



Bills For Review

- AB 1747 (Rodriguez D) School safety plans.
Introduced: 1/3/2018
Last Amend: 3/13/2018
Status: 3/14/2018-Re-referred to Com. on ED.
Location: 1/16/2018-A. ED.
Calendar: 3/21/2018 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY EDUCATION, O'DONNELL, Chair
Summary: Current law requires a comprehensive school safety plan to contain certain things including assessing the current status of school crime committed on school campuses. Current law authorizes a school district or county office of education to, in consultation with law enforcement officials, elect to not have its schoolsite council develop and write those portions of its comprehensive school safety plan that include tactical responses to criminal incidents, as defined, that may result in death or serious bodily injury at the schoolsite. This bill would require the schoolsite council to additionally consult with other first responder entities in the writing and development of the comprehensive school safety plan and would require the comprehensive school safety plan and any updates made to the plan to be shared with the law enforcement agency and the other first responder entities.
- AB 2031 (O'Donnell D) Public contracts: school facility projects: bidding requirements.
Introduced: 2/6/2018
Status: 3/5/2018-Referred to Com. on ED.
Location: 3/5/2018-A. ED.
Calendar: 3/21/2018 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY EDUCATION, O'DONNELL, Chair
Summary: Current law requires a prospective bidder for a construction contract for certain school facility projects to submit a prequalification questionnaire and financial statement, under oath, as part of the bidding process and requires each prospective bidder to submit a bid by completing and executing a standardized proposal form. Current law requires the Director of Industrial Relations to submit a report to the Legislature, by January 1, 2018, on whether violations of the Labor Code on school district projects have decreased during the years these provisions are applicable to contracts. Existing law makes all of the above-specified provisions inoperative on January 1, 2019, and repeals them on July 1, 2019. This bill would extend the operation of the bill's provisions indefinitely and would eliminate the reporting requirement.
- AB 2249 (Cooley D) Public contracts: local agencies: alternative procedure.
Introduced: 2/13/2018
Status: 3/1/2018-Referred to Com. on L. GOV.
Location: 3/1/2018-A. L. GOV.
Summary: Would authorize public projects of \$60,000 or less to be performed by the employees of a public agency, authorize public projects of \$200,000 or less to be let to contract by informal procedures, and require public projects of more than \$200,000 to be let to contract by formal bidding procedures.

- AB 2291 (Chiu D) School safety: bullying.
 Introduced: 2/13/2018
 Status: 3/1/2018-Referred to Com. on ED.
 Location: 3/1/2018-A. ED.
 Calendar: 4/11/2018 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY EDUCATION, O'DONNELL, Chair
 Summary: Current law provides that school districts and county offices of education are responsible for the overall development of a comprehensive school safety plan for each of its schools, and requires the plans to include, among other elements, appropriate strategies that will address the school's procedures for complying with current laws related to school safety, including a discrimination and harassment policy, as specified. Current law provides that the Legislature encourages, as comprehensive school safety plans are reviewed and updated, all plans, to the extent that resources are available, to include policies and procedures aimed at the prevention of bullying. This bill would delete the statement encouraging comprehensive school safety plans to include policies and procedures aimed at the prevention of bullying.
- AB 2318 (Flora R) Gun-free school zone.
 Introduced: 2/13/2018
 Last Amend: 3/15/2018
 Status: 3/15/2018-Referred to Com. on PUB. S. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on PUB. S. Read second time and amended.
 Location: 3/15/2018-A. PUB. S.
 Summary: Current law makes it a crime to possess a firearm in a place that the person knows, or reasonably should know, is a school zone. This bill would exempt from that crime a person who holds a valid concealed carry license who is carrying the firearm described in the license to, from, or in a church, synagogue, or building used as a place of worship on the grounds of a public or private school providing instruction in kindergarten or grades 1 to 12, inclusive, if the person has the written permission of the school authority. The bill would apply other conditions to the exemption.
- AB 2431 (Weber D) Public Utilities Commission: proceedings: intervenor compensation.
 Introduced: 2/14/2018
 Status: 3/9/2018-Introduced measure version corrected.
 Location: 3/5/2018-A. U. & E.
 Calendar: 4/4/2018 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY UTILITIES AND ENERGY, HOLDEN, Chair
 Summary: Current law specifies that no state, federal, or local government agency, publicly owned public utility, or entity that, in the Public Utilities Commission's opinion, was established or formed by a local government entity for the purpose of participating in a commission proceeding is eligible to receive that compensation, except as specified. This bill would authorize public school districts, county offices of education, community college districts, or authorized representatives of those entities, to receive that compensation.
- AB 2453 (Garcia, Eduardo D) Air pollution: schools.
 Introduced: 2/14/2018
 Last Amend: 3/15/2018
 Status: 3/15/2018-Referred to Coms. on ED. and NAT. RES. From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to Com. on ED. Read second time and amended.
 Location: 3/15/2018-A. ED.
 Summary: The Leroy F. Greene School Facilities Act of 1998 requires the State Allocation Board to allocate to applicant school districts prescribed per-unhoused-pupil state funding for the construction and modernization of school facilities, including hardship funding, and supplemental funding for site development and acquisition. This bill would authorize a grant for modernization under the act to be used to limit pupil exposure to harmful air pollutants by updating air filtration systems.

