



ISSUE MEMORANDUM

DATE	December 23, 2015
TO	Policy and Advocacy Committee Members
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SUBJECT	Agenda Item #5 a) 1 – 13 Legislation Update and Review

Agenda item materials include the 2016 Tentative Legislative Calendar; the Legislature is scheduled to reconvene January 4, 2016.

Also included is an updated matrix reflecting the status of those bills considered by the Board that were not vetoed or chaptered.

2016 TENTATIVE LEGISLATIVE CALENDAR

COMPILED BY THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
10/7/2015

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DEADLINES

- Jan. 1 Statutes take effect (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c)).
- Jan. 4 Legislature reconvenes (J.R. 51(a)(4)).**
- Jan. 10 Budget must be submitted by Governor (Art. IV, Sec. 12 (a)).
- Jan. 15 Last day for **policy committees** to hear and report to Fiscal Committees fiscal bills introduced in their house in the odd-numbered year. (J.R. 61(b)(1)).
- Jan. 18 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day observed.
- Jan. 22 Last day for any committee to hear and report to the **Floor bills** introduced in their house in 2015 (J.R. 61(b)(2)). Last day to submit **bill requests** to the Office of Legislative Counsel.
- Jan. 31 Last day for each house to **pass bills introduced in that house in the** odd-numbered year (J.R. 61(b)(3)), (Art. IV, Sec. 10(c)).

Feb. 15 Presidents' day observed.

Feb. 19 Last day for bills to be introduced (J.R. 61(b)(4), (J.R. 54(a)).

Mar. 17 **Spring Recess** begins upon adjournment (J.R. 51(b)(1)).

Mar. 28 Legislature reconvenes from **Spring Recess** (J.R. 51(b)(1)).

Apr. 1 Cesar Chavez Day Observed.

Apr. 22 Last day for **policy committees** to hear and report to Fiscal Committees **fiscal bills** introduced in their house (J.R. 61(b)(5)).

May 6 Last day for **policy committees** to hear and report to the Floor **nonfiscal** bills introduced in their house (J.R. 61(b)(6)).

May 13 Last day for **policy committees** to meet prior to June 6 (J.R. 61(b)(7)).

May 27 Last day for **fiscal committees** to hear and report to the Floor bills introduced in their house (J.R. 61 (b)(8)). Last day for **fiscal committees** to meet prior to June 6 (J.R. 61 (b)(9)).

May 30 Memorial Day observed.

May 31 - **June 3 Floor Session only.** No committee may meet for any purpose (J.R. 61(b)(10)).

*Holiday schedule subject to Senate Rules committee approval

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June 3 Last day for each house to pass bills introduced in that house (J.R. 61(b)(11)).

June 6 Committee meetings may resume (J.R. 61(b)(12)).

June 15 Budget Bill must be passed by **midnight** (Art. IV, Sec. 12(e)(3)).

June 30 Last day for a legislative measure to qualify for the Nov. 8 General election ballot (Elections Code Sec. 9040).

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July 1 Last day for **policy committees** to meet and report bills (J.R. 61(b)(13)). **Summer Recess** begins upon adjournment provided the Budget Bill has been passed (J.R. 51(b)(2)).

July 4 Independence Day observed.

AUGUST						
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Aug. 1 Legislature reconvenes from **Summer Recess** (J.R. 51(b)(2)).

Aug. 12 Last day for **fiscal committees** to meet and report bills (J.R. 61(b)(14)).

Aug. 15 - 31 Floor Session only. No committees may meet for any purpose (J.R. 61(b)(15)).

Aug. 19 Last day to **amend** on the Floor (J.R. 61(b)(16)).

Aug. 31 Last day for **each house to pass bills**, except bills that take effect immediately or bills in Extraordinary Session (Art. IV, Sec. 10(e)), (J.R. 61(b)(17)). **Final Recess** begins upon adjournment (J.R. 51(b)(3)).

IMPORTANT DATES OCCURRING DURING FINAL RECESS

2016

Sept. 30 Last day for Governor to sign or veto bills passed by the Legislature before Sept. 1 and in the Governor's possession on or after Sept. 1 (Art. IV, Sec.10(b)(2)).

Nov. 8 General Election.

Nov. 30 Adjournment *Sine Die* at midnight (Art. IV, Sec. 3(a)).

Dec. 5 12 Noon convening of the 2017-18 Regular Session (Art. IV, Sec. 3(a)).

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Jan. 1 Statutes take effect (Art. IV, Sec. 8(c)).

