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<b>Bill #: AB 554</b>	<b>Desalination: statewide goal.</b>			
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Cunningham</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> R	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> O <input type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 6/2/2017 Failed deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(8). Last location was APPROPRIATIONS on 5/26/2016. May be acted upon January 2018.			
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law, the Cobey-Porter Saline Water Conversion Law, states the policy of this state that desalination projects developed by or for public water entities be given the same opportunities for state assistance and funding as other water supply and reliability projects, and that desalination be consistent with all applicable environmental protection policies in the state. The law provides that it is the intention of the Legislature that the Department of Water Resources undertake to find economic and efficient methods of desalting saline water so that desalted water may be made available to help meet the growing water requirements of the state. This bill would establish a goal to desalinate 300,000 acre-feet of drinking water per year by the year 2025 and 500,000 acre-feet of drinking water per year by the year 2030.</p> <p>An act to add Section 12946.5 to the Water Code, relating to water resources.</p>			

<b>Bill #: AB 968</b>	<b>Urban water management planning.</b>			
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Rubio</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D	<input type="checkbox"/> R	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> O <input type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 5/26/2016 Failed deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(5). Last location was APPROPRIATIONS. Moved to suspense file on 5/10/2017. May be acted upon January 2018.			
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law requires the state to achieve a 20% reduction in urban per capita water use on or before December 31, 2020, and to make incremental progress toward that state target by reducing urban per capita water use by at least 10% on or before December 31, 2015. Existing law requires each urban retail water supplier to develop urban water use targets and an interim urban water use target, in accordance with specified requirements. The bill would require the department, in consultation with the board, to convene a commercial, industrial, and institutional water use efficiency task force by July 1, 2018, to recommend appropriate water efficiency measures for various segments of the commercial, industrial, and institutional water use sector and would require the task force, by December 31, 2019, in consultation with the department and the board, to submit a specified report to the Legislature. Existing law, the Urban Water Management Planning Act, requires every public and private urban water supplier that directly or indirectly provides water for municipal purposes to prepare and adopt an urban water management plan and to update its plan once every 5 years on or before December 31 in years ending in 5 and zero, except as specified. This bill would require each urban retail water supplier to develop a water efficiency target, as defined, for 2025 in its 2020 urban water management plan required to be submitted by July 1, 2021, and to achieve that target. The bill would authorize an urban retail water supplier to adjust and update the water efficiency target, as appropriate, when the supplier reports its compliance in achieving the water efficiency targets and its implementation of the identified performance measures in its 2025 urban water management plan required to be submitted by July 1, 2026. The bill would require each urban retail water supplier to meet its adjusted 2025 water efficiency target by December 31, 2025, unless the supplier makes a certain report to the department. The bill would require the department, by July 1, 2019, to provide to urban retail water suppliers in electronic form a database of validated aerial</p>			

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	<p>imagery and measured irrigable area, as specified, and to conduct a statistically valid review of the accuracy of the information in the database before providing the database to an urban retail water supplier. The bill would extend the deadline for an urban retail water supplier to submit its urban water management plan if the department does not release the database by July 1, 2019, as prescribed. This bill contains other existing laws.</p> <p>An act to amend Sections 10608, 10608.4, 10608.8, 10608.12, 10608.20, 10608.24 of, to add Sections 10608.25, 10608.46, and 10608.47 to, and to add and repeal Section 10608.45 of, the Water Code, relating to water.</p>
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<b>Bill #: AB 979</b>	<b>Local agency formation commissions: district representation</b>					
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Lackey</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> R	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S	<input type="checkbox"/> O	<input type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 6/1/2017 Referred to SENATE Committee on GOVERNMENT AND FINANCE.					
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law, the Cortese-Knox-Hertzberg Local Government Reorganization Act of 2000, provides for the selection of representatives of independent special districts on each local agency formation commission by an independent special district selection committee pursuant to a nomination and election process. Existing law requires the executive officer of the commission to call and hold a meeting of the special district selection committee upon, among other things, receipt of a written request by one or more members of the selection committee, as specified. This bill would additionally require the executive officer to call and hold a meeting of the special district selection committee upon receipt of a written request by one or more members of the selection committee notifying the executive officer of a pending vacancy for the member representing independent special districts on an oversight board. By increasing the duties of the executive officer, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p>An act to amend Sections 56332 and 56332.5 of the Government Code, relating to local government.</p>					

