



Senate and Assembly Appropriations Committee Actions May 27, 2016

Assessment and Accountability

AB 1935 - Kim (R): Local Control and Accountability Plans: Languages

This bill requires LCAPs to be posted on school district and county office of education websites in languages other than English, if the primary language other than English is spoken by at least 15% of the pupils enrolled in a school of the district or COE school.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2443 - Baker (R): Local Control and Accountability Plans: School Climate

This bill adds student access to school psychologists or counselors to the indicators used to assess school climate for the purposes the LCAP. Specifically, this bill requires LEAs to assess student access to counselors that can address issues such as mental health concerns, conflict resolution and bullying.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2548 - Weber (D): School Accountability System

This bill requires the State Board of Education (SBE) to adopt a statewide accountability system aligned to California's local framework and that satisfies the federal accountability system requirements of the Every Student Succeeds Act. Among other things, the SBE would be required to use data from key indicators (addressed in the bill).

Action: Passed with amendments to limit the bill's scope (striking Section 2 through 5)

AB 2698 - Weber (D): School Climate: Assessments

Requires low-achieving schools to conduct a school climate assessment. Requires the results to be posted on the schools' Internet Web site and other notifications, and prohibits personal identifications. Requires the establishment of specific professional development activities in low-performing schools to provide a more competent and knowledgeable environment within such schools. Requires the Department of Education to post such assessments on its Internet Web site. Requires an advisory committee.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2785 - O'Donnell (D): Special Education: English Learners: Manual

Requires the State Board of Education to develop a manual providing guidance to local educational agencies on identifying, assessing, and supporting English learners who may qualify for special education services with a goal of providing guidance, for voluntary use, and support of English learners who may have disabilities, and to promote a collaborative approach among teachers, school administrators, other personnel, and parents in determining academic placements and services for these pupils.

Action: Passed

SB 871 - Liu (D): California Collaborative for Educational Excellence: Professional Development Training: Pilot Program

Requires the California Collaborative for Educational Excellence (CCEE) to establish a statewide infrastructure to provide professional development training to local educational agencies (LEAs) to successfully implement forthcoming evaluation rubrics to be adopted by the State Board of Education (SBE). Also requires the CCEE to implement a pilot program that will inform its long-term efforts to advise and assist LEAs in achieving the goals set forth in their

local control and accountability plans (LCAP). Contingent upon funding provided in the budget or another enacted statute.

Action: Passed with amendments to encourage inclusion of stakeholders and make clarifying changes

SB 946 - Leyva (D): Pupil Attendance: Service on Precinct Board

Allows a school district, under certain conditions, to deem a student participating in independent study if the student serves as a member of a precinct board for an election. Also allows a school district to include these absences in the computation of average daily attendance (ADA) for which it generates state apportionment funds.

Action: Held in Committee

SB 1145 - Hueso (D): Language Arts: Reading: Diagnostic Tools and Plans

Requires public schools with less than 50 percent of 4th grade students demonstrating proficiency on English language arts standards to ensure that each student's reading proficiency is measured throughout the school year using a formative reading diagnostic tool. Also requires a reading plan, as specified, to be created for a student in grades 1-3 who is not at the appropriate developmental reading level for his or her grade.

Action: Held in Committee

SB 1156 - Huff (R): Open Enrollment Act: Low-Achieving Schools

Amends the Open Enrollment Act by replacing the Academic Performance Index with new eligibility criteria for identifying low-achieving schools. Specifically, the bill provides that a low-achieving school is either a school that is identified by the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) or the SBE for comprehensive support and improvement, as specified, or a school that is receiving mandatory assistance by the CCEE.

Action: Passed with amendments to delay the reporting requirement and make clarifying changes

SB 1309 - Leyva (D): Pupil Discipline: Expulsion Hearings: County Schools

Establishes a new process for county offices of education to consider the expulsion of a student who attends a school operated by a county office of education.

Action: Passed

SB 1432 - Huff (R): Pupil Transfer Options: School Districts of Choice

Extends the sunset of the "school district of choice" program to July 1, 2022. Allows a 10 percent cap on the total number of students enrolled in a district of choice at a point in time. Requires the Legislative Analyst's office (LAO) to submit an evolution of the program to the Legislature and the Governor. Reassigns certain reporting requirements to the SPI. Expands various oversight responsibilities to county superintendents.

Action: Passed with amendments to remove mandated costs and make clarifying changes

Athletics

AB 2182 - Mullin (D): School Athletics: Neurocognitive Testing

This bill establishes a Neurocognitive Testing Pilot Grant Program, starting in the 2017-18 school year, for school districts to conduct testing of students in grades 9-12 that participate in interscholastic sports. Separate from the pilot program, this bill also requires a school district, charter school, or private school that elects to offer an interscholastic athletic program, to collect and maintain data on traumatic brain injuries and concussions sustained during activity.

Action: Passed with amendments to limit the pilot program to only three Title I schools

Child Nutrition/Food Safety

[AB 1770 - Alejo \(D\): Food Assistance Program: Eligibility](#)

This bill extends eligibility for nutrition assistance under the California Food Assistance Program to all noncitizens who are lawfully present in the United States, provided they meet all other eligibility requirements.

Action: Passed with amendments to add a co-author

[AB 2054 - Thurmond \(D\): Nutrition Assistance: Electronic Benefits Transfer](#)

This bill directs the California Health and Human Services Agency to design and implement the Summer Electronic Benefits Transfer for Children (SEBTC). The SEBTC would be a program, pilot, or demonstration project to provide nutrition assistance when school is out of session via electronic benefits transfer (EBT) to households with children eligible for free and reduced price meals.

Action: Passed with amendments

[AB 2099 - Stone \(D\): Safe Drinking Water Benefit](#)

This bill requires the Department of Social Services (DSS), on or before February 1, 2017, to convene a workgroup to develop recommendations for delivering a water benefit to supplement the purchase of drinking water for low-income households with inadequate access to safe drinking water.

Action: Passed with amendments

[AB 2579 - Low \(D\): Food Service Packaging: Producer Responsibility: Study](#)

This bill requires CalRecycle to establish baseline data relating to food service packaging after completing a study. The purpose is to capture the magnitude of food service packaging waste, and provide baseline data to better create the infrastructure for proper end-of-use waste management.

Action: Passed

[SB 1169 - McGuire \(D\): Pupil Nutrition: Competitive Food Service](#)

Establishes the Healthy Food, Healthy Student Act, which makes numerous changes to school nutrition standards for competitive food and beverages to better align to the federal Smart Snacks in Schools regulations.

Action: Passed with amendment to remove the mandate

Credentialing

[AB 1756 - Bonilla \(D\): Teacher Credentialing: Professional Preparation](#)

This bill establishes a grant program at the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CCTC) to assist postsecondary institutions with implementation or transition to an integrated program of professional preparation. These programs allow a student to earn a bachelor's degree and a multiple or single subject teaching credential, including student teaching requirements, concurrently within a four or five year period.