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Item	Bill #	Author	Title	Summary	Status & Location as of 12/22/2015	Board Position
1	AB 12	Cooley (D)	State Government: Administrative Regulations: Review	Requires agencies to identify duplicative, overlapping, inconsistent, or out of date regulations, revise those regulations, and report to the Legislature and Governor.	08/27/2015 - In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held under submission.	Watch
2	AB 19	Chang (R)	Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development: Small Business: Regulations	Requires the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development to establish a process for the ongoing review of existing regulations affecting small businesses to determine whether the regulations could be less administratively burdensome or costly to affected sectors.	05/28/2015 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held under submission.	Watch
3	AB 259	Dababneh (D)	Personal Information Privacy	Requires agencies responsible for the breach of a person's social security number, driver's license number, or California identification card number, to offer to provide the person with identity theft prevention and mitigation services at no cost for not less than 12 months.	08/27/2015 - In SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held under submission.	Watch
4	AB 507	Olsen (R)	Department of Consumer Affairs: BreEZe System: annual report	Requires the Department of Consumer Affairs to submit an annual report to the Legislature and Department of Finance that includes plans for implementing BreEZe in the 3rd phase of the implementation project, including a timeline for implementation.	08/17/2015 - SENATE Committee on BUSINESS, PROFESSIONS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. 1st hearing canceled at request of author.	Watch
5	AB 611	Dahle (R)	Controlled Substances: Prescriptions: Reporting	Authorizes an individual designated to investigate a licensee to apply to the Department of Justice to obtain approval to access information contained in the Controlled Substance Utilization Review and Evaluation System Prescription Drug Monitoring Program.	04/21/2015 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS: Hearing canceled at request of author.	Watch
6	AB 618	Maienschein (R)	Parole: Primary Mental Health Clinicians	Requires specified independent professionals, at the request of a prisoner, to consult with a prisoner's primary mental health clinician before making a recommendation concerning that prisoner to the Board of Parole Hearings.	05/28/2015 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held under submission.	Watch

7	AB 750	Low (D)	Business and Professions: Retired Category: Licenses	Authorizes any of the boards, bureaus, commissions, or programs within the Department of Consumer Affairs to establish by regulation a system for a retired category of license for persons who are not actively engaged in practice. Prohibits the holder of a retired license from engaging in any activity for which a license is required, unless regulation specifies the criteria for a retired licensee to practice. Requires and authorizes investigations of retired or inactive licensees.	05/28/2015 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Held under submission.	Support
8	AB 796	Nazarian (D)	Health Care Coverage: Autism and Pervasive Disorders	Expands eligibility to be a qualified autism service professional to include those who possess a bachelor of arts or science degree, a registered psychological assistant, a registered psychologist, or an associate clinical social worker. Expands eligibility to qualify as autism service paraprofessional to include person with high school diploma or equivalent and related work experience.	05/07/2015 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS: Reconsideration granted.;05/07/2015 - In ASSEMBLY. Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.	Oppose
9	SB 52	Walters (R)	Regulatory Boards: Healing Arts	Makes technical changes to existing law that authorizes health-related boards to adopt regulations requiring a licensee to display his or her license or registration in the locality in which he or she is treating patients and to make specified disclosures to patients.	01/15/2015 - To SENATE Committee on RULES.	Watch
10	SB 128	Wolk (D)	End of Life	Enact the End of Life Option Act. Authorizes a terminally ill adult to request a drug for purposes of ending his or her life.	7/7/2015 - Assembly Health Committee. Hearing canceled at request of author.	Watch
11	SB 130	Roth (D)	Veterans: Mental Health	Requires the State Housing Finance Agency, Department of Housing and Community Development, and Department of Veterans Affairs to establish a grant process that provides support services, including mental health services, as part of housing programs.	04/29/2015 - In SENATE Committee on VETERANS AFFAIRS: Heard, remains in Committee. Further hearing to be set.	Watch
12	SB 468	Hill (D)	Bureau of Security and Investigative Services:Licensees	Requires specified applicants and licensees/registrants/certificate holders of the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services to complete a psychological assessment.	09/04/2015 - In ASSEMBLY. Ordered to inactive file.	Neutral
13	SB 479	Bates (R)	Healing Arts: behavior analysis: licensing	Revises the membership of the Board of Psychology. Establishes the Behavior Analyst Act. Requires a person to apply for and obtain a license prior to engaging in the practice of behavior analysis, establishes educational, training and application requirements. Requires proof of supervision. Provides Board enforcement authority. Creates an advisory committee. Provides a civil and criminal penalty for noncompliance and violations.	08/27/2015 - In ASSEMBLY Committee on APPROPRIATIONS: Hearing postponed by committee.	Oppose unless amended