<b>Bill #: AB 1654</b>	<b>Water shortage: Urban Water Management Planning</b>					
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Rubio</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D	<input type="checkbox"/> R	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S	<input type="checkbox"/> O	<input type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 6/1/2017 In Senate. Read first time. To Committee on RULES for assignment.					
<b>Summary</b>	<p>(1) Existing law, the Urban Water Management Planning Act, requires every public and private urban water supplier that directly or indirectly provides water for municipal purposes to prepare and adopt an urban water management plan and to update its plan once every 5 years on or before December 31 in years ending in 5 and zero, except as specified. This bill would require the update of a plan on or before July 1, in years ending in one and 6. The bill would require each urban retail water supplier to report annually by June 15 to the Department of Water Resources the status of its water supplies for that year and whether the supplies will be adequate to meet projected customer demand, as prescribed. The bill would require the urban retail water supplier to implement the appropriate responses as described in its water shortage contingency analysis if the urban retail water supplier reports that all available water supplies for the applicable water year will not be adequate to meet projected customer demand. The bill would require the urban retail water supplier to continue to implement the mandatory demand reduction measures described in its water shortage contingency analysis until certain conditions have changed to the point that the urban retail water supplier finds</p>					

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	<p>that it is able to meet projected customer demand over the next 12 months without continued implementation of the measures. The bill would require an urban retail water supplier to file a certain report with the department by the 15th day of each month during a period that the urban retail water supplier is implementing mandatory demand reduction measures. The bill would require the department to establish an electronic portal through which an urban retail water supplier is required to provide these reports to the department and would require the department to provide the State Water Resources Control Board with access to the reports and data. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p>An act to amend Sections 10621, 10631, 10632, and 10635 of, to repeal Section 10631.7 of, to add Sections 10613.5 and 10658 to, and to add Part 2.56 (commencing with Section 10609) to Division 6 of, the Water Code, relating to water.</p>
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<b>Bill #: AB 732</b>	<b>Delta Levee Maintenance</b>		
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Frazier</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> O <input type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 6/1/2017 In Senate. Read first time. To Committee on RULES for assignment.		
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law establishes a delta levee maintenance program pursuant to which a local agency may request reimbursement for costs incurred in connection with the maintenance or improvement of project or non-project levees in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. Existing law declares legislative intent to reimburse eligible local agencies under this program, until July 1, 2018, in an amount not to exceed 75% of those costs that are incurred in excess of \$1,000 per mile of levee. Existing law, until July 1, 2018, authorizes the board to provide funds to an eligible local agency under this program in the form of an advance in an amount that does not exceed 75% of the estimated state share. This bill would extend until July 1, 2020, the operation of that declaration of legislative intent and the authorization to advance funds. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p>An act to amend Sections 12986 and 12987.5 of the Water Code, relating to water.</p>		

<b>Bill #: AB 791</b>	<b>Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: State Water Project and Federal Central Valley Project: New Conveyance Facility.</b>		
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Frazier</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> O <input type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 5/26/2017 Failed deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)95). Last location was APPROPRIATIONS. Moved to suspense file on 5/10/2017. May be acted upon January 2018.		
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law, the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Reform Act of 2009, prohibits construction of a new Delta conveyance facility from being initiated until the persons or entities that contract to receive water from the State Water Project and the federal Central Valley Project or a joint powers authority representing those entities have made arrangements or entered into contracts to pay for certain costs required for the construction, operation, and maintenance of the facility and full mitigation of property tax or assessments levied for land used in the construction, location, mitigation, or operation of the facility. This bill would require, before a water contractor enters into a contract to pay for these costs, that the lead agency provide the breakdown of costs for each water contractor entering into a contract and what benefits each contractor will receive based on the proportion it has financed of the proposed conveyance project.</p> <p>An act to amend Section 85089 of the Water Code, relating to the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.</p>		

