 3057.6, 313.1, 3147.6, 3147.7, 32, 3306.5, 3321, 3354, 3365, 3402, 3452, 3454, 3542, 3454, 3542, 3543, 3544, 3545, 3546, 3739, 3751, 3760, 4033, 4035.4, 4036, 4036.2, 4036.3, 4036.4, 4050.8, 4390.5, 4510, 4521, 462, 492, 4933, 4935, 4940, 4949, 4955, 4956, 4961, 4966, 4967, 4969, 4980.90, 4982.2, 4996.16, 1996.17, 5029, 5070.7, 5081.1, 5680.1, 5680.2, 60, 6529, 6704, 6715, 6735.3, 6735.4, 6736.1, 6736.3, 6737.4, 6796, 6796.3, 6796.6,	CHAPTER 26 Statutes of 1994

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**DCA - GENERAL**  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2384  
Vasconcellos

This statute provides the Director of the Department of Consumer Affairs flexibility relating to budgeting, establishing, and revising departmental specific classifications, executing contracts, procuring goods and services, and negotiating leases. (B&P C §§ 117, 18711, 18800, 18882, & 18888 and Gov C § 11011.21)

CHAPTER 150  
Statutes of 1994

AB 2520  
Napolitano

Existing law prohibits any person from engaging in the business or act in the capacity of an immigration consultant for compensation, except as specified. This statute requires an immigration consultant to conspicuously display in his or her office a notice that contains information concerning the consultant and a statement that the consultant is not an attorney. This notice must be of a specified size and in both English and in the native language of the consultant's clientele. (B&P C §§ 22442.2, 22442.3, 22442.4, 22445, & 22446.5)

CHAPTER 561  
Statutes of 1994

AB 2650  
Napolitano

This bill would have required the Secretary of the Health and Welfare Agency or a designee to develop a plan to identify federal resources or funds to offset costs arising from the impact to the state.

VETOED

AB 3137  
Escutia

This statute requires an immigration consultant to file a bond in the amount of \$10,000, or in lieu of a bond, a cash deposit in the same amount with the Secretary of State. (B&P C §§ 22443, 22443.1, & 22447)

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Statutes of 1994



**DCA - GENERAL**  
**(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3302  
Speier

This statute provides that a licensing board may not process any application for an original license or for renewal of a license unless the applicant or licensee provides its federal employer identification number or social security number where requested on the application. (B&P C §§ 30, 7091, 7103, 7104, & 7190)

CHAPTER 1135  
Statutes of 1994

SB 993  
Kelley

This bill would have stated the legislature's intention that all newly-created health care professional categories enacted on or after January 1, 1995, be supported by expert data, facts and studies. Similar factual support would also be required for existing health care categories subject to a revised scope of practice.

FAILED  
Secretary of Senate

SB 1125  
Calderon

This bill would have required the Department of Consumer Affairs to conduct a prescribed study of costs for clinical laboratory tests and to report the results to the legislature on or before May 1, 1994.

FAILED  
Secretary of Senate

SB 1646  
Rogers

This statute requires the specified businesses, occupations, and professional boards within the Business and Professions Code to evaluate the applicable education, training, and experience obtained in the armed services by an applicant. The rules and regulations shall also specify how this education, training, and experience may be used to meet the requirements for that particular business, occupation, or profession regulated. Each board shall consult with the Department of Veterans Affairs before adopting such rules and regulations. (B&P C § 35; UIC C § 2054; and Veh C § 1651.3)

CHAPTER 987  
Statutes of 1994

SB 1687  
Presley

Existing law provides for the licensure and regulations of physician and surgeons by the Medical Board of California, including the establishment of standards governing "unprofessional conduct". This bill would have prohibited the Medical Board from reaching certain findings that a physician and surgeon had committed "unprofessional conduct" solely on the basis that the therapy provided was of a "nontraditional" nature unless such treatment resulted in injury or unreasonable risk or harm to the patient.