Action: Passed

[AB 2122 - McCarty \(D\): Classified School Employee Teacher Credential Program](#)

This bill re-establishes the Paraprofessional Teacher Training Program ("PTTP") as the "California Classified School Employee Teacher Credentialing Program." The purpose of the original PTTP (established in 1990) was to create local career ladders that enable school paraprofessionals (teacher assistants, library, media aides, and instructional assistants) to become certificated classroom teachers in K-12 public schools. This bill differs from the original PTTP in two ways. First, it increases the grant amount for participants from \$3,500 to \$4,000.

Second, all classified employees, not just paraprofessionals, are eligible to participate in the program.

Action: Passed with technical amendments

[AB 2412 - Chang \(R\): Community Colleges: Grants: Credentials](#)

Establishes an incentive grant program for the completion of industry-recognized credential in specified occupational areas by students enrolled at participating campuses of the California Community Colleges. Requires a campus that receive such grant to use the funds to improve its workforce development and career technical education programs. Lists the criteria to be prioritized in the selection of industry-recognized credentials that would be eligible for program funding.

Action: Held in Committee

[AB 2642 - Garcia E \(D\): Removing Barriers to Employment Act: Initiative](#)

This bill creates the Breaking Barriers to Employment Initiative, administered by the Secretary of Labor and Workforce Development, to provide two year grants to “community based organizations,” to assist individuals with barriers to employment, including providing access to remedial education and work readiness skills necessary to transition to career pathways.

Action: Held in Committee

[AB 2681 - O'Donnell \(D\): Public Education: College Promise Grant Program](#)

Establishes the College Promise Grant Program to provide planning grants to eligible school districts and community college districts to establish Career Access Pathways partnerships. Authorizes the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the Chancellor of California Community Colleges to establish the grant application process and criteria for determining the amount of each grant.

Action: Held in Committee

[SB 915 - Liu \(D\): Teacher Recruitment: Center on Teaching Careers](#)

Reestablishes the California Center on Teaching Careers (CCTC) to recruit individuals into the teaching profession. Specifically, bill requires the SPI, subject to an appropriation, to contract with an LEA to administer the program, with the concurrence of various institutions of higher education.

Action: Passed with amendments to change the administering entity and make clarifying changes

[SB 916 - Allen \(D\): Teacher Credentialing](#)

Requires the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) to issue two new single subject teaching credentials: one in dance and one in theater.

Action: Passed

[SB 933 - Allen \(D\): Teachers: Teacher Corps Act of 2016: Teacher Residency](#)

Establishes the California Teacher Act of 2016, a grant program to assist LEAs in establishing and maintaining teacher residency programs. Contingent upon funding provided in the budget or another enacted statute.

Action: Passed with amendments to allocate funding for the grant program and make clarifying changes

Curriculum and Instruction

[AB 1689 - Low \(D\): School Curriculum: Coursework for High School](#)

Requires, for each high school class graduating in each subsequent school year, at least one of the courses completed by a pupil to satisfy the graduation requirements referenced in existing

law to have a “service learning” component. Requires the development of curriculum standards that incorporate a service learning component. Requires, if such standards are adopted, that school districts implement them as a component of courses to meet graduation requirements.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 1719 - Rodriguez (D): Pupil Instruction: Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation

This bill requires, starting with the 2018-19 school year, school districts and charter schools to provide instruction in compression-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) as part of an existing course of study for grades 9-12. Encourages entities to provide to pupils general information on the use and importance of an automated external defibrillator. Provides that specified entities responsible for such course shall not be liable for such instruction.

Action: Passed

AB 1846 - Lopez (D): Adult Education Block Grant Program

This bill appropriates \$250 million every fiscal year to the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges (CCC) and the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) to support the Adult Education Block Grant Program—thus increasing total annual funding for the program to \$750 million.

Action: Passed with amendments to delete the appropriation and change the reporting requirement

AB 2016 - Alejo (D): Pupil Instruction: Ethnic Studies

Requires the Instruction Quality Commission to develop, and for the State Board of Education to adopt, a model curriculum in ethnic students. Requires each school district and charter school that maintains any of grades 9 to 12, inclusive, that does not otherwise offer a standards-based ethnic studies curriculum to offer a course of study in ethnic studies on the model curriculum.

Action: Passed with amendments to remove any mandates

AB 2237 - Olsen (R): Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math Academies

This bill establishes Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Partnership Academies for the purpose of providing grants to school districts to establish up to 100 academies in STEM occupations.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2290 - Santiago (D): Pupil Instruction: World Languages: Content Standards

Authorizes the Superintendent of Public Instruction to recommend revisions to the World Language Content Standards for State public schools, to the State Board of Education. Requires the Board to adopt, reject, or modify the recommendations. Requires the Board to explain the reasons for modifying the standards. Requires the holding of public meetings for related input. Requires these modifications be incorporated into the the curriculum framework and the evaluation criteria for world language materials.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 2322 - Chu (D): Vehicles: Instruction Permits: Decals

This bill requires the DMV to provide the recipient of a driver’s instruction permit with a removable and transferrable decal that reads “student driver,” and authorizes the permit holder to display the decal on the side or rear window of the vehicle when driving.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 2329 - Bonilla (D): Computer Science Strategic Implementation Plan

This bill requires the CDE to establish a computer science strategic implementation advisory board on or before July 1, 2017 to develop recommendations for a computer science strategic implementation plan, among other requirements.

Action: Passed with amendments to narrow the bill’s scope

AB 2350 - O'Donnell (D): English Learners

This bill prohibits English learners (ELs) in middle and high school from being prevented from enrolling in core curriculum courses and courses required for graduation, requires that courses designed for long term English learners (LTELs) be offered for graduation credit, and requires the California Department of Education (CDE) to create a video-based professional development series on integrated and designated English Language Development.

Action: Passed with amendments to align the bill with the proposed 2016–17 Budget Act

AB 2862 - O'Donnell (D): Visual and Performing Arts: Revision of Content

Authorizes the Superintendent of Public Instruction to recommend revisions to the visual and performing arts content standards to the State Board of Education. Requires the Board to adopt, reject, or modify the recommendations, and to explain to the Governor and Legislature the reasons for modifying the recommendations of experts in such arts for purposes of assisting the Superintendent in developing the recommendations.

Action: Passed with amendments

SB 1435 - Jackson (D): School Curriculum: Health Framework: Relationships

Requires that when the health curriculum framework is next revised after January 1, 2017, the Instructional Quality Commission include comprehensive information for kindergarten and grades one through eight on the development of healthy relationships.

