

Bill	Author	Bullet Point Summary	Status	Chamber Action	Position
<b>EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT</b>					
<b>AB 1306</b>	Muratsuchi	Allows a County Office of Education or school district to offer a California Teacher of English Learners program in the same manner as a College or University-based program to expand access to the teacher workforce serving English Learners.	In committee: Referred to suspense file.		Monitor
<b>SB 275</b>	Smallwood-Cuevas	Amends eligible workforce training provider list update procedure.	Coauthors revised. From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. With recommendation: To consent calendar. Re-referred to Com. on APPR.		Monitor
<b>SB 48</b>	Gonzalez		July 15 set for first hearing canceled at the request of author.		Monitor
<b>SB 84</b>	Niello	Grants small businesses the ability to fix disparity and increase access for people with disabilities while reducing lawsuit abuse that harms businesses.	Re-referred to Assembly Com. on JUD.	Chamber wrote letter in support of bill	Support
<b>AB 1221</b>	BRYAN	Mandates that employers provide written notice to workers at least 30 days before implementing any new surveillance tool, detailing the data to be collected, its purpose, and necessity.	Failed Deadline	Chamber joined CalChamber Coalition letter	Oppose

<b>AB 1331</b>	ELHAWARY	Prohibit an employer from monitoring or surveilling workers in off-duty areas, and subject employer to civil penalty of \$500 per employee for each violation and require authorize an employee and a public prosecutor to bring specified enforcement actions.	From committee: Amend, and do pass as amended and re-refer to Com. on APPR.	Chamber joined CalChamber Coalition letter	Oppose
<b>SB 343</b>	Grayson	Sets up waiver for CTE credential	Failed Deadline	Letter of Support Submitted	Support
<b>AB 338</b>	Solache	Sets up \$50M fund for workforce development to address wildfire recovery	Referred to Senate APPR. suspense file.	Letter of Support Submitted	Support
<b>AB 1121</b>	Rubio	Centralize evidence-based early literacy resources and require early literacy professional development	Failed Deadline	Letter of Support Submitted	Support
<b>AB 361</b>	Schultz	Create permanent authorization for best value procurement contracting method	Read second time. Ordered to third reading.	Letter of Support Submitted	Support
<b>AB 323</b>	Fong	Requires Community College students, employers, or both with paid work-based opportunities	Referred to Senate APPR. suspense file.	Chamber submitted letter of support to Senate Education Committee	Support
<b>SB 238</b>	Smallwood -Cuevas	This bill would require an employer to annually provide a notice to the Department of Industrial Relations in the Labor and Workforce Development Agency of all the	Joint Rule 62(a) suspended.	Chamber joined CalChamber	Oppose

		workplace surveillance tools the employer is using in the workplace.		Coalition letter	
<b>SB 845</b>	Perez	The bill would update the curriculum standards for career technical education (CTE) for students in grades 7 to 12. This involves the Superintendent of Public Instruction consulting with industry experts and career technical educators.	July 2 set for first hearing canceled at the request of author. Bill turned into 2-year bill, author working on language changes.	EWD Council voted to support bill. NextGen sent Coalition Letter, but extended to 2 year bill	Support
<b>Energy, Water, and Environmental Sustainability</b>					
<b>AB 34</b>	Patterson	Prohibits State Air Resources Board from adopting any standard, regulation, or rule until Legislative Analyst has analyzed the cost to the consumer.	Failed Deadline	Monitor	Monitor
<b>SB 2</b>	Jones	Repeals recent updates by CARB to the Low Carbon Fuel Standard (LCFS) regulations.	Failed Passage in Committee - Reconsideration Granted	Monitor	Monitor
<b>AB 580</b>	Wallis	Extends the sunset to allow the Metropolitan to continue to operate under a single Master Reclamation Plan for Surface Mining and Reclamation Act (SMARA) compliance.	From committee: Amend and do pass as amended and re-refer to Com. on APPR. with recommendation: To Consent Calendar	Chamber joined MWD coalition letter	Support
<b>AB 942</b>	Calderon	This bill outlines regulations related to energy metering and tariffs for electrical utilities in California.	Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on APPR.)	Chamber joined fix the Cost Shift" coalition	Support
<b>AB 941</b>	Zbur	Requires the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to expedite the environmental review process for an electrical infrastructure project designated as a "priority project."	Failed Deadline	Letter of Support; ASAC Meetings	Support

