



**BILLS OF SPECIAL INTEREST
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2017-2018 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

**SUMMARY
October 16, 2017**

AB 4 Voter Notification	
AUTHOR:	Waldron
INTRODUCED:	12/05/2016
AMENDED:	03/29/2017
STATUS:	06/28/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 29, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Authorizes a county elections official to first send the recipient of a voter notification or voter preregistration notification a text message or email indicating that his or her information has been received and that a subsequent notification will follow.
*AB 187 Political Reform Act of 1974: Local Ballot Measure	
AUTHOR:	Gloria
INTRODUCED:	01/19/2017
STATUS:	09/01/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 183, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires a recipient campaign committee that makes contributions or independent expenditures of \$5,000 or more in support of or in opposition to the qualification of a single local initiative or referendum measure to file a campaign disclosure report as specified, within 10 business days of making the contributions or expenditures.
AB 195 Local Initiatives: Ballot Printing Specifications	
AUTHOR:	Obernolte
INTRODUCED:	01/19/2017
AMENDED:	03/14/2017
STATUS:	07/24/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 105, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Extends existing law which requires that the ballots used when voting upon a proposed county, city, or district ordinance submitted as an initiative measure have printed on them specified text relating to the proposed ordinance, to include any measure submitted to the voters that is proposed by a local governing body or submitted to the voters as an initiative measure.

***AB 249**

Political Reform Act Of 1974: Campaign Disclosures

AUTHOR:	Mullin
INTRODUCED:	01/30/2017
STATUS:	10/07/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 546, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Changes the content and format of disclosure statements required on specified campaign advertisements in a manner that generally requires such disclosures to be more prominent. Establishes new requirements for determining when contributions are considered to be "earmarked."

AB 467

Local Transportation Authorities: Transactions and Use Taxes

AUTHOR:	Mullin
INTRODUCED:	02/13/2017
AMENDED:	08/23/2017
STATUS:	10/10/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 640, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Exempts, upon the request of an authority, a county elections official, from including the entire adopted transportation expenditure plan in the voter information guide, if the authority posts the plan on its Internet Web site, as prescribed and the sample ballot and the voter information guide sent to voters include information on viewing an electronic version of the plan on the Internet Web site and for obtaining a printed copy of the plan by calling the county elections office. Requires the county elections official to mail a printed copy of the plan at no cost to each person requesting a copy, if the county elections official exercises this authority.

AB 469

Candidate: Nomination Documents

AUTHOR:	Cooper
INTRODUCED:	02/13/2017
AMENDED:	09/01/2017
STATUS:	10/15/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 839, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Requires a candidate to file an in-lieu-filing-fee petition at least 30 days before the close of the nomination period. Decreases the number of required signatures on an in-lieu-filing-fee petition, as specified. Strikes the authorization for a candidate to submit a supplemental petition to cover any deficiency, and it would instead only permit the candidate to pay a pro rata portion of the filing fee. Requires that the forms for securing signatures be made available 60 days before the first day for circulating nomination papers. Makes a conforming change. Urgency statute.

AB 551

Political Reform Act of 1974: Postemployment

AUTHOR:	Levine
INTRODUCED:	02/14/2017
STATUS:	09/01/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 196, 2017 Statutes.
AB 551 (Continued)	Watch

CACEO POSITION:	
SUMMARY:	Prohibits a former local elected official or top administrator for a local agency, for a year after leaving that position, from appearing before or communicating with the former agency, for compensation, as an independent contractor for another government agency.

AB 606 State Voter Information Guides	
AUTHOR:	Berman
INTRODUCED:	02/14/2017
AMENDED:	05/03/2017
STATUS:	10/11/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 656, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Requires the Secretary of State to include before each state measure a conspicuous notice that identifies the location on the Secretary of State's Internet Web site of the specific constitutional or statutory provision that the state measure would repeal or revise, as specified. Requires that the electronic version of the state voter information guide include an active hyperlink for each cited Uniform Resource Locator. Makes conforming changes. Authorizes the Secretary of State to electronically send election information, including information contained within the state voter information guide, to a voter if specified requirements are met. Authorizes the Secretary of State to utilize affidavit of voter registration information for these purposes.