- AB 2488 (O'Donnell D) School facilities.
 Introduced: 2/14/2018
 Status: 2/15/2018-From printer. May be heard in committee March 17.
 Location: 2/14/2018-A. PRINT
 Summary: Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would ensure the efficiency of the school facilities program within the parameters of the Kindergarten Through Community College Public Education Facilities Bond Act of 2016. This bill contains other existing laws.
- AB 2570 (Nazarian D) School facilities: Clean and Healthy Schools Act: environmentally preferable cleaning and cleaning maintenance products.
 Introduced: 2/15/2018
 Status: 3/8/2018-Referred to Com. on ED.
 Location: 3/8/2018-A. ED.
 Summary: Would create the Clean and Healthy Schools Act, and would make findings and declarations regarding indoor air quality and cleaning products. The bill would require school districts and nonpublic elementary and secondary schools with 50 or more pupils, by the 2020–21 school year, or when it is economically feasible, to purchase and use exclusively environmentally preferable cleaning and cleaning maintenance products, as specified.
- AB 2816 (Muratsuchi D) Juvenile court schools.
 Introduced: 2/16/2018
 Status: 2/17/2018-From printer. May be heard in committee March 19.
 Location: 2/16/2018-A. PRINT
 Summary: Current law provides for the administration and operation of juvenile court schools to serve pupils who are placed in juvenile detention facilities and specified other facilities and to provide the juvenile court school pupils with quality education and training. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.
- AB 3136 (O'Donnell D) Special education.
 Introduced: 2/16/2018
 Status: 2/17/2018-From printer. May be heard in committee March 19.
 Location: 2/16/2018-A. PRINT
 Summary: Current law states that the Legislature finds and declares that all individuals with exceptional needs have a right to participate in free appropriate public education and that special educational instruction and services for these persons are needed in order to ensure the right to an appropriate educational opportunity to meet their unique needs. This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to enact future legislation relating to the provision of special education instruction and services.

Watch Bills

- AB 1743 (O'Donnell D) California Career Technical Education Incentive Grant Program.
 Introduced: 1/3/2018
 Last Amend: 3/14/2018
 Status: 3/15/2018-Re-referred to Com. on ED.
 Location: 1/16/2018-A. ED.
 Calendar: 3/21/2018 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY EDUCATION, O'DONNELL, Chair
 Summary: Current law establishes the California Career Technical Education Incentive Grant Program, administered by the State Department of Education, with the purpose of encouraging and maintaining the delivery of career technical education programs during implementation of the school district and charter school local control funding formula. Current law appropriates specified amounts for the program from the General Fund for the 2015–16, 2016–17, and 2017–18 fiscal years, and provides minimum eligibility standards for grant applicants. This bill would instead specify that the purpose of the program is to encourage and maintain the delivery of high-quality career technical education programs.