FAILED  
Senate  
Business &  
Professions

**DCA - GENERAL**  
**(cont.)****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**

SB 1942 Rosenthal	This bill would have established the California Advisory Council on Cable Television and prescribed its membership, powers, and duties. This bill would have required any funds provided for this purpose to be deposited in the California Cable Television Advisory Council Fund to be continuously appropriated to the Department of Consumer Affairs for this purpose.	FAILED Senate Appropriations
SB 2036 McCorquodale	Existing law provides for the licensing and regulation of various occupations and professions, each administered by a regulatory board. This statute establishes a Joint Legislative Sunset Review Committee to conduct a review of each board within the Department of Consumer Affairs. The provisions that establish the boards and authorize the appointment of an executive officer will become inoperative on either July 1, 1997, 1998, or 1999, and will be repealed effective January 1, 1998, 1999, or 2000 respectively if the boards do not demonstrate a public need for continued existence. (B&P C §§ 101.1, 1601, 1616.5, 1742, 18890, 2001, 2020, 2460, 2531, 2569, 2602, 2607.5, 2701, 2708, 2841, 2847, 2920, 2933, 3010, 3014.5, 3320, 345, 3504, 3710, 3716, 3910, 3915, 4000, 4004.5, 4501, 4503, 473, 4800, 4804.5, 4928, 4934, 4989, 4990.1, 4990.8, 5000, 5015.6, 5510, 5517, 5620, 5624, 5810, 6710, 6714, 7000.5, 7200, 7302, 7310, 7601, 7607.5, 7801, 7815.5, 8000, 8005, 8520, 8528, & 8710 and Gov C §§ 9148, 9148.10, & 9148.4)	CHAPTER 908 Statutes of 1994
SB 2037 McCorquodale	This bill would have merged the Speech Pathology and Audiology Board and the Hearing Aid Dispensers Board and would have prescribed the composition of the new board. This bill also would have eliminated the Tax Preparers Program and would have established a requirement for tax preparers to file a bond.	FAILED Senate
SB 2038 McCorquodale	This statute requires the Department of Justice to submit itemized statements of services performed to each of the boards within the Department of Consumer Affairs. This statute also decreases the number of members on the Board of Accountancy and establishes three administrative committees. (B&P C §§ 202.5, 5000, 5020, 5023, 5024, & 5029)	CHAPTER 1273 Statutes of 1994

**DCA - GENERAL**  
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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2053  
Killea

This statute revises the California Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act. Among other things, this statute revises provisions governing certificates of limited partnership, changes voting requirements, and eliminates the 6-month withdrawal right of a limited partner in a partnership. (B&P C §§ 128, 302, 653, 1201, 2032, 3300, 4039, 4081, 5035, 5219, 7210.5, 7500.1, 7512.3, 7590.1, 8504, 9801, 9880.1, 9891.1, 9998.1, 14001, 14204, 18402, 18824, 18830, 19413, 20008, 21500, & 22104; Civ C §§ 51.5, 81, 987, 1738, 1739.7, 1740, 1761, 1785.3, 1786.2, 1788.2, 1789.12, 1791, 1798.3, 1799, 1799.101, 1802.15, 1812.201, 1812.300, 1812.501, 1812.601, 1882, 2430, 2945.1, 2981, 2985.7, 3343.5, 3426.1, 3439.01, & 3504; CCP §§ 116.130, 481.170, 511.070, 680.280, 706.011, 1203.51, 1235.160, & 1601; Corp C §§ 605, 12245, 13401, 15002, 15611, 15617, 15622, 15623, 15624, 15625, 15631, 15632, 15633, 15636, 15637, 15641, 15643, 15644, 15645, 15655, 15662, 15663, 15664, 15666, 15672, 15674, 15675, 15681, 24000, 29001, 29514, & 31015; Ed C §§ 32380 & 66405; Elec C §§ 3564.1, 3785.1, 5014.1, 5157.6, & 5326; Evid C §§ 175, 954, & 994; Fin C §§ 18, 113, 700, 1755, 1852, 5113, 17002.5, 22008.1, 24008.1, 26008.1, 30003, 31048, & 33061; F&G C §§ 67, 711.2, 7690, & 7850; F&A C §§ 38, 14554, 14937, 18672, 61313, 61834, 64013, 64506, & 77527; Gov C §§ 17, 4217.11, 6252, 7260, 7465, 9072, 12604, 12650, 12925, 50568, 82047, & 85102; H&N C §§ 19, 293, 294, 651, & 773.2; H&S C §§ 19, 1170.2, 1175.2, 1345, 1596.79, 4010.1, 7150.1, 7186, 11022, 17009.6, 25026, 25249.11, 25270.2, 25319, 25420, 25805, 26024, 27530, 28501, 37912, & 52016; Ins C §§ 19, 729, 791.02, 1067.04, 14001, & 15001; Lab C §§ 18, 1117, 1132.2, 1140.4, 1500, 1682, 1700, 2650, 2671, & 5156; M&V C §§ 480.2 & 1000.2; Pen C §§ 311, 313, 374.2, 498, 574, 632, 637.5, 639, 653, 653.56, 11207, 11234, & 12277; Prob C § 56; PRC §§ 2004, 3316.1, 3460, 3635.1, 4101, 4464, 4525, 4793, 6331, 8750, 21066, 25116, 25953, 29117, & 30111; PUC §§ 4662, 5502, 21009, 102020, & 103019; R&T C §§ 69.5 & 13203; S&H C § 19; Veh C § 470; W C §§ 19, 72140.1, & 75501; and Fam C § 105)