AB 660 Public Agencies: Unlawful Interference	
AUTHOR:	Rubio
INTRODUCED:	02/14/2017
AMENDED:	09/08/2017
STATUS:	09/30/2017 Chapter 381, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	No position
SUMMARY:	Provides that it is an infraction to intentionally interfere with any lawful business carried on by the employees of a public agency open to the public by knowingly making a material misrepresentation of the law to those attempting to transact business with the agency and refusing to leave, as specified.

AB 722 Isla Vista Community Services District: Board of Directors	
AUTHOR:	Limon
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
AMENDED:	07/12/2017
STATUS:	10/02/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 409, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	No position
SUMMARY:	Provides that service on the board of directors of the district by a member of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara or by any public officer of the County of Santa Barbara or his or her deputy shall not be considered an incompatible office.

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AB 765 Local Initiative Measures: Submission to the Voters	
AUTHOR:	Low
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
AMENDED:	05/11/2017
STATUS:	10/13/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 748, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires that an election for a county, municipal, or district initiative measure that qualifies for a ballot to be the next statewide or regular election, unless the governing body of the county, city, or district calls a special election. Makes conforming changes.

AB 801 County of San Diego Citizens Redistricting Commission	
AUTHOR:	Weber and Gloria (Coauthor) Atkins
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
AMENDED:	09/08/2017
STATUS:	10/12/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 711, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Oppose
SUMMARY:	Increases the membership of the Independent Redistricting Commission of San Diego to 14 members and no alternates, and would revise the process for their selection, as specified. Imposes restrictions to eliminate conflicts-of-interest on the part of commissioners and would require increased public involvement in the redistricting process. Makes legislative findings and declarations as to the necessity of a special statute for the County of San Diego.

AB 837 No Party Preference Voters: Partisan Primary Elections	
AUTHOR:	Low
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	08/28/2017
STATUS:	10/15/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 819, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the Secretary of State, a county elections official, and the members of a precinct board to provide information to voters, as specified, relating to the ability of a voter who has declined to disclose a political party preference to vote a political party's ballot at a partisan primary election. Requires the Secretary of State and a county elections official to prepare and print specified notices and other materials.

AB 840 Elections: Vote by Mail and Provisional Ballots	
AUTHOR:	Quirk (Coauthor) Gonzalez Fletcher
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	09/07/2017
STATUS:	10/15/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 820, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Requires the unsigned ballot statement to be signed under penalty of perjury, and also include in that statement a representation that the voter is a resident of the precinct in which he or she voted and is the person whose
AB 840 (Continued)	

SUMMARY:	name appears on the vote by mail ballot envelope. Authorizes a voter to submit his or her completed unsigned ballot statement to the local elections official by email by requiring that the instructions accompanying unsigned ballot statements inform a voter that a completed unsigned ballot statement can be submitted by mail. Requires the local elections official to include his or her email address on the Internet Web page containing the unsigned ballot statement and instructions. Specifies that the one percent manual tally is a tally of the ballots canvassed in the semifinal official canvass and does not include provisional ballots.
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<u>AB 867</u> Political Reform Act of 1974: Contributions	
AUTHOR:	Cooley
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	04/17/2017
STATUS:	10/13/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 749, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	No position
SUMMARY:	Revises the provisions that define the term "contribution" for purposes of the act, including provisions describing behested payments that are not contributions and the reporting requirements for behested payments, as defined. Makes technical, nonsubstantive conforming changes.

<u>AB 895</u> Political Reform Act of 1974: Campaign Statements: Filing	
AUTHOR:	Quirk
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	04/18/2017
STATUS:	07/24/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 111, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Removes the requirement that those filers who file campaign statements online or by electronic means also file in paper format pending the determination by the Secretary of State. Becomes operative when the Secretary of State certifies the online filing and disclosure system for public use.

<u>AB 901</u> County of San Diego: Local Elections	
AUTHOR:	Gloria and Weber
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	05/01/2017
STATUS:	10/12/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 713, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Authorizes the amendment of the charter of the County of San Diego by proposals submitted to the county electors by the board of supervisors or by a petition signed by ten percent of the qualified electors in the county to require that candidates for specified county offices be elected at the general election. Provides that only the candidates who receive the highest or second highest number of votes cast at the primary election would be required to appear on the ballot as candidates for that office at the ensuing general election. Make legislative findings and declarations as to the necessity of a special statute for the County of San Diego.