<b>SB 473</b>	Padilla	This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to ensure errors in estimates of demand elasticity or sales do not result in material overcollections or undercollections of water corporations.	From committee: Do pass and refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 15. Noes 0.) (July 16). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.)	Provided logo for coalition letter	Support
<b>AB 839</b>	Rubio	Provides for expedited California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) review for up to three sustainable aviation fuel (SAF) facilities that don't use fossil fuels or increase air pollution – providing for expedited (270 days, if feasible) judicial review for projects certified by the governor, approved by the lead agency on or before January 1, 2033, and meeting specified environmental and labor requirements.	In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.	Sent letter of support	Support
<b>General - Insurance</b>					
<b>AB 226</b>	Calderon; Alvarez	Authorizes the FAIR Plan to request the California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank to issue bonds if the FAIR Plan faces liquidity challenges in the event of a major catastrophe such as a wildfire.	In committee: Hearing postponed by committee.	Monitor	Monitor
<b>General Business</b>					
<b>AB 1232</b>	Avila Farias	This bill would include, among the Administrative Procedure Act, requirements for assessing the potential for adverse economic impact the consideration of the proposal's cost of living impacts on residents of the state.	Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(5).		
<b>AB 1371</b>	Sharp-Collins	Would allow an employee to refuse to perform a task if it violates prescribed safety standards.	Failed Deadline	Chamber joined CalChamber Coalition letter	Oppose

<b>SB 310</b>	Wiener	Creates a private right of action to seek penalties and authorizes penalties of \$100 or \$200 per violation of multiple Labor Code provisions.	Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(8)	Chamber joined CalTax Coalition letter	Oppose
<b>AB 592</b>	Gabriel	Continue existing regulatory relief to support neighborhood restaurants in expanded, outdoor dining spaces.	Do pass as amended, but first amend, and re-refer to the Committee on Appropriations - PASSED	Chamber Joined California Restaurant Association Coalition Letter	Support
<b>GOVERNMENT &amp; FISCAL AFFAIRS</b>					
<b>AB 522</b>	DeMaio	Placeholder bill	Failed Deadline	Monitor	Monitor
<b>SB 21</b>	Durazo	Requires striking workers to be eligible for unemployment insurance	From committee: Do pass. Ordered to consent calendar.		Oppose
<b>HEALTH CARE</b>					
<b>SB 351</b>	Cabaldon	Prohibits private equity groups involving themselves in medical decisions	From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on JUD. (Ayes 16. Noes 0.) (June 24). Re-referred to Com. on JUD.	Monitor	Monitor
<b>AB 1415</b>	Bonta	Broadens definitions for Health Care Quality and Affordability Act	Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on APPR.	Monitor	Monitor
<b>AB 298</b>	Bonta	Prohibit health care service plan or disability insurance from price sharing covered individuals under age 21	Failed Deadline	Monitor	Monitor
<b>AB 37</b>	Elhawary	Commissions a study to expand mental health service provider workforce to serve homeless persons.	Failed Deadline	Monitor	Monitor
<b>SB 41</b>	Wiener	Costly requirements for pharmacy benefit managers	Re-referred to Com on Appr		Oppose
<b>AB 1429</b>	Bains	The law requires health care service plans to cover medically necessary treatments for mental	Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(5)	Chamber wrote letter in opposition	Oppose

		health and substance use disorders for any costs incurred after May 1, 2022.			
<b>SB 747</b>	Wiener	This bill would require an employer covered by the Department of Industrial Relations to report to the department the compensation it provides to behavioral health employees and to medical-surgical employees.	Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(8)	Chamber wrote letter in opposition	Oppose
<b>AB 489</b>	Bonta	Creates enforcement capacity for prohibiting AI giving medical advice that pretends to be from a medical provider	Re-referred to Com on Appr	Chamber wrote support letter	Support
<b>INNOVATION &amp; TECHNOLOGY</b>					
<b>AB 1018</b>	Bauer-Kahan	This bill creates a comprehensive regime designed to ensure human oversight over automated decision systems (ADS) that are used in "consequential decisions" – those that materially impact an individual's rights, opportunities, or access to critical resources or services – in order to mitigate bias and unreliability in these systems.	Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on APPR.)	Logo for coalition letter	Oppose
<b>AB 911</b>	Carillo	Exempts emergency telecommunications vehicles that emergency telecommunications service providers own or operate from California Air Resources Board (CARB) requirements that these fleets transition to zero-emission vehicles.	In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.)		Support
<b>SB 53</b>	Weiner	Promotes responsible AI development by establishing a consortium to develop "CalCompute," a public cloud computing platform, and provides whistleblower protection to employees and contractors of AI developers who disclose "critical risks" posed by the development or deployment of an AI foundational model.	Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on APPR.)	Monitor	Monitor