CHAPTER 1010  
Statutes of 1994

**DCA - GENERAL**  
**(cont.)****SUMMARY****DISPOSITION**SB 2077  
Campbell

Existing law provides for licensure and regulation of certain professions under the Business and Professions Code. Many licensing boards grant certification of licensure based upon reciprocity with other states. This bill would have provided that despite other provisions of the law, every board with reciprocity provisions must issue a license to an applicant who was licensed to practice the same profession or occupation in another jurisdiction outside of this state.

FAILED  
Senate  
Business &  
Professions

SB 2089  
Marks

This bill would have required a qualified 3rd-party dispute resolution process to provide arbitrators with a specified training program and to permit oral presentations. It also would have required the Department of Consumer Affairs to establish minimum standards for the selection, training, and removal of persons qualified to act as arbitrators for these resolution processes.

FAILED  
Senate Judiciary

SB 2101  
McCorquodale

Existing law provides for the licensing and regulation of various professions and vocations administered by licensing boards under the jurisdiction of the Department of Consumer Affairs. This was the department's omnibus bill and revises existing law in regard to licensing, testing, course proposals, and regulation of the following professions and vocations: optometrists, psychologists, vocational nurses, registered nurses, dentists, audiology and speech pathologists, professional engineers, accountants, veterinarians, acupuncturists, pharmacists, respiratory care providers, security guards, appliance and electronic repairpersons, private investigators, and locksmiths. (B&P C §§ 101, 141, 1632, 1633.5, 1749.1, 18868, 205, 2489, 2530.5, 2701, 2707, 2746.6, 2750, 2760, 2760.1, 2761, 2848, 2869, 2873.5, 2896, 2960, 2960.6, 2962, 3025.6, 3145, 3145.5, 3147, 3147.6, 3717, 3750.6, 3904, 3910, 3928, 4361, 4411, 4801, 4938.1, 494, 4960.5, 5020, 6735.4, 6796.3, 6980.17, 6980.34, 7552.3, 7552.5, 7553.2, 7553.3, 7599.54, 9830, 9830.5, 9832, 9832.5, 9854, 9862 & 9862.5; Gov C § 26509; and H&S C §§ 1327, 1422, & 1429.5)

CHAPTER 1275  
Statutes of 1994

**STATE AGENCIES -  
GENERAL**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 145 Richter	This bill would have required each state agency to evaluate its proposed regulatory actions for compliance with the most recent decisions of the United States Supreme Court, the California Supreme Court, and other relevant judicial authority.	FAILED Senate Judiciary
AB 173 Brown, V.	Existing law specifies the amount of annual salary paid to chairpersons and members of various state boards and commissions. This bill would have limited the amount of salary paid to a chairperson or a member of the various state boards and commissions to the same salary amount received by regular members of the Legislature. This bill would have limited the total amount expended for travel by state employees for any fiscal year to fifty percent of the total travel expense budgeted for the 1992/1993 fiscal year. It would have prohibited expenditures for salaries and benefits for public information, communications, and public affairs classifications.	FAILED Senate Inactive Files
AB 894 Friedman, T.	This bill would have permitted disclosure of the addresses of employees in the State Bargaining Unit Seven to the Department of General Services. This bill would have required the department to contract with any employee organization that had a petition before the Public Relation Employees Board, to mail correspondence and literature to those employees without disclosing the addresses to the employee organizations at the organization's expense.	FAILED Chief Clerk-Assembly
AB 2434 Mountjoy	This bill would have required the state and its political subdivisions to take all reasonable steps to preserve, protect, and enhance the role of the English language as the official language of the state.	FAILED Assembly Consumer Protection
AB 2498 Burton	This bill would have required the Assembly Office of Research, to prepare and submit to the Legislature a study that examines the ways to best protect the safety and confidentiality of Law Enforcement Officers and other persons by restricting access to certain public records.	FAILED Senate Inactive Files