- AB 1754 (McCarty D) Pre-**K** for All Act of 2018.
Introduced: 1/3/2018
Status: 1/16/2018-Referred to Com. on ED.
Location: 1/16/2018-A. ED.
Summary: Current law requires the Superintendent to administer all California state preschool programs, which include part-day age and developmentally appropriate programs for 3- and 4-year-old children, as provided. Existing law provides that 3- and 4-year-old children are eligible for the state part-day preschool program if the family meets one of several eligibility requirements, including income eligibility. This bill, the Pre-K for All Act of 2018, would require the state to provide all 4-year-old children who meet those eligibility requirements with access to early care and education programs.
- AB 1766 (Maienschein R) Swimming pools: public safety.
Introduced: 1/4/2018
Last Amend: 2/21/2018
Status: 3/6/2018-Coauthors revised.
Location: 1/22/2018-A. HEALTH
Calendar: 3/20/2018 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY HEALTH, WOOD, Chair
Summary: Would require public swimming pools, as defined, that are required to provide lifeguard services and that charge a direct fee to additionally provide an Automated External Defibrillator (AED) during pool operations, as specified. Because the failure to comply with these provisions would be a crime, the bill would create a state-mandated local program. The bill would also require the State Department of Education, in consultation with the State Department of Public Health, to issue best practices guidelines related to pool safety at K–12 schools, as specified.
- AB 2068 (Chu D) Electricity: rates: public schools.
Introduced: 2/7/2018
Status: 2/16/2018-Referred to Coms. on U. & E. and ED.
Location: 2/16/2018-A. U. & E.
Calendar: 4/4/2018 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 437 ASSEMBLY UTILITIES AND ENERGY, HOLDEN, Chair
Summary: Current law authorizes the Public Utilities Commission to fix the rates and charges for every public utility, and requires that those rates and charges be just and reasonable. This bill would require the commission to require electrical corporations to develop a rate for certain public schools that provides a 35% discount from the rate of a similarly situated class of ratepayers.
- AB 2168 (Thurmond D) Special education.
Introduced: 2/12/2018
Status: 2/13/2018-From printer. May be heard in committee March 15.
Location: 2/12/2018-A. PRINT
Summary: Current law requires that every individual with exceptional needs who is eligible to receive special education instruction and related services receive that instruction and those services at no cost to his or her parents or, as appropriate, to him or her. Current law requires that all identification, evaluation, and assessment procedures for individuals with exceptional needs who are younger than 3 years of age be provided pursuant to the California Early Intervention Services Act and other specified law. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to the latter provision.

- AB 2171 (Frazier D) Special education and related services: interagency agreements.
 Introduced: 2/12/2018
 Status: 3/1/2018-Referred to Coms. on ED. and HUM. S.
 Location: 3/1/2018-A. ED.
 Calendar: 4/11/2018 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY EDUCATION, O'DONNELL, Chair
 Summary: Would require the Superintendent, the Director of Developmental Services, and the Director of Rehabilitation to develop an interagency agreement that ensures the seamless and coordinated delivery of services and supports to an individual with exceptional needs who is eligible for special education services or who is eligible for services provided by the State Department of Education, the State Department of Developmental Services, or the Department of Rehabilitation for individuals with developmental disabilities. The bill would require the interagency agreement to include specified components and to be submitted to the Legislature on or before January 1, 2020.
- AB 2235 (Quirk-Silva D) County community schools: funding.
 Introduced: 2/13/2018
 Status: 3/1/2018-Referred to Com. on ED.
 Location: 3/1/2018-A. ED.
 Summary: Would require the school district of residence or the school district of attendance of a pupil enrolled in a county community school to pay to the county wherein the pupil is enrolled, for purposes of the county community school, the amount of the local control funding formula base grant and, if applicable, supplemental grant for each average daily attendance credited to the school district of residence or attendance for that pupil.
- AB 2401 (Flora R) Public contracts: skilled and trained workforce.
 Introduced: 2/14/2018
 Status: 2/15/2018-From printer. May be heard in committee March 17.
 Location: 2/14/2018-A. PRINT
 Summary: Current law authorizes a public entity to require a bidder, contractor, or other entity to use a skilled and trained workforce to complete a contract or project, and requires that the commitment to use a skilled and trained workforce be made in an enforceable agreement that meets specified requirements. Current law defines several terms for the purposes of those provisions. This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to those definitions.
- AB 2475 (Ting D) Green building standards.
 Introduced: 2/14/2018
 Status: 2/15/2018-From printer. May be heard in committee March 17.
 Location: 2/14/2018-A. PRINT
 Summary: Would state the intent of the Legislature to enact subsequent legislation relating to green building standards.
- AB 2572 (Calderon D) Pupil health: air quality.
 Introduced: 2/15/2018
 Status: 3/8/2018-Referred to Com. on ED.
 Location: 3/8/2018-A. ED.
 Summary: Current law requires the governing board of a school district to give diligent care to the health and physical development of pupils. This bill would require school districts to require pupils to remain indoors during school hours when the applicable air pollution control district or air quality management district has issued a public alert for an unhealthy or very unhealthy air quality day. By adding to the duties of school districts, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