<b>AB 412</b>	Bauer-Kahan	This bill establishes a transparency framework to allow copyright owners to determine whether their registered works were used to train a generative artificial intelligence (GenAI) model.	In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author.)	Chamber joined coalition Letter with Google	Oppose
<b>AB 470</b>	McKinnor	This bill establishes a process that requires the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to allow a telephone corporation to relinquish its status as a “carrier of last resort” (COLR). This bill also establishes certain requirements for a COLR seeking to relinquish its obligation to provide telephone service and requires the CPUC to cease imposing certain rate and regulatory requirements on a telephone corporation that relinquishes its COLR designation.	Amend, and re-refer to committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Com. on JUD. Withdrawn from committee. Re-referred to Com. on APPR.	Letter	Support
<b>LAND USE, CONSTRUCTION, HOUSING</b>					
<b>SB 789</b>	Menjivar	Imposes a \$5-per-squarefoot annual tax on vacant commercial property.	May 23 hearing: Held in committee and under submission.	Chamber joined CalTax Coalition letter	Oppose
<b>AB 610</b>	Alvarez	Improves transparency and accountability in housing element law by ensuring local governments accurately disclose and mitigate regulatory constraints on housing development.	Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on APPR	Chamber joined CBPA Coalition letter	Support
<b>SB 587</b>	Grayson	This bill (effective from January 1, 2026, to January 1, 2031) aims to provide an income or corporate tax credit equivalent to the sales or use tax paid on property that qualifies for exemption but remains taxable at the local level or due to specific state-mandated rates.	Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR	Chamber joined Coalition Letter with CMTA	Support

<b>AB 609</b>	Wicks	This bill would exempt qualifying housing projects from some CEQA requirements but mandates an environmental assessment for hazardous substances.	Signed into law as budget trailer bill AB 130.	Letter of Support; ASAC Meetings	Support
<b>SB 607</b>	Wiener	Exempts certain housing rezoning projects from CEQA and improves current CEQA exemptions to make them easier to use for housing projects.	Signed into law as budget trailer bill SB 131.	Letter of Support; ASAC Meetings	Support
<b>AB 1308</b>	Hoover	This bill would require a county's or city's building department to prepare a residential building permit fee schedule and post the schedule on the county's or city's internet website, if the county or city prescribes residential building permit fees.	Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. with recommendation: To Consent Calendar.	Letter of Support; ASAC Meetings	Support
<b>AB 417</b>	Carrillo	Makes numerous changes to Enhanced Infrastructure Financing District (EIFD) law and Community Revitalization and Investment Authority (CRIA) law.	Read second time. Ordered to third reading.	Letter of Support; ASAC Meetings	Support
<b>AB 1206</b>	Harabedian	Streamlines the approval process for single-family and multifamily housing by requiring local agencies to establish pre-approved housing plan programs.	Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on APPR.	Letter of Support	Support
<b>Small Business</b>					
<b>AB 780</b>	Castillo	Protects small business owners with time to cure	Failed Deadline	Letter of Support Submitted	Support
<b>AB 685</b>	Solache	Sets up \$50M small business wildfire recovery fund	Referred to Com on E.D.,G,. &HI	Letter of Support Submitted	Support
<b>AB 265</b>	Caloza	Establish the Small Business Recovery Fund Act and would appropriate (\$100,000,000) from the General Fund to the Small Business Recovery Fund	From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Com. on B. P. & E.D.	Letter of Support Submitted ; Joined	Support

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<b>SB 70</b>	Seyarto	Increase project cost size for small business procurement preference	In Assembly. Referred to Com. on E.D., G., & H.I.	Letter of Support Submitted	Support
<b>SB 688</b>	Niello	Establishes regulatory counsel in the Governor's office.	Failed Deadline in Suspense	Joined coalition letter	Support
<b>Tourism, Entertainment, and Sports</b>					
<b>AB 342</b>	Haney	Creates Hospitality Zones in which local governments designates extended closing times until 4 a.m. on Fridays, Saturdays, and on state holidays.	In committee: Set, first hearing. Hearing canceled at the request of author. Turning to 2-year bill.	CEO spoke at bill press conference; Letter of Support; Chamber sent to GO Assembly Committee	Support
<b>TRANSPORTATION &amp; GOODS MOVEMENT</b>					
<b>SB 71</b>	Wiener	Exempts active transportation and public transportation infrastructure projects from CEQA; makes SB 288 (passed in 2020) permanent.	Do pass as amended and be re-referred to the Committee on	Letter of Support	Support
<b>SB 34</b>	Richardson	Requires the state board to establish intermodal goods movement stakeholders group consisting of a member from each specified port district.	Referred to Coms. on NAT. RES. and TRANS.		Monitor
<b>AB 1023</b>	Gipson	This bill would require a coastal development permit associated with the Zero Emissions Port Electrification and Operations project to be considered within the boundaries of the Los Angeles Harbor District, and would provide the Los Angeles Harbor Department the sole authority rule on the permit.	Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(2)	Chamber Sent Letter in Support	Support

<b>AB 390</b>	Wilson	Requires drivers to approach all highway maintenance and stranded stationary vehicles to move into an adjacent lane or, if unsafe or impracticable, slow to a reasonable and prudent speed.	Enrolled and presented to the Governor	Letter of Support; ASAC Meetings	Support
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