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<b>Bill #: AB 792</b>	<b>Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Delta Plan: Certification of Consistency</b>		
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<b>Date</b>	Introduced: 2/15/2017; Amended: 2/21/2017, 2/28/2017, 3/27/2017, 3/28/2017		
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 4/28/2017 Failed deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(2). Last location was WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE on 3/20/2017. May be acted upon January 2018.		
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law, the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Reform Act of 2009, establishes the Delta Stewardship Council and requires the council to develop, adopt, and commence implementation of a comprehensive management plan for the Delta, known as the Delta Plan. The act requires a state or local public agency that proposes to undertake a covered action to prepare and submit to the council a written certification of consistency with the Delta Plan before undertaking that action. This bill would prohibit the council from granting a certification of consistency with the Delta Plan until the board has completed its update of a specified water quality control plan.</p> <p>An act to amend Section 85225 of the Water Code, relating to the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.</p>		

<b>Bill #: AB 793</b>	<b>Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta: Financing.</b>		
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Frazier</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> O <input type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 5/12/2017 Failed deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(3). Last location was WATER, PARKS AND WILDLIFE on 3/20/2017. May be acted upon January 2018.		
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law establishes various state water policies, including the policy that source watersheds are recognized and defined as integral components of California's water infrastructure. This bill would declare it to be state policy that the existing state of the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta is recognized and defined as an integral component of California's water infrastructure. The bill would state that the maintenance and repair of the Delta are eligible for the same forms of financing as other water collection and treatment infrastructure and would specify the maintenance and repair activities that are eligible are limited to certain cleanup and abatement-related restoration and conservation activities.</p> <p>An act to add Section 108.7 to the Water Code, relating to water.</p>		

<b>Bill #: AB 975</b>	<b>Natural resources: wild and scenic rivers.</b>		
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Friedman</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> O <input type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 6/5/2017 Ordered to inactive file as the request of Assembly Member Friedman.		

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<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law establishes that it is the policy of the state that certain rivers that possess extraordinary scenic, recreational, fishery, or wildlife values shall be preserved in their free-flowing state, together with their immediate environments, for the benefit and enjoyment of the people of the state. This bill would revise that policy to specify that certain rivers that possess scenic, recreational, fishery, wildlife, historical, cultural, geological, ecological, hydrological, botanical, or other similar values shall be preserved in their free-flowing state, together with their immediate environments, for the benefit and enjoyment of the people of the state, and would revise the definition of "immediate environments," and define the term "extraordinary value" for purposes of that policy.</p> <p>An act to amend Sections 5093.50 and 5093.52 of the Public Resources Code, relating to wild and scenic rivers.</p>
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<b>Bill #: AB 1427</b>	<b>Water: underground storage</b>		
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Eggman</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> O <input type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 5/26/2017 Failed deadline pursuant to Rule 6a(a)(5). Last location was APPROPRIATIONS. Moved to suspense file on 5/3/2017. May be acted upon January 2018.		
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Under existing law, the right to water or to the use of water is limited to that amount of water that may be reasonably required for the beneficial use to be served. Existing law provides for the reversion of water rights to which a person is entitled when the person fails to beneficially use the water for a period of 5 years. Existing law declares that the storing of water underground, and related diversions for that purpose, constitute a beneficial use of water if the stored water is thereafter applied to the beneficial purposes for which the appropriation for storage was made. This bill would revise the above declaration to additionally provide that certain uses of stored water while underground constitute beneficial use. The bill would provide that the forfeiture periods of a water right do not apply to water being beneficially used, as provided, or being held in storage for later beneficial use.</p> <p>An act to amend Section 1242 of the Water Code, relating to water.</p>		

<b>Bill #: AB 1667</b>	<b>Agricultural water management planning.</b>		
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Friedman</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> O <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 6/1/2017 In Senate. Read first time. To Committee on RULES for assignment.		
<b>Summary</b>	<p>(1) Existing law requires an agricultural water supplier to prepare and adopt an agricultural water management plan with specified components on or before December 31, 2012, and to update that plan on December 31, 2015, and on or before December 31 every 5 years thereafter. Existing law requires the agricultural water supplier to submit copies of the plan to the Department of Water Resources and other specified entities, and requires the department to prepare and submit to the Legislature, on or before December 31 in years ending in 6 and years ending in one, a report summarizing the status of the plans. This bill would revise the components of the plan and additionally require the agricultural water management plan to quantify the efficiency of agricultural water use, include an annual water budget, describe the agricultural water supplier's water management strategy with specified elements, and include a drought plan describing the actions of the agricultural water supplier for drought preparedness and management of water supplies and</p>		