AB 918[California Voting for All Act](#)

AUTHOR:	Bonta and Gonzalez (Coauthors) Hueso
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	09/08/2017
STATUS:	10/15/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 845, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Prescribes certain requirements relating to the availability and accessibility of non-English facsimile ballots and the public posting of voter information to the County of Los Angeles if it conducts a vote center election pursuant to the Voter's Choice Act. Requires county elections officials to report the number of individuals recruited to serve as members of precinct boards, including the number of those individuals recruited who are fluent in each language required to be represented at polling places. Provides that a county elections official is not required to provide facsimile copies of the ballot in a particular language if the county elections official is required to provide translated ballots in that language under other provisions of law, as specified. Makes conforming changes to other provisions of law.

AB 1044[State Voter Information Guide: Vote by Mail and Provisional Ballot Verification](#)

AUTHOR:	Quirk
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	03/29/2017
STATUS:	07/21/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 85, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires that the state voter information guide display the Internet Web site address for a voter to check the status of his or her vote by mail or provisional ballot.

AB 1104[The California Political Cyberfraud Abatement Act](#)

AUTHOR:	Chau
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	10/12/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 715, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Expands California's political cyberfraud law, which currently only covers ballot measure campaigns, to include candidate campaigns.

AB 1154[Official Canvass: One-percent Manual Tally](#)

AUTHOR:	Nazarian
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	07/21/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 88, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Prohibits the elections official from randomly choosing the initial precincts or selecting an additional precinct for the manual tally until after the close of the polls on election day.

AB 1194**Elections: Local Bond Measures: Tax Rate Statement**

AUTHOR:	Dababneh (Coauthors) Cooley and Harper
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	08/21/2017
STATUS:	10/14/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 795, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires local government agencies, when submitting for voter approval bond measures that will be secured by an ad valorem tax, to provide the voters, along with a sample ballot, a statement that includes estimates of tax rates and debt service in connection with the measure, including estimates of the tax rates required to fund the bond issue during the first fiscal year after the first sale of the bonds and the first fiscal year after the last sale of the bonds. Requires that statement to include a specified estimate.

AB 1344**Voting Rights: Inmates and Persons Formerly Incarcerated**

AUTHOR:	Weber (Coauthor) Hertzberg
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	08/28/2017
STATUS:	10/14/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 796, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation and county probation departments to both establish and maintain on its Internet Web site a hyperlink to the Internet Web site at which information provided by the Secretary of State regarding voting rights for persons with a criminal history may be found and to post a notice that contains that Internet Web site address. Requires the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation and county probation departments to provide certain voting rights information to persons under their jurisdiction upon the request of such a person.

AB 1367**Improper Signature-Gathering Tactics**

AUTHOR:	Berman
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	05/22/2017
STATUS:	10/15/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 848, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides that it is a crime punishable by a fine, imprisonment, or both a fine and imprisonment, for a person, company, organization, company official, or other organizational officer in charge of a person who circulates an initiative, referendum, or recall petition and who knowingly directs an affiant to make a false affidavit concerning the initiative, referendum, or recall petition or the signatures appended to the petition or who knows or reasonably should know that an affiant has made a false affidavit concerning the initiative, referendum, or recall petition or the signatures appended and submits the section of the petition that contains the false affidavit.

AB 1403

Military and Overseas Voters

AUTHOR:	Obernolte
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	09/07/2017
STATUS:	10/14/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 797, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the Secretary of State to submit, by January 1, 2019, a report to specified legislative committees describing the feasibility of allowing military and overseas voters to return their ballots by electronic means. Provides that existing law which authorizes a military or overseas voter to apply in person to the elections official for permission to register if he or she is released from services after the closing date of registration for an election, has returned to the county of his or her residence, and is not a registered voter, as specified. Provides that a military or overseas voter who is required to move under official active duty military orders after the closing date of registration to apply in person to his or her elections official for permission to register after the closing date of registration, as specified.

AB 1516

Maintenance of the Codes

AUTHOR:	Cunningham
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	08/23/2017
STATUS:	10/07/2017 Chapter 561, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Maintenance of the codes. Makes nonsubstantive changes in various provisions of law to effectuate the recommendations made by the Legislative Counsel to the Legislature.