Action: Passed

Educational Technology

AB 2595 - Linder (R): State Cybersecurity Integration Center

Establishes the State Cybersecurity Integration Center to develop cybersecurity strategy for the State. Authorizes federal homeland security grant funding. Requires prioritization of such grant funding for prevention measures. Specifies the authority of the Director of Emergency Services to administer the grant program to respond to statewide emergencies requiring immediate attention.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2720 - Chau (D): State Government: Office of Information Security

Authorizes the establishment of a Cybersecurity Vulnerability Reporting Reward Program for the purpose of soliciting eligible individuals to identify and report previously unknown vulnerabilities in state computer networks and making a monetary award for an eligible report.

Action: Passed

AB 2828 - Chau (D): Personal Information: Privacy: Breach

This bill expands data breach notification law, which currently requires consumer notice for compromised unencrypted personal information, to include encrypted information if the encryption keys have also been compromised.

Action: Passed with amendments

SB 1137 - Hertzberg (D): Computer Crimes: Ransomware

Provides that a person who knowingly introduces “ransomware,” as defined, into any computer, computer system, or computer network is guilty of a felony, punishable by imprisonment in a county jail, or state prison under specified circumstances, for two, three, or four years, and a fine not exceeding \$10,000.

Action: Passed

SB 1444 - Hertzberg (D): State Government: Computerized Personal Information

Requires state agencies that own or license computerized data that includes personal information to prepare a security plan that meets certain minimum requirements and details the agency's strategy to respond to a security breach, as specified.

Action: Passed

Employee Evaluation, Training, and Retention

AB 2353 - McCarty (D): Teacher Professional Development

This bill requires the CDE to identify professional development programs in culturally responsive instruction. The bill also authorizes LEAs to include this professional development as a local measure of school climate under LCFF. Additionally, this bill authorizes LEAs to use \$490 million provided in the 2015-16 Budget Act to provide cultural responsive professional development.

Action: Passed

AB 2401 - O'Donnell (D): Beginning Teacher Support and Assessment System

Makes an appropriation of an unspecified amount from the General Fund to the Superintendent of Public Instruction and Commission on Teacher Credentialing for the 2016-17 fiscal year to fund the Beginning Teacher Support and Assessment System. Requires the allocation made to a school district or consortium of school districts for each beginning teacher participating in a local teacher induction program to be adjusted each fiscal year by a specified inflation factor.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2706 - Wilk (R): Teachers: Digital Resources Training Pilot Program

This bill appropriates \$2 million GF to the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) to provide funding to local education agencies (LEAs) to implement a pilot program to train K-12 teachers to more effectively use technology and digital, as specified, and to prepare students for college and career objectives.

Action: Held in Committee

Energy & Utilities

AB 1550 - Gomez (D): Greenhouse Gases: Investment Plan: Communities

This bill requires 25% of the AB 32 cap-and-trade revenues to be spent on projects located within and benefiting disadvantaged communities. This bill requires an additional unspecified percentage of cap-and-trade revenues to be spent on projects that benefit low-income households.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 1697 - Bonilla (D): Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology

This bill expands the criteria for selecting projects funded by the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program to prioritize the ability of the project to provide career pathways and promote the employment of trained workers in the clean vehicle technology and renewable fuels industries.

Action: Passed

AB 1710 - Calderon I (D): Vehicular Air Pollution: Low Emission Vehicles

This bill requires the Air Resources Board to establish a comprehensive incentive program for the purchase of zero-emission vehicles or near zero-emission vehicles, and provides specified sales tax and personal income tax exemptions for the purchase of such vehicles.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 1815 - Alejo (D): Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006

This bill requires the AB 32 investment plan to allocate technical assistance funds to the California Environmental Protection Agency to assist disadvantaged and low-income communities in developing project funding proposals.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2120 - Weber (D): Public Utilities Commission: Proceedings

Authorizes "intervenor compensation" for participation in the Public Utilities Commission proceedings for a county office of education, or a consortium of public school district or agencies participating or intervening on behalf of local K-12 educational agencies in such proceeding relating to gas or electricity rates. Requires that a representative of a consortium not have any direct financial interest in the proceeding resolution for specified time periods prior to and following any resolution.

Action: Passed

AB 2271 - Quirk (D): Electricity: Research Programs: Peer Review

Requires the public utilities commission to establish an independent peer review of certain research programs proposed by an electrical corporation. Requires the independent peer review of a proposed research program to be conducted upon the commission's receipt of the proposed program. Requires the commission to make available to the public on its Internet Web site the results of the review upon approval of the program. Relates to enhanced seismic studies and surveys of a certain nuclear power plant.

Action: Passed

AB 2292 - Gordon (D): Global Warming Solutions Act: Disadvantaged Communities

Requires the State Environmental Protection Agency to update the State Communities Environmental Health Screening Tool that identifies disadvantaged communities regarding the monitoring and regulation of sources of emissions of greenhouse gases, when it comes to investment opportunities in the multiyear investment plan for moneys in the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2293 - Garcia (D): Green Business and Green Assistance Program

Establishes the Green Assistance Program to assist small businesses and small nonprofit organizations in applying for moneys for program using moneys from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund, and the Green Business Program to provide support and assistance to green business certification programs that certify specified companies that voluntarily adopt specified environmentally preferable business practices. Appropriates an unspecified amount annually from the Fund to each program.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2323 - Ridley-Thomas S (D): Electricity: Rates: Low-Carbon Fuel Production

This bill requires electrical corporations that offer time-of-use rates, critical peak pricing, real-time pricing, or peak time rebates for charging electric vehicles to offer similar rates to low-carbon transportation fuel production facilities and fueling stations.

Additionally, this bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission (PUC) to consult with the Air Resources Board (ARB) and the California Energy Commission (CEC) to establish accountability measures for facilities that elect to use the rates provided by the bill.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2339 - Irwin (D): Net Energy Metering

This bill provides a method of calculating aggregated peak demand for publicly owned electric utilities (POUs), irrigation districts, and electrical cooperatives with more than 25,000 accounts

to be used to meet the requirement to offer net energy metering (NEM) to their customers. This bill exempts those utilities that have adopted a successor to NEM prior to January 1, 2016.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2343 - Garcia (D): Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund: Study

This bill requires the Department of Finance to include additional information relating to the economic impacts of Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund expenditures in its annual report to committees of the Legislature.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2408 - Eggman (D): Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund

This bill directs allocations from AB 32 cap-and-trade revenues (Greenhouse Gas Reduction Funds) to maximize the delivery of integrated projects for households in low-income and disadvantaged communities.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2454 - Williams (D): Energy: Procurement Plans

This bill modifies the procurement requirements an electrical corporations regulated by the California Public Utilities Commission (PUC) must propose and the PUC must approve. Specifically, the bill: (1) Requires electrical corporations to consider the findings in the Demand Response Potential Study, ordered by the PUC, when determining the availability of cost-effective, reliable, and feasible demand response resources; (2) Requires the electrical corporation to meet any identified resource need through available renewable energy, energy storage, energy efficiency, and demand reductions that are cost effective, reliable, and feasible. (3) Requires the PUC to report to the Legislature on outcomes.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 2460 - Irwin (D): Solar Thermal Systems