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	<p>allocations during drought conditions. The bill would require the department to provide tools and resources to assist an agricultural water supplier in developing and quantifying components necessary to develop a water budget. The bill would require the 2020 plan to be updated on or before April 1, 2021, and after that date, would require an agricultural water supplier to update its agricultural water management plan on or before April 1 in years ending in 6 and in years ending in one. The bill would require the department to submit its report to the Legislature on or before April 30 in years ending in 7 and in years ending in 2. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p> <p>An act to amend Sections 531.10, 10608.48, 10814, 10820, 10826, 10843, and 10845 of, and to add Section 10826.2 to, the Water Code, relating to water.</p>
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<b>Bill #: AB 1668</b>	<b>Water management planning.</b>					
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Friedman</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D	<input type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S	<input type="checkbox"/> O	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 6/1/2017 In Senate. Read first time. To Committee on RULES for assignment.					
<b>Summary</b>	<p>(1) Existing law, the Urban Water Management Planning Act, requires every public and private urban water supplier that directly or indirectly provides water for municipal purposes to prepare and adopt an urban water management plan and to update its plan once every 5 years on or before December 31 in years ending in 5 and zero, except as specified. This bill would require an urban water management plan to be updated on or before July 1, in years ending in 6 and one, incorporating updated and new information from the 5 years preceding the plan update. (2) Existing law requires an urban water management plan, among other things, to describe the reliability of the water supply and vulnerability to seasonal or climatic shortage, to the extent practicable, and provide data for an average, single-dry, and multiple-dry water years. This bill would require an urban water management plan to contain a drought risk assessment that examines water shortage risks for a drought lasting the next 5 or more consecutive years. (3) Existing law requires that an urban water management plan provide an urban water shortage contingency analysis, that includes, among other things, an estimate of the minimum water supply available during each of the following 3 water years based on the driest 3-year historic sequence for the agency's water supply. This bill would require an urban water supplier to prepare, adopt, and periodically review a water shortage contingency plan, as prescribed, and as part of its urban water management plan. The bill would require a water shortage contingency plan to consist of certain elements that are within the authority of the urban water supplier, including, among other things, annual water budget forecast procedures, standard water shortage levels, shortage response actions, and communication protocols and procedures. The bill would require an urban water supplier to make the water shortage contingency plan available to its customers and any city or county within which it provides water supplies no later than 30 days after adoption. The bill would require an urban water supplier to conduct an annual water budget forecast and submit an annual water shortage assessment report to the department with information for anticipated shortage, triggered shortage response actions, compliance and enforcement actions, and communication actions consistent with the supplier's water shortage contingency plan by the 10th day of May of each year. The bill would require an urban water supplier to adhere to the procedures and implement determined shortage response actions in its water shortage contingency plan in drought and water shortage conditions. The bill would authorize the department to update a certain guidebook, as specified. The bill would also require an urban water management plan and water shortage contingency plan submitted to the department on or after January 1, 2020, to be reviewed by the department for completeness, internal consistency, and conformity to specified requirements. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p>					