AB 1620

Political Reform Act: Postgovernment Employment

AUTHOR:	Dababneh
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	10/14/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 800, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Extends the length of the "revolving door" ban when a member of the Legislature resigns from office so that it remains in effect until a year has passed since the end of the legislative session in which the member resigns.

AB 1729

Examination of Petitions

AUTHOR:	Committee on Elections and Redistricting - Low, Berman, Calderon, Mulin and Weber
INTRODUCED:	03/23/2017
AMENDED:	07/05/2017
STATUS:	09/28/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 354, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Requires the county elections official to preserve the petition until one year

AB 1729 (Continued) SUMMARY:	from the date of the proponent's last examination.
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AB 1730 Elections Omnibus Bill	
AUTHOR:	Committee on Elections and Redistricting - Low, Berman, Calderon, Mulin and Weber
INTRODUCED:	03/23/2017
AMENDED:	05/16/2017
STATUS:	07/24/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 118, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Requires the county elections official to attempt to contact the affiant and collect the missing information if the affidavit of registration does not contain all of the information required. Makes a conforming change.

ACA 17 Ballot Measures: Effective Date	
AUTHOR:	Mullin
INTRODUCED:	07/19/2017
STATUS:	09/25/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 190, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides that an initiative statute, referendum, or constitutional amendment or revision approved by a majority of votes cast shall take effect on the fifth day after the Secretary of State files the statement of the vote, instead of going into effect the day after the election as is the case under existing law. Provides that a measure may become operative after its effective date. Makes technical changes. Provides that this measure will become effective only if approved by the voters at the next statewide election that is held at least 131 days after its adoption by the Legislature; currently, it is expected that this measure will be submitted to the voters at the June 5, 2018 statewide primary election.

AJR 1 Presidential Elections: Electoral College	
AUTHOR:	Low
INTRODUCED:	12/05/2016
AMENDED:	05/02/2017
STATUS:	08/28/2017 Chapter 122, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Urges the United States Congress to propose and send to the states for ratification a constitutional amendment to abolish the electoral college and provide for the direct election of the President and Vice President of the United States by the popular vote of all eligible citizens of the United States.

SB 5 California Drought, Water, Parks, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access for All Act of 2018	
AUTHOR:	De Leon
INTRODUCED:	12/05/2016
AMENDED:	09/10/2017
STATUS:	10/15/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 852, 2017 Statutes.

SB 5 (Continued) CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides for the submission of a ballot measure to the voters at the June 5, 2018, statewide primary direct election to enact the California Drought, Water, Parks, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access For All Act of 2018. Authorizes the issuance of bonds pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a drought, water, parks, climate, coastal protection, and outdoor access for all programs.

SB 45 Political Reform Act: Mass Mailing Prohibition	
AUTHOR:	Mendoza
INTRODUCED:	12/05/2016
STATUS:	10/15/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 827, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Prohibits a mass mailing from being sent at public expense by or on behalf of a candidate within 60 days preceding an election at which the candidate will appear on the ballot, as specified. Codifies a regulation that implements a statutory ban on mass mailings sent at public expense.

SB 96 State Government	
AUTHOR:	Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee
INTRODUCED:	01/11/2017
AMENDED:	06/09/2017
STATUS:	06/27/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 28, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the Secretary of State to notify a county elections official that a petition received a sufficient number of signatures to initiate a recall election, as specified. Requires county elections officials, no later than ten days after that period, to report to the Secretary of State the total number of signatures that were withdrawn, and would require that this process continue until the Secretary of State determines that there is a sufficient number of verified signatures, not including withdrawn signatures, to initiate a recall election. Prohibits the Secretary of State from certifying the sufficiency of the signatures until the Joint Legislative Budget Committee has had thirty days to review and comment on the Department of Finance's estimate of the costs of the recall election, as specified. Repeals the provisions that allow for the use of random sampling as a method of verifying signatures for a recall petition, thereby requiring the examination and verification of each signature filed. States the Legislature's intent that these provisions apply retroactively.