This bill revises the Solar Heating Program, under the Solar Water Heating and Efficiency Act of 2007, to promote the installation of solar thermal systems throughout the State, set the funding cap for the program, and the reserve at a specified percentage of the total program budget for the installation of such systems in low-income residential housing or in building in disadvantaged communities. Requires each public gas utility to adopt, implement, and finance a system incentive program.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 2585 - Williams (D): Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006: Biomethane

Requires the State Air Resources Board to review any regulation adopted as part of a market-based compliance mechanism to consider the intended purpose and consistency of requirements aimed to prevent resources shuffling among all fuels subject to the regulation.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2653 - Garcia E (D): Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund: Report

This bill requires each state agency that receives AB 32 cap-and-trade revenues to include the following additional elements in their existing report to the California Environmental Protection Agency.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 2699 - Gonzalez (D): Contractors State License Board: Solar Energy Companies

This bill strengthens protections and disclosures for consumers with respect to purchase and installation of solar panels. Specifically, the Contractor's State Licensing Board must develop a disclosure form related to solar panel purchase, the Board must require a contractor to maintain a blanket performance and payment bond for the purpose of solar energy systems installation,

and contractors installing a solar energy system to be subject to disclosures in existing law related to down payments.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2722 - Burke (D): Transformative Climate Communities Program

Creates the Transformative Climate Communities Program. Provide funds from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund would be available to administer the program. Requires the Strategic Growth Council to award competitive grants to specified eligible entities for for the development and implementation of transformative climate community plans, and projects that implement plans, contribute to the reduction of emissions of greenhouse gases and demonstrate potential environmental benefits in disadvantaged communities.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 2773 - Quirk (D): Biomethane

Amends existing law that requires the Public Utilities Commission to adopt standards to ensure the protection of human health and pipeline and pipeline facility integrity and safety by establishing a biomethane minimum heating value which is a measure of the energy content, a biomethane siloxane trigger level, which gives rise to a monitoring requirement, and a biomethane siloxane lower action level, which is used in screening gas supplies. Requires modification of the value of those levels.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2861 - Ting (D): Distribution Grid Dispute Resolution Process

Authorizes the Public Utilities Commission to establish an expedited distribution grid interconnection dispute resolution process, with the goal of resolving disputes over interconnection applications within the jurisdiction of the Commission in no more than a specified number of days from the time the dispute is formally brought to Commission.

Action: Passed

AB 2868 - Gatto (D): Energy Storage

Requires the Public Utilities Commission to direct electrical corporations to file applications for programs and investments to accelerate widespread deployment of distributed energy storage systems. Requires the Commission first approve programs and investments that provide distributed energy storage systems to industrial, commercial, and low-income customers. Authorizes the Commission to approve programs and investments for residential customers who enroll in time-variant pricing.

Action: Passed

ACA 11 - Gatto (D): Public Utilities Commission

Authorizes the Legislature to reallocate or reassign all or a portion of the functions of the Public Utilities Commission to other state agencies, departments, boards, or other entities, consistent with specified purposes. Directs the Legislature to adopt appropriate structures to provide greater accountability for the public utilities of the state and provide the necessary guidance to the commission to focus its regulatory efforts on safety, reliability, and rate-setting.

Action: Passed with amendments

SB 968 - Monning (D): Diablo Canyon Units 1 and 2 Powerplant

Requires the Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) to submit to the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) an assessment of the adverse and beneficial impacts that would result from closure of the Diablo Canyon Power Plant (Diablo Canyon).

Action: Passed with amendments to make clarifying changes

SB 1207 - Hueso (D): Energy: Conservation: Financial Assistance

Extends the sunset on the Energy Conservation Assistance Account (ECAA) program from January 1, 2018 to January 1, 2028. The ECAA makes low-interest loans to cover up to 100 percent of a project with a maximum repayment of 15 years.

Action: Passed

SB 1250 - McGuire (D): Telecommunication: Major Rural Outages: Notification

Requires specified telecommunication services providers to notify the California Office of Emergency Services (OES) of a major rural outage, as defined, and requires the CPUC in consultation with OES to establish the requirements.

Action: Passed

Facilities

AB 1783 - Dodd (D): School Facilities: Nonstructural Earthquake Hazards

Requires each school district, county office of education, and charter school located in a specified area, to develop a plan for the inspection of the contents in each of its school buildings for purposes to assess whether the contents comply with specified guidelines, to identify school building contents with certain guidelines, and develop corrective actions to bring noncompliant contents into compliance. Requires a checklist of compliant and noncompliant contents be reported to the governing board.

Action: Passed with amendments to find that certain existing plans satisfy the bill's requirements

AB 2124 - Garcia E (D): Grant Program for School Drinking Water

Appropriates ten million dollars (\$10,000,000) from the General Fund to the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) for allocation to local educational agencies as grants to improve access to, and the quality of, drinking water at public elementary and secondary schools.

Action: Passed with amendment to add a coauthor

AB 2441 - Thurmond (D): Housing: Workforce Housing Pilot Program

Creates the Workforce Housing Pilot Program. Provides for grant funding to eligible cities and counties located in high-cost counties for the predevelopment costs, acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of rental housing projects or units within rental housing projects that serve, and for providing downpayment assistance to, persons and families of low or moderate income. Requires matching funds for all grant, unless local entities are suffering a hardship. Requires a report on the program.

Action: Passed

AB 2525 - Holden (D): Water Efficient Landscaping

Requires the Department of Water Resources to create the State Water Efficient Landscaping Program for the purpose of encouraging local agencies and water purveyors to use economic incentives that promote the efficient use of water, promote the benefits of consistent landscape ordinances, and support and enhance water inefficient grass replacement. Creates the Water Efficiency Landscaping Fund.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2800 - Quirk (D): Climate Change: Infrastructure Planning

Requires State agencies to take into account the expected impacts of climate change when planning, designing, building, and investing in State infrastructure. Requires the establishment of a Climate-Safe Infrastructure Working Group for the purpose of examining how to integrate

scientific data concerning projected climate change impacts into State infrastructure engineering.

Action: Passed

[SB 1170 - Wieckowski \(D\): Public Contracts: Water Pollution Prevention Plans](#)

Prohibits a public agency from requiring a contractor on a design-bid-build project to develop a stormwater pollution prevention plan (SWPPP), or to assume responsibility for completeness and accuracy of a SWPPP.

Action: Passed with amendments to exempt state agencies

[SB 1398 - Leyva \(D\): Public Water Systems: Lead Pipes](#)

Requires public water systems, by July 1, 2018, to compile an inventory of lead pipes in use and, after completing the inventory to provide a timeline for replacement of lead pipes in the system to the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB). Also requires SWRCB to establish best practices to ensure that chemicals introduced into public water systems do not create corrosion or contamination within the system.