**STATE AGENCIES -  
GENERAL  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 2499 Murray	This statute provides the same exemptions from the rules of the road for peace officers riding bicycles as provided for peace officers in vehicles while on patrol, while responding to an emergency call, while engaging in rescue operations, or while in immediate pursuit of a violator of the law. (Veh C § 21200)	CHAPTER 357 Statutes of 1994
AB 2507 Speier	This bill would have provided for the establishment of the California Business Registry Task Force and the appointment of its members by the Secretary of State (chairperson of the task force). This bill would have required the Secretary of State to include in the task force specified representatives.	VETOED
AB 2508 Katz	Under existing law, a public entity is liable for injury caused by acts or omissions of their employees occurring within the scope of employment, but not in cases where an employee is immune from liability. This law provides that a public entity will be liable for an intentional tort of an elected official only if (1) the public entity and the official are named as codefendants, and (2) the act or omission of the employee is directly related to the official's duties. Additionally, if the employee's misconduct is not related to his/her duties, then the plaintiff must first try to collect damages from the individual defendant, then against the public entity. This law would not apply to any defamation action against an elected official. (Gov C § 815.3)	CHAPTER 796 Statutes of 1994
AB 2523 Bowen	Existing law contains provisions with respect to the use, management, and security of data processing information by state agencies. Current law also prohibits the exchange or transfer of data between data centers by intercoupling or telecommunication, with certain exceptions. This statute would require the Director of the Office of Information Technology, despite these prohibitions, to develop a master plan that provides for networking between all state agencies by January 1, 1996. (Gov C § 11758)	CHAPTER 925 Statutes of 1994

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**GENERAL**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

(cont.)

AB 2525 Bowen	This bill would have removed the exemption, from the requirement of disclosure under the California Public Records Act, for correspondence to the Governor or employees of the Governor's Office.	FAILED Senate Rules
AB 2547 Bowen	This statute extends the inspection requirements of the California Public Records Act and the Legislative Open Records Act to include those records in the public database maintained by the Legislative Counsel that contain this specified information. (Gov C §§ 6254 & 9075)	CHAPTER 82 Statutes of 1994
AB 2624 Pringle	Existing law prohibits an officer or employee of a local agency from participating in political activities of any kind while in uniform. This bill would have expanded this prohibition to include state employees and participation during work hours. This bill would have defined "local agency" for purposes of this provision and would have excluded from its application, certain officers and employees.	FAILED Assembly Public Employees
AB 2711 Brown, V.	This statute enacts the State Government Strategic Planning and Performance Review Act that requires the Controller and the Department of the Bureau of State Audits in consultation with the Legislative Analyst, to develop a plan for conducting performance reviews of all state agencies on or after July 1, 1995. (Gov C § 11810)	CHAPTER 779 Statutes of 1994
AB 2811 Katz	This statute deletes the existing law that required that every state agency report to the Legislature on or before January 1, 1978, on the license periods and renewal dates being used by the agency. (Gov C § 11000.7)	CHAPTER 287 Statutes of 1994
AB 3254 Haynes	Existing law prescribes the amount of annual salary paid to chairpersons and members of various states boards and commissions. This bill would have prohibited the annual salary of a person appointed to a board or commission, after January 1, 1995, from being greater than the annual salary of members of the Legislature.	FAILED Assembly Public Employees

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GENERAL  
(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

AB 3413 Conroy	This statute requires each state agency to develop and maintain an index of the names and titles of all fees, license fees, fines, and penalties administered or collected by the agency, except for fees collected from a governmental agency. (Gov C § 8317)	CHAPTER 784 Statutes of 1994
AB 3444 Margolin	This statute prohibits a state agency public official from acting for compensation as an agent or attorney for any other person by making any formal or informal appearances before, or communicating to, his or her state agency or any officer or employee if the appearance or communication is made for the purpose of influencing a specified action by the agency. (Gov C § 87104)	CHAPTER 274 Statutes of 1994
SB 1010 Watson	Existing law provides that it is the policy of this state that the composition of state boards and commissions be broadly reflective of the general public, including ethnic minorities and women. This bill would have required the Governor and every other appointing authority to annually publish and make available to the public a report containing the number of appointments made to any state body to which the above policy applies, indicating each appointee's gender and ethnic heritage.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1316 Greene	Existing law requires a state agency to hold open and public meetings but to hold closed meetings to consider specified personnel matters. This statute would refine the definition of employees to include persons appointed to a specified exemption from civil service. (Gov C § 11126)	CHAPTER 845 Statutes of 1994
SB 1460 Calderon	Under existing law, the California Public Records Act, public records are open to inspection during the office hours of state and local agencies with specified exceptions. One category of records exempt from disclosure is law enforcement records. This bill would have specified the conditions under which investigatory records compiled or maintained by any state or local law enforcement agency would have been considered exempt.	FAILED Senate Inactive Files