SB 117 Elections	
AUTHOR:	Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee
SB 117 (Continued) INTRODUCED:	01/11/2017
STATUS:	08/24/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 180, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Authorizes specified counties to conduct any election as an all-mailed ballot election if specified conditions are satisfied. Requires the Secretary of State to assist each county conducting an all-mailed ballot election in 2018 in

SB 117 (Continued) SUMMARY:	providing additional voter education and community outreach, including, but not limited to, direct contact with voters. Authorizes the Secretary of State to provide funding allocated for these purposes to each county.
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SB 205 Local Government Omnibus Act of 2017	
AUTHOR:	Senate Governance and Finance Committee - McGuire (Chair), Beall, Hernandez, Hertzberg, Lara, Moorlach, and Nguyen
INTRODUCED:	02/01/2017
AMENDED:	08/28/2017
STATUS:	09/30/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 387, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Requires an officer to take an oath following any election or appointment and before entering the duties of his or her office. Authorizes the County of Merced to enter into a lease, concession, or managerial contract involving a specified area of county property, by a four-fifths vote of the board of supervisors. Makes changes relating to the Committee on County Auditing Procedures, sexual harassment prevention training, certain appointments lists, and certain flood control facilities.

SB 226 Political Reform Act of 1974: Slate Mailers	
AUTHOR:	Hertzberg
INTRODUCED:	02/02/2017
AMENDED:	06/15/2017
STATUS:	10/15/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 855, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires a slate mailer organization to disclose on the mailing, whether the slate mailer represents public safety personnel.

SB 235 Elections: Ballot Designation Requirements	
AUTHOR:	Allen
INTRODUCED:	02/06/2017
STATUS:	10/05/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 512, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Limits the ballot designations that candidates for judicial office are permitted to use, as specified.

SB 267 Political Reform Act of 1974: City of Sacramento	
AUTHOR:	Pan
INTRODUCED:	02/08/2017
STATUS:	10/09/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 622, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Permits the City of Sacramento and the Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC), until January 1, 2023, to enter into an agreement that provides for the FPPC to enforce a local campaign finance ordinance passed by the City Council of the City of Sacramento.

SB 286

Elections: Voting

AUTHOR:	Stern (Coauthor) Low
INTRODUCED:	02/09/2017
AMENDED:	09/07/2017
STATUS:	10/14/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 806, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Permits vote by mail voters who return to their home precincts or go to another voting location, as specified, to vote nonprovisional ballots if they surrender their ballots to the relevant voting authority or, if they are unable to surrender their vote by mail ballots, if the voting authority verifies that they have not returned their vote by mail ballots and notates their voter records accordingly. Makes conforming and other nonsubstantive changes to the California Voter's Choice Act, which authorizes certain counties to conduct any election, after a specified date, as an all-mailed ballot election if certain conditions are satisfied, including conditions related to ballot dropoff locations, vote centers, and plans for the administration of all-mailed ballot elections. Incorporates additional changes to the Elections Code.

SB 332

Voter Registration: Foster Youth

AUTHOR:	Stern
INTRODUCED:	02/13/2017
AMENDED:	04/27/2017
STATUS:	07/31/2018 Signed by Governor, Chapter 161, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the State Department of Social Services to include specified information relating to voter registration, including the voter registration page on the Secretary of State's Internet Web site, on a flyer for the Independent Living Program, on the form used for a nonminor dependent to enter into a mutual agreement or a voluntary reentry agreement, on the form used to create a transitional independent living plan, on the department's Internet Web site for the Independent Living Program, and on the Office of the Foster Care Ombudsman's Internet Web site. Authorizes a county social worker to provide a voter registration form to a child 16 years of age or older or a nonminor dependent concurrent with the provision of any of those forms. Authorizes the department to implement, interpret, or make specific these provisions by means of an all-county letter or similar instructions, without taking any regulatory action.

SB 358

Political Reform Act of 1974: Secretary of State

AUTHOR:	Stern
INTRODUCED:	02/14/2017
STATUS:	10/09/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 624, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the Secretary of State's (SOS) Internet Web site to include conspicuous hyperlinks to local government agency web sites that contain publically disclosed campaign finance information. Requires the SOS to update these hyperlinks no later than December 31 of each year.