Action: Passed with amendments to delete best practices requirement

[SB 1406 - Mendoza \(D\): Construction Related Accessibility: Public Entity](#)

Requires an attorney who sends a demand letter or serves a complaint alleging a construction-related accessibility violation against specified school entities to send a copy of the complaint and notification of the results of the claim to the California Commission on Disability Access, as specified.

Action: Passed

Governance/Operations

[AB 1661 - McCarty \(D\): Local Government: Sexual Harassment Training](#)

This bill requires local agency officials to receive sexual harassment training and education if the local agency provides any type of compensation, salary, or stipend to a local agency official.

Action: Passed

[AB 2318 - Low \(D\): Fair Political Practices Commission: Public Resources](#)

Shifts jurisdiction over enforcement of specified state laws—that restrict nonprofit organizations from using certain resources for campaign purposes and that require specified nonprofit organizations to disclose the sources of funds used for campaign activity—from the Board of Equalization (BOE) to the Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC).

Action: Passed

[AB 2523 - Mullin \(D\): Local Elective Offices: Contribution Limitations](#)

This bill establishes a campaign contribution limit for local offices at the same level as for Senate and Assembly candidates, unless a local jurisdiction adopts its own limits.

Action: Passed with amendments

[AB 2536 - Chau \(D\): Pupil Discipline and Instruction: Sexting](#)

This bill adds "the act of sexting" to the definition of bullying via an electronic act and requires instruction on sexual health to include information on sexting.

Action: Passed with amendments to change language in the bill from "sexting" to "act of sexual bullying", remove the mandate, and require CDE to post information on "sexting" on its internet website

AB 2680 - Bonilla (D): Parent, Guardian, Pupil, and Family Engagement Support

This bill requires local education agencies (LEAs) to develop and implement a strategic plan to address parent engagement, subject to one-time funding being provided in the budget act.

Action: Held in Committee

SB 1063 - Hall (D): Conditions of Employment: Wage Differential: Race

Amends the Equal Pay Act to prohibit employers from paying employees a wage rate less than that paid to employees of a difference race or ethnicity for substantially similar work.

Action: Passed

SB 1225 - Mendoza (D): Teachers: Teacher Bill of Rights Act

Requires the principal of each school to post a “teacher bill of rights” notice that describes certain teacher rights and protections, as specified, in a common area of the school’s administrative offices and in each classroom.

Action: Passed with amendments to reduce posting requirement

Homeless/Foster Youth

AB 1567 - Campos (D): After School Programs: Enrollment: Fees: Meals

This bill provides homeless students and students who are in foster care priority for enrolling in before and after school programs and prohibits a program that charges family fees from charging a fee to a family of a homeless or foster care student.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 1699 - Kim (R): Homeless Youth Emergency Service Projects

This bill expands homeless youth emergency service projects to additional counties and requires these projects to provide transitional living services.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 1838 - Ting (D): Foster Care: Infant Supplement

Increases the infant supplement paid for the care and supervision of the children of foster youth, provides for receipt of the infant supplement for the six months preceding birth, and directs the Department of Social Services (DSS) to adopt regulations establishing new infant supplement rates for specified placements.

Action: Passed with amendments to add a co-author

AB 1879 - McCarty (D): Foster Youth: Permanency

This bill requires that child-centered specialized permanency services be provided to specified foster youth in order to facilitate the placement of these youth with permanent families.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 1984 - Linder (R): Foster Youth: Enrichment Activities

Creates, until January 1, 2022, the California Foster Youth Enrichment Grant Program to provide grants to foster youth to participate in activities that enhance their skills, abilities, self-esteem, or overall well-being.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 1997 - Stone (D): Foster Care

This bill adopts clarifying and technical changes to further the implementation of Continuum of Care Reform (CCR) in the state’s foster care system.

Action: Passed with amendments that are technical and clarifying

AB 2256 - Maienschein (R): Homelessness: Report

Requires a homeless service provider to submit an annual report to the California Health and Human Services Agency (CHHSA) containing specified data regarding persons experiencing homelessness.

Action: Passed

AB 2285 - McCarty (D): State Employment: Former Foster Youth

This bill establishes the Emancipated Foster Youth Program (Program) as a pilot program to provide state employment training opportunities for qualified foster youth and former foster youth.

Action: Passed with amendments to establish a pilot program at the Sacramento County Office of Education

AB 2656 - O'Donnell (D): Diploma Alternatives: Fee Waiver: Foster Youth

Prohibits the California Department of Education (CDE) from charging foster youth a fee to take the California High School Proficiency Exam (CHSPE) and prohibits any contractor or testing center from charging foster youth a fee to take any high school equivalency test (also known as the GED). This is consistent with the policy under existing law for homeless youth.

Action: Passed with amendments

SB 942 - Liu (D): Dependency Proceedings: Relative Caregivers

Establishes additional procedures for the temporary placement of a child with a relative. Specifically, bill requires a social worker to conduct an assessment and background check of up to two relatives, as specified, and provide results or status to the court within seven days; authorizes a child or parent/guardian to request a hearing on the recommendations, and requires the court to hold a hearing within 10 court days after such a request; requires a county to complete the assessment process, including any exemptions and waivers, within 30 calendar days, and would authorize the court to conduct hearings to determine why the assessment has not been completed and/or if the county has abused its discretion; requires a county to assist, to the extent possible, a person to locate and obtain any documents required for a criminal records exemption, as specified.

Action: Passed with amendments to remove the 7-day relative caregiver restriction

SB 1004 - Hill (D): Transitional Youth Diversion Program

Authorizes five specified counties to establish a pilot program, until January 1, 2020, to operate a deferred entry of judgment program that would allow young adults (aged 18-20 years) charged with non-serious, non-violent, non-sex offenses, to serve custodial time in juvenile hall rather than county jail, as specified.

Action: Passed with amendments to narrow program eligibility to persons charged with felony offenses

SB 1031 - Hancock (D): Juvenile Justice Information System

Requires the Department of Justice (DOJ) to develop a design structure and implementation plan for the California Juvenile Justice Information System (CJJIS) by January 1, 2018.

Requires the DOJ to establish and implement the CJJIS on or before July 1, 2019.

Action: Held in Committee

SB 1052 - Lara (D): Custodial Interrogation: Juveniles

Requires a youth under 18 years of age to consult with counsel prior to a custodial interrogation and before the waiver of any Miranda rights, as specified. Provides that the consultation may not be waived.

Action: Passed with amendments to make clarifying changes

SB 1380 - Mitchell (D): Homelessness Coordinating and Financing Council

Creates the Homeless Coordinating and Financing Council, as specified. Requires agencies and departments administering state programs that provide housing or housing-related assistance to persons experiencing homelessness or who are at risk of homelessness, as specified, to collaborate with the Council to revise or adopt guidelines and regulations that incorporate core components of Housing First.