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	An act to amend Sections 350, 10610.2, 10610.4, 10620, 10621, 10630, 10631, 10631.2, 10635, 10640, 10641, 10642, 10644, 10645, 10650, 10651, 10653, 10654, 10656, and 10814 of, to amend and renumber Sections 10612 and 10617 of, to repeal Section 10631.7 of, to repeal and add Section 10632 of, and to add Sections 10612, 10617, 10617.5, 10632.1, 10632.2, 10632.3, and 10643.5 to, the Water Code, relating to water.
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<b>Bill #: AB 1669</b>	<b>Urban water conservation standards and use reporting.</b>					
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Friedman</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D	<input type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S	<input type="checkbox"/> O	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> W
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 5/26/2017 Failed deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(5). Last location was APPROPRIATIONS. Moved to suspense file on 5/10/2017. May be acted upon January 2018.					
<b>Summary</b>	<p>(1) Existing law requires the state to achieve a 20% reduction in urban per capita water use in California by December 31, 2020. Existing law requires each urban retail water supplier to develop urban water use targets and an interim urban water use target, as specified. This bill would require the State Water Resources Control Board, in consultation with the Department of Water Resources, to adopt long-term standards for urban water conservation and water use by May 20, 2021. The bill would authorize the board, in consultation with the department, to adopt interim standards for urban water conservation and water use by emergency regulation. The bill would require the board, before adopting an emergency regulation, to provide at least 60 days for the public to review and comment on the proposed regulation and would require the board to hold a public hearing. The bill would authorize a court or public entity to hold a person civilly liable in an amount not to exceed \$10,000 for a violation of a regulation adopted under these provisions, unless the regulation provides otherwise. The bill would also authorize the board to issue a regulation or informational order requiring a distributor of a public water supply to submit information relating to water production, water use, or water conservation. (2) Existing law establishes procedures for reconsideration and amendment of specified decisions and orders of the board. Existing law authorizes any party aggrieved by a specified decision or order of the board to file, not later than 30 days from the date of final board action, a petition for writ of mandate for judicial review of the decision or order. This bill would apply these procedures to decisions and orders of the board issued pursuant to the provisions described in paragraph (1), including existing provisions and those added by this bill. (3) Existing law authorizes the board to issue a cease and desist order in response to a violation or threatened violation of certain requirements, including specified emergency regulations adopted by the board. Under existing law, a person who violates a cease and desist order of the board may be liable for each day in which the violation occurs, as specified. Revenue generated from these penalties is deposited in the Water Rights Fund. The moneys in the Water Rights Fund are available, upon appropriation by the Legislature, for, among other things, the administration of the board's water rights program. This bill would authorize the board to issue a cease and desist order in response to a violation or threatened violation of any regulation adopted by the board.</p> <p>An act to amend Sections 377, 1058.5, 1120, 1831, and 10608.20 of, and to add Chapter 9 (commencing with Section 10609) to Part 2.55 of Division 6 of, the Water Code, relating to water.</p>					

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<b>Bill #: SB 496</b>	<b>Indemnity: design professionals</b>		
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Cannella</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> D <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> O <input type="checkbox"/> W
<b>Date</b>	Introduced: 2/16/2017; Amended: 4/5/2017; Enrollment: 4/24/2017; CHAPTERED: 4/30/2017		
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 4/28/2017 Approved by the Governor. Chaptered by Secretary of State, Chapter 8 Statutes of 2017.		
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law provides, for all contracts, and amendments to contracts, entered into on or after January 1, 2007, with a public agency, as defined, for design professional services, all provisions, clauses, covenants, and agreements contained in, collateral to, or affecting these contracts, that purport to indemnify, including the cost to defend, the public agency by a design professional against liability for claims against the public agency, are unenforceable, except for claims that arise out of, pertain to, or relate to the negligence, recklessness, or willful misconduct of the design professional. Existing law provides, with respect to contracts and amendments to contracts entered into on or after January 1, 2011, with a public agency, as defined, for design professional services, that all provisions, clauses, covenants, and agreements contained in, collateral to, or affecting these contracts or amendments to contracts that purport to require the design professional to defend the public agency under an indemnity agreement, including the duty and the cost to defend, are unenforceable, except for claims that arise out of, pertain to, or relate to the negligence, recklessness, or willful misconduct of the design professional. Existing law provides that all contracts and all solicitation documents between a public agency and a design professional are deemed to incorporate these provisions by reference. This bill would instead make these provisions applicable to all contracts for design professional services entered into on or after January 1, 2018. The bill would prohibit the cost to defend charged to the design professional from exceeding the design professional's proportionate percentage of fault, except that in the event that one or more defendants is unable to pay its share of defense costs due to bankruptcy or dissolution of the business, the bill would require the design professional to meet and confer with other parties regarding unpaid defense costs. The bill would also provide for certain exemptions to these provisions.</p> <p>An act to amend Section 2782.8 of the Civil Code, relating to indemnity.</p>		