SB 365

Regional Park and Open-Space Districts: County of Solano

AUTHOR:	Dodd
INTRODUCED:	02/14/2017
AMENDED:	07/13/2017
STATUS:	09/01/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 216, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Authorizes the formation of a regional district in the County of Solano to be initiated by resolution of the county board of supervisors after a noticed hearing. Specifies the contents of the resolution, including the calling of an election, as prescribed.

SB 511

Elections: Secretary of State

AUTHOR:	Stern
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	03/28/2017
STATUS:	09/30/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 397, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Clarifies the scope of those powers and duties, and requires the Secretary of State to make reasonable efforts to promote voter registration and voting, as specified, especially in underrepresented communities.

SB 568

Primary Elections: Election Date

AUTHOR:	Lara (Coauthor) Mullin
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	08/31/2017
STATUS:	09/27/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 335, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides that, beginning in 2019, the date of the statewide direct primary and the presidential primary is changed to the first Tuesday after the first Monday in March and would continue the requirement that those elections be consolidated.

SB 595

Metropolitan Transportation Commission: Toll Bridge Revenues: Santa Clarita Valley Transportation Authority: High-Occupancy Toll Lanes

AUTHOR:	Beall
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	09/08/2017
STATUS:	10/10/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 650, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the City and County of San Francisco and the other eight counties in the San Francisco Bay area to conduct a special election, to be known as Regional Measure 3, on a proposed increase in the amount of the toll rate charged on the state-owned toll bridges in that area to be used for specified projects and programs, as specified. Requires the Bay Area Toll Authority (BATA) to reimburse from toll revenues, as specified, the counties and the City and County of San Francisco for the cost of submitting the measure to

the voters, as specified.

[SB 597](#)

Human Trafficking: Victim Confidentiality

AUTHOR:	Leyva
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	06/21/2017
STATUS:	10/07/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 570, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Provides that existing law which authorizes victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking to complete an application for the purpose of enabling state and local agencies to respond to requests for public records without disclosing a program participant's residence address, and which otherwise provides for confidentiality of identity for that person is available to a victim of human trafficking and household members of victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, or human trafficking. Makes additional conforming changes.

[SB 628](#)

Local Educational Agencies

AUTHOR:	Lara
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	09/11/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 243, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Deletes the requirement that the Los Angeles Community College District members be elected at large, and instead authorizes the members to be elected by trustee area.

[SB 634](#)

Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency

AUTHOR:	Wilk
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	09/08/2017
STATUS:	10/15/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 833, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Repeals the Castaic Lake Water Agency Law. Recognizes the Newhall County Water District and the Castaic Lake Water Agency into the Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency which prohibits the Castaic Lake Water Agency and the Newhall County Water District from operating as separate entities or exercising independent functions. Requires the district to submit an application for conditions addressing the creation of the district to the Local Agency Formation Commission for the County of Los Angeles, as specified, and requires the commission to prepare a written report, which may contain specific conditions to which the district would be subject and which the commission deems appropriate under the act. Requires the district to reimburse the Local Agency Formation Commission for the County of Los Angeles for all costs associated with the submittal, review, consideration, preparation, and determination associated with the application for conditions and the preparation of the written report.

SB 665

Elections: Ballot Measures

AUTHOR:	Moorlach (Coauthor) Allen
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	06/15/2017
STATUS:	07/17/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 75, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires an organization or association submitting an argument for or against a measure to also submit additional information to the appropriate official to enable that official to determine if it qualifies as a bona fide association of citizens. Prohibits the official from considering the type of documentation submitted or the form of the association when selecting an argument from among associations.

SJR 3

Presidential Elections: Electoral College

AUTHOR:	Hill and Allen
INTRODUCED:	12/21/2016
STATUS:	07/07/2017 Chapter 100, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Urges the state legislature and governor of each state to ratify the Agreement Among the States to Elect the President by National Popular Vote.

SJR 11

Presidential Advisory Commission on Election Integrity

AUTHOR:	Stern
INTRODUCED:	08/21/2017
STATUS:	09/22/2017 Chapter 189, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Urges each state's Secretary of State and other relevant state elections officials to join California in refusing to provide their state voter data to the Presidential Advisory Commission on Election Integrity.

ASSEMBLY BILLS	31
SENATE BILLS	21
TOTAL	52