- AB 2704 (O'Donnell D) Special education programs: Family Empowerment Centers on Disability.
 Introduced: 2/15/2018
 Status: 3/8/2018-Referred to Com. on ED.
 Location: 3/8/2018-A. ED.
 Calendar: 4/11/2018 1:30 p.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY EDUCATION, O'DONNELL, Chair
 Summary: Current law requires the State Department of Education to award grants for the establishment of Family Empowerment Centers on Disability in 32 regions in the state, as specified. Current law requires the department, once funding is secured, and annually until all centers are established, to submit a report to the appropriate policy committees of the Legislature documenting progress in establishing the centers. This bill would additionally require the department, once funding is secured, and annually until all centers are established, to submit that report to the appropriate fiscal committees of the Legislature.
- AB 3034 (Low D) Public contracts.
 Introduced: 2/16/2018
 Status: 2/17/2018-From printer. May be heard in committee March 19.
 Location: 2/16/2018-A. PRINT
 Summary: Current law requires specified records to be maintained with respect to public work and public purchases. Current law makes those provisions inapplicable to maintenance work, work occasioned by emergency, and work costing less than \$15,000. This bill would make a nonsubstantive change to this provision.
- AB 3058 (O'Donnell D) Charter schools: notification of each schoolsite location.
 Introduced: 2/16/2018
 Status: 3/15/2018-Referred to Com. on ED.
 Location: 3/15/2018-A. ED.
 Summary: Current law requires a charter school to notify the county superintendent of schools of the county in which it is located of the location of the charter school, including the location of each site, prior to commencing operations. This bill would instead require that notification to be made at least 60 calendar days before commencing operations.
- SB 833 (McGuire D) Emergency alerts: evacuation orders: operators.
 Introduced: 1/4/2018
 Status: 3/15/2018-Set for hearing April 10.
 Location: 1/16/2018-S. G.O.
 Calendar: 4/10/2018 9:30 a.m. - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203) SENATE GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION, DODD, Chair
 Summary: Would provide for a red alert system designed to issue and coordinate alerts following an evacuation order, as specified. The bill would require the red alert system to incorporate a variety of notification resources and developing technologies that may be tailored to the circumstances and geography of the underlying evacuation, as appropriate. The bill would require a local government agency or state agency that uses the federal Wireless Emergency Alert (WEA) system to alert a specified area of an evacuation order to use the term "red alert" in the alert and notify OES of the alert.
- SB 920 (Cannella R) Engineering, land surveying, and architecture: limited liability partnerships.
 Introduced: 1/23/2018
 Status: 2/1/2018-Referred to Coms. on B., P. & E.D. and JUD.
 Location: 2/1/2018-S. B., P. & E.D.
 Calendar: 4/9/2018 1 p.m. - Room 3191 SENATE BUSINESS, PROFESSIONS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, HILL, Chair
 Summary: Current law authorizes persons licensed to engage in the practice of engineering, land surveying, or architecture to form registered limited liability partnerships and foreign limited liability partnerships if specified conditions are met. Existing law requires those partnerships to provide security of no less than \$2,000,000 for claims arising out of the partnership's professional practice. Current law repeals these provisions on January 1, 2019. This bill would extend indefinitely the authorization for persons licensed to engage in the practice of engineering, land surveying, or architecture to form limited liability partnerships, as specified.

- SB 1077 (Wilk R) Construction contracts: wrap-up insurance and indemnification.
Introduced: 2/12/2018
Status: 2/22/2018-Referred to Com. on JUD.
Location: 2/22/2018-S. JUD.
Summary: Current law regulates the use of wrap-up insurance or other consolidated insurance programs in connection with specified construction projects. Current law distinguishes, in this regard, between residential construction projects, private residential works of improvement, as specified, and public works and other projects that are not residential, as specified. This bill would recast the wrap-up insurance or other consolidated insurance program requirements, as specified, into a single provision regulating all contracts for public and private works of improvement, entered into or amended on and after January 1, 2019, for which a wrap-up insurance policy or consolidated insurance program is applicable. The bill would provide that, notwithstanding any other law, any waiver of its provisions is contrary to public policy and void.
- SB 1100 (Portantino D) Publicly funded statewide educational organizations.
Introduced: 2/13/2018
Status: 3/8/2018-Referred to Com. on RLS.
Location: 2/13/2018-S. RLS.
Summary: Would define publicly funded statewide educational organizations as organizations the membership of which is composed of local educational agencies, as defined, that provide the funding for the organization through membership dues that are paid from public funds. The bill would express legislative findings and declarations relating to these organizations. This bill contains other related provisions.
- SB 1326 (Hueso D) Indemnity.
Introduced: 2/16/2018
Status: 3/1/2018-Referred to Com. on RLS.
Location: 2/16/2018-S. RLS.
Summary: Current law specifies that one who indemnifies another against an act to be done by the latter, is liable jointly with the person indemnified, and separately, to every person injured by the act. This bill would make a nonsubstantive change to that provision.
- SB 1334 (Wilk R) Joint powers agreements.
Introduced: 2/16/2018
Status: 3/1/2018-Referred to Com. on RLS.
Location: 2/16/2018-S. RLS.
Summary: Current law, the Joint Exercise of Powers Act, defines "public agency" for purposes of that act to include, among others, state and local agencies, the federal government, or any federal department or agency. This bill would make a nonsubstantive change to these provisions.

Total Measures: 30