<b>Bill #: SB 623</b>	<b>Safe and Affordable Drinking Water Fund.</b>		
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Monning</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> O <input type="checkbox"/> W
<b>Date</b>	Introduced: 2/17/2017; Amended 3/30/2017, 4/26/2017		
<b>Status</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amended <input type="checkbox"/> Failed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> From Printer <input type="checkbox"/> To Printer <input type="checkbox"/> Referred to <input type="checkbox"/> From Committee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> In Committee <input type="checkbox"/> Signed <input type="checkbox"/> Veto		
<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 5/31/2017 In Assembly. Read first time. Held at desk.		
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law, the California Safe Drinking Water Act, requires the State Water Resources Control Board to administer provisions relating to the regulation of drinking water to protect public health. Existing law establishes the Office of Sustainable Water Solutions within the State Water Resources Control Board with the purpose of promoting permanent and sustainable drinking water and wastewater treatment solutions to ensure the effective and efficient provision of safe, clean, affordable, and reliable drinking water and wastewater treatment services. This bill would establish the Safe and Affordable Drinking Water Fund in the State Treasury and would provide that moneys in the fund are available, upon appropriation, to the board. The bill would require the board to administer the fund and authorize the board to provide for the deposit of federal contributions and voluntary contributions, gifts, grants, or bequests. The bill would require the board to expend moneys in the fund for grants, loans, contracts, or services to assist those without access to safe and affordable drinking water consistent with a fund implementation plan adopted annually by the board,</p>		



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	<p>as prescribed. The bill would require the board annually to prepare and make available a report of expenditures of the fund and to adopt annually, after a public hearing, an assessment of funding needed to ensure all Californians have access to safe drinking water.</p> <p>An act to add Chapter 4.6 (commencing with Section 116765) to Part 12 of Division 104 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to drinking water.</p>
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<b>Bill #: TB 810</b>	<b>Local alternative transportation improvement program: Feather River crossing.</b>					
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	<b>Gallagher</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> O	<input type="checkbox"/> W
<b>Date</b>	Introduced: 2/15/2017					
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 4/26/2017 In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to suspense file.					
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Existing law provides that the Department of Transportation has full possession and control of the state highway system and associated property. Existing law generally requires proceeds from the sale of excess state highway property to be made available for other highway purposes. Existing law generally provides for the California Transportation Commission to program available funding for transportation capital projects, other than state highway rehabilitation projects, through the State Transportation Improvement Program process, with available funds subject to various fair share distribution formulas. Existing law, in certain cases, requires the commission to instead reallocate funds from canceled state highway projects to a local alternative transportation improvement program within the same county and exempts those funds from the fair share distribution formulas that would otherwise be applicable.</p> <p>This bill, with respect to planned state transportation facilities over the Feather River in the City of Yuba City and the Counties of Sutter and Yuba, which facilities are no longer planned to be constructed, would authorize the affected local agencies, acting jointly with the transportation planning agency having jurisdiction, to develop and file with the California Transportation Commission a local alternative transportation improvement program that addresses transportation problems and opportunities in the area that was to be served by the canceled state facilities. The bill would provide that the commission has the final authority regarding the content and approval of the local alternative, and would further provide that no approval may be given by the commission after July 1, 2020. The bill would require all proceeds from the sale of excess properties acquired by the department for the canceled state facilities, less any reimbursements due to the federal government and costs incurred in the sale of those excess properties, to be allocated by the commission to the approved local alternative and would exempt those funds from the fair share distribution formulas that would otherwise be applicable to state transportation funds.</p>					

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<b>Bill #:</b> <u>SB 231</u>	<b>Local government: fees and charges.</b>					
<b>Legislator/Party</b>	Hertzberg	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D	<input type="checkbox"/> R	<input type="checkbox"/> S	<input type="checkbox"/> O	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> W
<b>Date</b>	Introduced: 2/2/2017; Amended 4/19/2017					
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<b>Action Taken</b>	<b>STATUS:</b> 5/22/2017 Referred to Committee on LOCAL GOVERNMENT <b>CALENDAR:</b> 6/24/2017, 1:30 P.M. – State Capitol, Room 447 ASSEMBLY LOCAL GOVERNMENT, AGUIAR-CURRYM Chair					
<b>Summary</b>	<p>Articles XIII C and XIII D of the California Constitution generally require that assessments, fees, and charges be submitted to property owners for approval or rejection after the provision of written notice and the holding of a public hearing. Existing law, the Proposition 218 Omnibus Implementation Act, prescribes specific procedures and parameters for local jurisdictions to comply with Articles XIII C and XIII D of the California Constitution and defines terms for these purposes. This bill would define the term “sewer” for these purposes. The bill would also make findings and declarations relating to the definition of the term “sewer” for these purposes.</p> <p>An act to amend Section 53750 of, and to add Section 53751 to, the Government Code, relating to local government finance.</p>					