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**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 1609 Hill	This statute requires that the budget contracts proposed to be effective for the fiscal year beginning July 1, be submitted in draft form no later than January 31, to the fiscal subcommittees of the Assembly and the Senate. (Gov C § 11806)	CHAPTER 672 Statutes of 1994
SB 1727 Hughes	This statute which revises member home loan provisions under the Public Employees' Retirement System, provides that 95 percent of the loan be secured by the purchased home and the balance, not to exceed 5 percent, be secured by the member's accumulated contributions and vested accrued benefits. The changes are to be deemed to have become operative on November 1, 1993. (Gov C §§ 12420.2 & 20215.5)	CHAPTER 1094 Statutes of 1994
SB 1897 Hayden	Existing law, the Political Reform Act of 1974, prohibits an officer of a state agency from accepting, soliciting, or directing a political contribution of more than \$250 from specified persons while a proceeding involving a license, permit, or other entitlement is pending or for three months thereafter. This bill would have applied this prohibition to contributions of any amount and extended the period of prohibition to 12 months after the proceeding.	FAILED Senate Inactive Files
SB 1900 Hayden	This bill would have prohibited any ex parte communication between a member of a state body and any other person concerning matters under the jurisdiction of the state body unless disclosed to the public. Any person knowingly violating this prohibition would have been subject to a civil fine not to exceed \$5,000.	FAILED Secretary of Senate
SB 1968 Hughes	This bill would have required, commencing January 1, 1995, all supervisory and managerial employees to be paid at a salary level that is at least 10 percent higher than the maximum step of the salary level of the highest paid rank and file employee over which the supervisor or manager has authority.	FAILED Senate Appropriations
SB 2058 Peace	This statute requires a department or agency to release to the complainant a copy of his or her own statements at the time the complaint is filed against one of its peace officers and to provide written notification to the complainant of the disposition of the complaint within 30 days of the disposition. (Pen C § 832.7)	CHAPTER 741 Statutes of 1994

**STATE AGENCIES -**  
**GENERAL**  
**(cont.)**

**SUMMARY**

**DISPOSITION**

SB 2100 Hayden	This bill would have required enforcement agencies to ensure that drawings, specifications, and the actual construction of commercial, public, and residential buildings be in compliance with the California Building Standards Code. This bill would have imposed a fee on applicants for building or occupancy permits in order to cover the costs incurred by the local agency in providing mandated services.	FAILED Senate Local Government
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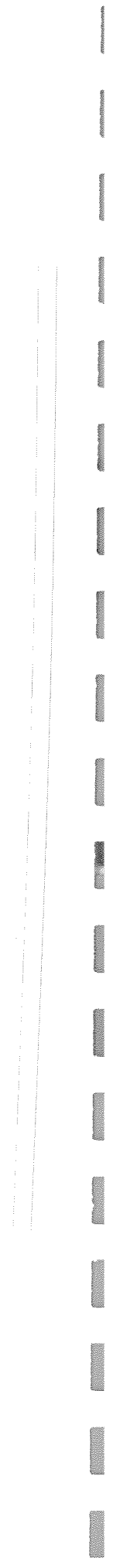
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B&P C	Business and Professions Code
Civ C	Civil Code
CCP	Code of Civil Procedure
Com C	Commercial Code
Corp C	Corporation Code
Ed C	Education Code
Evid C	Evidence Code
Fam C	Family Code
Fin C	Financial Code
F&A C	Food & Agricultural Code
F&G C	Fish & Game Code
Gov C	Government Code
H&N C	Harbors & Navigation Code
H&S C	Health & Safety Code
Ins C	Insurance Code
Lab C	Labor Code
M&V C	Military & Veterans Code
Pen C	Penal Code
Prob C	Probate Code
PCC	Public Contract Code
PRC	Public Resources Code
PUC	Public Utilities Code
R&T C	Revenue & Taxation Code
UIC C	Unemployment Insurance Code
Veh C	Vehicle Code
W&I C	Welfare & Institutions Code