Action: Passed

Human Resources

AB 1643 - Gonzalez (D): Workers' Compensation: Disability Apportionment

This bill prohibits the use of certain gender-related characteristics in the calculation of permanent disability (PD) benefits for injuries occurring on or after January 1, 2017.

Action: Passed

AB 1676 - Campos (D): Employers: Salary Information

This bill prohibits an employer, including state and local government employers, from seeking salary history information, including compensation and benefits, about an applicant for employment either personally or through an agent.

Action: Passed with amendments to add a joint author

AB 1690 - Medina (D): Community Colleges: Part-Time, Temporary Employees

This bill requires all community college districts (CCDs) to have collective bargaining agreements with part-time (PT) faculty that include specified conditions of employment.

Action: Passed

AB 1878 - Jones-Sawyer (D): Retirement System: School Members: Death Benefit

This bill increases the postretirement death benefit paid to the beneficiary of a school member of the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) from \$2,000 to not less than \$5,000, starting on January 1, 2017, and authorizes the CalPERS Board of Administration to adjust the death benefit after each actuarial valuation based on changes in the All Urban California Consumer Price Index.

Action: Passed with amendments to remove the increased death benefit amount

AB 1890 - Dodd (D): Discrimination: Equal Pay: State Contracting

This bill creates the Equal Pay for Equal Work Act of 2016 to specify certain nondiscrimination policies in state contracting.

Action: Passed with amendments to add a co-author

AB 2197 - Garcia (D): Unemployment Insurance: Classified Employees

This bill allows classified school employees to collect unemployment insurance (UI) benefits between school years.

Action: Passed with amendments to make the bill contingent upon an appropriation in the budget

AB 2199 - Campos (D): Sexual Offenses Against Minors: Persons in Authority

This bill specifies that persons who commit specified sex offenses involving minors shall be subject to an additional two-year sentence enhancement if the offender is a person in a "position of authority" over the victim, as specified.

Action: Passed

AB 2200 - Thurmond (D): School Employee Housing Assistance Grant Program

Requires California Housing Finance Agency (CalHFA) to administer a program to provide financing assistance to qualified school districts and qualified developers for the creation of affordable rental housing for school districts employees, including teachers. Only school districts with a high average cost for recruiting teachers, a low retention rate, and with 60% of their students participating in the National School Lunch Program would be eligible. This bill appropriates \$100 million from the General Fund to fund the program and allows for reimbursements to affected agencies and departments.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2405 - Gatto (D): Employment: Employees: Time Off

Requires an employer to annually provide at least 24 hours of paid, job-protected time off for the purposes of absence under the Family School Partnership Act, unless otherwise provided in a collective bargaining agreement.

Action: Passed with amendments to provide 8 hours of paid time off

AB 2628 - Levine (D): Political Reform Act of 1974: Employment Restrictions

This bill amends the Political Reform Act (PRA) to: 1) Prohibit elected and appointed officers of a state or local agency from being employed by that agency in another capacity, or from being compensated to assist another entity with a permit, regulatory action, or enforcement action before that agency, while that officer is in office and for one year after leaving office, and; 2) Require every state and local agency to post on its website the Statements of Economic Interests (SEIs) that are filed with the agency by specified high-ranking agency officials.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2650 - Nazarian (D): Public Employee Retirement Systems: Investments: Turkey

This bill prohibits California State Teachers' Retirement System (CalSTRS) and the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) from making additional or new investments or renewing investments, in any investment vehicle issued, owned, controlled, or managed by the government of Turkey, contingent on a federal law that imposes comprehensive or selective economic sanctions on Turkey or any territory under the administration of Turkey.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2833 - Cooley (D): Public Retirement Systems: Funds: Disclosures

This bill requires public retirement systems to require alternative investment vehicles in which they invest to annually make various disclosures, as specified, and requires the public retirement systems to disclose that information, along with other specified information, at least annually in a report presented at a public meeting.

Action: Passed

AB 2895 - Hernandez R (D): Employee Safety: Injury Prevention Programs

Modifies existing law to require employers to provide access to written injury and illness prevention programs, starting July 1, 2017.

Action: Passed with amendments to clarify fee recovery for civil action

SB 878 - Leyva (D): Working Hours: Scheduling

Enacts the Reliable Scheduling Act of 2016 to provide predictable work schedules to covered employees, as specified, in addition to other requirements.

Action: Held in Committee

SB 1001 - Mitchell (D): Employment: Unfair Practices

Prohibits an employer or any other person or entity from discriminating against or engaging in unfair immigration-related practices, as defined, against an applicant or employee or from

reinvestigating or reverifying an incumbent employee's authorization to work unless required to do so by federal law.

Action: Passed

SB 1166 - Jackson (D): Unlawful Employment Practice: Parental Leave

Establishes the New Parent Leave Act, making it an unlawful employment practice for specified employers to refuse to allow specified employees to take up to 12 weeks of parental leave to bond with a new child within one year of the child's birth, adoption, or foster care placement, and prohibits an employer from refusing to maintain and pay for coverage under a group health plan for an employee who takes this leave.

Action: Passed

SB 1203 - Hertzberg (D): Retirement Systems: Joint Powers Authorities: Benefits

Authorizes that any employees moving from employment with a public agency forming a joint powers authority (JPA) to employment with the JPA be provided the same defined benefit plan or formula that they had as an employee of the public agency on or before December 31, 2012. Applies to a JPA formed on or after January 1, 2013 that contracts with the California Public Employees' Retirement System.

Action: Passed

SB 1413 - Leno (D): School Districts: Employee Housing

Authorizes a school district to establish and implement programs that address the housing needs of teachers and school district employees who face challenges in securing affordable housing.

Action: Passed

Preschool/Child Development/Child Care

AB 1712 - Obernolte (R): Child Care: Contractors: Digital Signatures

This bill authorizes child care contractors to use electronic signatures and requires that those signatures have the same force and effect as manual signatures, as specified.

Action: Passed with amendments that are technical and clarifying

AB 1742 - Stone (D): CalWORKs: Eligibility

Increases the time limit for cash aid to adults through the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) program from 48 months to 60 months and increases the CalWORKs earned income disregard (EID).

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 1790 - Weber (D): CalWORKs: Welfare-to-Work

This bill prohibits sanctions for adult California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) program recipients who are meeting federal work requirements.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 1897 - Mullin (D): Day Care Centers

This bill directs the Department of Social Services (DSS) to create an optional "birth through entering first grade" category of day care licensure.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2133 - Chu (D): Child Care: Payment Programs: Appeals Process

This bill requires the California Department of Education (CDE) to establish parallel appeal processes for parents and providers of child care and development programs.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 2150 - Santiago (D): Subsidized Child Care and Development Services

This bill changes eligibility determination and redetermination for subsidized child care.

Action: Passed with amendments to add a joint author

AB 2368 - Gordon (D): Child Care and Development Services

This bill authorizes the County of Santa Clara to establish a five-year pilot program for purposes of developing and implementing an individualized county child care subsidy plan that meets the particular needs of families in the community.

Action: Passed

AB 2410 - Bonta (D): Early Learning: School Readiness

This bill establishes a 10-member advisory committee to develop recommendations for defining kindergarten readiness. This definition is intended to inform future efforts focused on child outcomes.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2660 - McCarty (D): Early Education: Multiyear Plan

This bill establishes the Quality Early Education and Development Act of 2016, and requires the California Department of Education (CDE), on or before January 1, 2018, to submit a multi-year plan for providing access to high quality prekindergarten programs to the Legislature and the Department of Finance.

Action: Held in Committee

SB 1042 - Hancock (D): Child Care: State Preschool Programs: Eligibility Age

Expands eligibility of the California State Preschool Program by adjusting the date of eligibility by three months to include younger three-year-olds.

Action: Held in Committee

SB 1420 - Mendoza (D): Child Care and Development: Health and Safety Training

Requires all child care caregivers to complete a one-time training on occupational health and safety risks specific to the child care profession and on how to identify and avoid those risks. Requires the California Department of Education (CDE) to develop the curriculum for the training in consultation with the State Department of Public Health (DPH) and child care caregivers, and also compensate caregivers for attending the training.

Action: Held in Committee

Public Contracts/Prevailing Wage

SB 959 - Lara (D): University of California: Contracts: Bidding

Modifies, beginning January 1, 2018, requirements for qualifying as a lowest responsible bidder or best value awardee for certain types of service contracts at the University of California (UC). Bidders are required to certify in writing that its employees are compensated at a level that does not undercut, by more than five percent, the average per-employee value of total compensation for UC employees who perform comparable work, and provide specified items to the UC when they submit bids. Also makes these provisions applicable to any renewal or extension of an existing contract for services involving an expenditure of \$100,000 or more annually.

Action: Passed with amendments to reduce certification requirements and the information to be submitted to the UC

SB 1154 - Liu (D): Child Care and Development Services

Establishes the Patricia Siegal Child Care Resource and Referral Memorial Act of 2016. Requires a child care resource and referral program to provide specified additional services. Repeals provisions regarding short-term respite care. Requires written complaint procedures.

Action: Held in Committee

Pupil Health

AB 1644 - Bonta (D): School-Based Early Mental Health Intervention Services

Recasts and renames the Early Mental Health Initiative (EMHI) as the HEAL Trauma in Schools Act, expands the program to serve preschool and transitional Kindergarten students, and establishes the program for four years to provide outreach, free regional training, and technical assistance for local educational agencies (LEAs) providing mental health services at school sites.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 1903 - Wilk (R): Canyon Gas Leak: Health Impact Study

This bill requires the California Public Utilities Commission (PUC) to authorize a study of the long-term health impacts associated with the natural gas leak from the Aliso Canyon facility (facility), to be conducted by the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA).

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 2004 - Bloom (D): Hearing Aids: Minors

This bill requires health plans and insurers to cover hearing aids and related services for all enrollees under 18 years of age when medically necessary. It exempts Medicare supplement, dental-only, or vision-only health plans and insurers.

Action: Passed with amendments

SB 1113 - Beall (D): Pupil Health: Mental Health

Authorizes LEAs to enter into partnerships, as specified, with county mental health plans for the provision of Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment mental health services and to expand the allowable use of specified mental health funds. Also requires the CDE and the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to enter into an agreement and update their reporting systems to track academic outcomes and other measures for individuals enrolled in Medi-Cal and special education who receive mental healthy services.

Action: Passed

SB 1174 - McGuire (D): Medi-Cal: Children: Prescribing Patterns: Medications

Require the DHCS to provide quarterly data to the Medical Board related to the prescribing of psychotropic medications through the Medi-Cal program to foster youth. Requires the Medical Board to review the data to determine if there is excessing prescribing. Requires the Medical Board to prioritize cases of excessive prescribing of psychotropic medications to minors for investigation.

Action: Passed

SB 1220 - McGuire (D): Child Welfare Services: Behavioral Health Services

Require a county social worker to complete specified activities with regard to a child's case plan including including a summary or copy of the treatment plan developed for a child who has been assessed as needing behavioral health services, redacting information that is otherwise confidential regarding the child's condition or treatment in order to include the treatment plan as part of the case plan, indicating in the case plan if a treatment plan has not been finalized, and update the plan at the next regular hearing after the treatment plan has been finalized, and

attaching the treatment plan to a request to authorize the administration of psychotropic medication submitted to the court, as specified.

Action: Passed

[SB 1258 - Huff \(R\): Food Allergies: Local Educational Agency Policy](#)

Requires each LEA to develop and have in place, beginning with the 2017-18 school year, a comprehensive policy to protect pupils with food allergies.

Action: Held in Committee

[SB 1291 - Beall \(D\): Medi-Cal: Specialty Mental Health: Children and Youth](#)

Requires county mental health plans to submit an annual foster care mental health service plan to DHCS. Requires county mental health plans to be reviewed by an external quality reviews organization with specified requirements. Requires DHCS to conduct annual audits of county mental health plans to assess the provision of services to foster youth.

Action: Passed with amendments to remove requirement of state review of plans and remove state audit requirement

[SB 1466 - Mitchell \(D\): Early and Periodic Screening: Trauma Screening](#)

Require additional screening for trauma in Medi-Cal eligible children. The bill would require Medi-Cal eligible children who are found to have experienced trauma and children who have been abused, neglected, or removed from the home to be referred to county mental health plans for assessment for specialty mental health services.

Action: Passed with amendments to strike automatic referral to mental health services except for foster youth

School Finance

[AB 2415 - Garcia E \(D\): Clean Technology Program](#)

This bill revises the California Clean Truck, Bus, and Off-Road Vehicle and Equipment Technology Program (Clean Truck Program) to require no less than 50% of program funds to support the commercial deployment of certain heavy-duty trucks that meet specified emissions standards.

Action: Held in Committee

[AB 2476 - Daly \(D\): Local Governments: Parcel Taxes: Notice](#)

This bill requires a local agency, within one week following a legislative body's vote to place a proposed parcel tax on the ballot, to provide specified notice to all property owners affected by the tax.

Action: Passed with amendments to extend the notice requirement to 30 days, and to make the requirements of the bill only applicable to those property owners outside the local agency's jurisdiction

School Safety

[AB 1883 - Cooley \(D\): Child Sexual Abuse: Prevention Pilot Program](#)

This bill establishes, until January 1, 2020, the Child Sexual Abuse Prevention Program as a pilot program in three counties, selected by the Department of Social Services (DSS), to provide child sexual abuse prevention and intervention services, and appropriates to each county \$50,000 annually from the General Fund for this purpose.

Action: Passed

AB 2606 - Grove (R): Crimes Against Children, Elders, and Disabled Persons

Requires a law enforcement agency that receives a report, or if a law enforcement officer makes a report, that a person who holds a state professional or occupational credential, license, or permit that allows the person to provide services to children, elders, dependent adults, or persons with disabilities is alleged to have committed specified crimes, the law enforcement agency to properly send a copy of the report to the state licensing agency. Provides the manner of report prioritizing and processing.

SB 1411 - Runner (R): Pupil Safety: Pupil Victimization Reporting

Requires that the principal of each public school ensure that an anti-bullying notice is accessible to all students in a common area of the school by January 1, 2018.

Action: Held in Committee

Special Education

AB 2091 - Lopez (D): Special Education: Individualized Education Programs

This bill requires local educational agencies (LEAs) to provide parents with translated copies of a student's individualized education program (IEP), and related documents, within 30 days of an IEP meeting. Requires the California Department of Education (CDE) to provide translated standard special education forms, as specified.

Action: Passed with amendments

AB 2521 - Cooley (D): Los Rios Community College Support for Special Needs

This bill authorizes the Los Rios Community College District (CCD) to establish a pilot program to support special needs students.

Action: Held in Committee

SB 884 - Beall (D): Special Education: Procedural Safeguards and Records

Requires LEAs and special education local plan areas (SELPAs) to collect and report specific information regarding special education and related services. Requires the CDE to monitor and compare specific information. Requires specific local and state accounting and reporting of each special education and related service.

Action: Passed with amendments to reduce mandated services

Student Services

AB 1572 - Campos (D): School Transportation

This bill requires a public, noncharter school, to provide free transportation to a pupil attending a school that receives Title 1 federal funding.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 1994 - Lopez (D): CalED Program

This bill creates the CalED Program to assist California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) recipients in obtaining high school diplomas or equivalency certificates. Participants must be at least 19 years old, participating in welfare-to-work activities, and not have a high school diploma or its equivalent.

Action: Held in Committee

AB 2000 - Campos (D): Wards: Termination of Juvenile Court Jurisdiction

Requires the juvenile court to conduct a hearing when terminating jurisdiction over a ward and to ensure that certain information, documents, and services are provided by a probation officer to the ward in conjunction with termination of the court's jurisdiction, similar to those provided to

a foster youth transitioning from the dependency system. The bill also requires the Judicial Council to develop and implement standards and adopt appropriate forms.

Action: Passed with amendments

[AB 2009 - Lopez \(D\): Student Support Services: Dream Resource Liaisons](#)

Requires the California Community Colleges (CCC) and the California State University (CSU), and requests the University of California (UC), to do designate a Dream Resource Liaison at each of their respective campuses, who has knowledge regarding financial aid, services, and academic opportunities for undocumented students. Encourages the CCC, CSU, and UC to establish Dream Resource Centers on each of their respective campuses, but stipulates that this shall not be construed as mandating the construction of new or separate space. Authorizes the governing boards of the segments to accept private funds to establish and operate the centers. Encourages the governing board of school districts or county offices of education with grades 9 through 12 to have a Dream Resource Liaison. Amendments taken will strike references to K-12, and add a sunset to the bill.

Action: Passed with amendments

[AB 2058 - Mayes \(R\): CalWORKs Educational Incentives](#)

This bill creates the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) Educational Opportunity and Attainment Program to offer education grants to eligible CalWORKs participants who complete certain educational programs.

Action: Held in Committee

[AB 2246 - O'Donnell \(D\): Pupil Suicide Prevention Policies](#)

Requires each school district, county office of education (COE), charter school, and State Special School, serving students in grades 7 to 12, inclusive, to adopt a policy on suicide prevention before the beginning of the 2017-18 school year.

Action: Passed

[AB 2489 - McCarty \(D\): Pupil Rights: Restorative Justice Practice](#)

requires the California Department of Education (CDE) to evaluate the implementation of restorative justice practices in school districts, in consultation with specified stakeholders, and develop standard models or develop recommendations for effective implementation.

Action: Held in Committee

[AB 2663 - Cooper \(D\): After School Programs and Grant Amounts](#)

Continuously appropriates \$73.3 million for the After School Education and Safety program (ASES) beginning with the 2016-17 fiscal year (FY) and adjusts the appropriation annually thereafter based on the California Consumer Price Index (CA-CPI).

Action: Held in Committee

[AB 2695 - Obernolte \(R\): Juvenile Proceedings: Competency](#)

This bill revises the procedure for when there is a question about the mental competence of a juvenile charged with a crime.

Action: Held in Committee

[AB 2796 - Bloom \(D\): Active Transportation Program](#)

Requires, for the Active Transportation Program (ATP), that a minimum amount of funding be set aside for planning and non-infrastructure activities.

Action: Passed

[AB 2809 - Rodriguez \(D\): Developmental Services: Regional Centers](#)

This bill requires regional centers to provide certain information and materials to consumers and other designated individuals at the time of the development, review, or modification of each

Individual Program Plan (IPP) of Individualized Family Service Plan (ISFP), and that the information and materials be made available in threshold languages. The bill further requires that parental hardships be considered and documented when determining the extent of parent participation for certain services.

Action: Passed with amendments

SB 911 - Hertzberg (D): State American Indian Education Centers

Removes the January 1, 2017 repeal of the California American Indian education centers, thereby extending the option of the program indefinitely. Requires the CDE to continue to report on the evaluation for the program every five years, starting in January 2021, and to make this information available to the appropriate committees of the Legislature.

Action: Passed

SB 1014 - Liu (D): Pupil Rights: Pregnant and Parenting Pupils

Authorizes a school district to grant parental leave to a student, and provides that such absences generate ADA funding if the school district files an expectant and parenting student policy with the CDE.

Action: Passed with amendments to remove allowable leave and clarify ADA funding

SB 1050 - De Leon (D): Postsecondary Education: College Readiness

Establishes the K-12 College Readiness Block Grant, contingent upon funding provided by statute or the annual budget act, to provide one-time funding to K-12 districts to prepare high school pupils for admission to college. Requires the University of California develop and implement a plan and timeline for increasing the enrollment of resident students, especially those from high school which have 75 percent or greater enrollment of students that are English learners, low-income, or foster youth.

Action: Passed

SB 1210 - Gaines T (R): Sales and Use Taxes: Exemption: School Supplies

Provides a partial sales and use tax exemption for clothing, footwear, school supplies, books, computers, and educational software, subject to specified limits, for two days each August.

Action: Held in Committee

SB 1223 - Huff (R): Drivers Licenses: Provisional Licenses

Expands the applicability of the provisional driver's license program to new drivers under the age of 21, as specified.

Action: Held in Committee

SB 1375 - Jackson (D): Educational and Sex Equity and Federal Title IX

Requires, by July 1, 2017, public and private schools, as specified, and LEAs to post in a prominent location on their websites specific information regarding Title IX, and include this information in an annual parent notice.

Action: Passed with amendments to remove annual parental notification