



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

**SUMMARY
October 13, 2017**

<u>AB 4</u> 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.

<u>AB 14</u> Political Reform Act of 1974: Campaign Disclosures	
AUTHOR:	Gomez and Levine (Coauthors) Chiu and Kalra
INTRODUCED:	12/05/2016
AMENDED:	07/06/2017
STATUS:	07/06/2017 In Assembly. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on E. & R.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Repeals provisions of the Political Reform Act which requires a committee that supports or opposes ballot measures to name and identify itself using a name or phrase that clearly identifies the economic or other special interests of its major donors, and to disclose the identity of a common employer shared by major donors. Urgency statute.

<u>AB 84</u> Primary Elections: Election Date	
AUTHOR:	Mullin
INTRODUCED:	01/05/2017
AMENDED:	04/19/2017
STATUS:	08/31/2017 In Senate. From third reading. To Inactive File.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires that the presidential primary election be held on the first Tuesday

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AB 84 (Continued) SUMMARY:	after the first Monday in March of a year that is evenly divisible by the number four. Requires that the statewide direct primary election be held on that same day in March and consolidated with the presidential primary election during a presidential primary election year. Provides that the statewide direct primary election would continue to be held in June of an even-numbered year in which a presidential primary election is not held.
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AB 96 Budget Act of 2017	
AUTHOR:	Ting
INTRODUCED:	01/10/2017
AMENDED:	05/31/2017
STATUS:	05/31/2017 In Assembly. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on Budget.
CACEO POSITION:	No position
SUMMARY:	Makes appropriations for the support of state government for the 2017-18 fiscal year. Declares that it is to take effect immediately as a Budget Bill.

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 216 Vote by Mail Ballots: Identification Envelopes	
AUTHOR:	Gonzalez Fletcher and Low
INTRODUCED:	01/24/2017
AMENDED:	09/01/2017
STATUS:	09/15/2017 In Senate. From third reading. To Inactive File.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Clarifies that the elections official is required to deliver to each qualified vote by mail applicant an identification envelope for the return of the vote by mail ballot and requires the identification envelope to have prepaid postage.

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<u>AB 268</u> State Mandates	
AUTHOR:	Waldron
INTRODUCED:	02/01/2017
STATUS:	No action
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Makes a technical, nonsubstantive change to existing law which establishes the sole and exclusive procedure by which a local agency or school district may claim reimbursement for costs mandated by the Legislature or a state agency.

<u>*AB 467</u> Local Transportation Authorities: Transactions and Use Taxes	
AUTHOR:	Mullin
INTRODUCED:	02/13/2017
AMENDED:	08/23/2017
STATUS:	10/10/2017 Signed by Governor.
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.

<u>*AB 469</u> Candidate: Nomination Documents	
AUTHOR:	Cooper
INTRODUCED:	02/13/2017
AMENDED:	09/01/2017
STATUS:	09/19/2017 To Governor.
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.

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<u>AB 541</u> Presidential Elections: None of the Above Option	
AUTHOR:	Holden
INTRODUCED:	02/13/2017
STATUS:	02/27/2017 To Assembly Committee on E. & R.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the ballot for presidential electors to provide voters with the option of voting for "None of the Above". Requires that the total number of votes for "None of the Above" be listed in the statement of the vote and in other official listings of the election results. Makes conforming changes.

<u>*AB 606</u> State Voter Information Guides	
AUTHOR:	Berman
INTRODUCED:	02/14/2017
AMENDED:	05/03/2017
STATUS:	09/13/2017 To Governor.
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.

<u>*AB 660</u> 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.

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<u>AB 666</u> Elections: Voter Information: Candidate Statements	
AUTHOR:	Aguiar-Curry (Coauthor) Dodd
INTRODUCED:	02/14/2017
STATUS:	05/10/2017 In Senate Committee on E. & C.A.: Not heard.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires an elections official who posts a form on his or her Internet Web site for a candidate for State Senate or Assembly to use to submit his or her statement, as described, to accept that form when it is submitted in accordance with certain timeframes and procedures for the preparation of the voter information portion of the county voter information guide.

<u>*AB 668</u> Voting Modernization Bond Act of 2018	
AUTHOR:	Gonzalez Fletcher
INTRODUCED:	02/14/2017
AMENDED:	09/01/2017
STATUS:	09/15/2017 In Senate. From third reading. To Inactive File.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Provides for the submission of a ballot measure to the voters at the June 5, 2018 statewide direct primary election to approve the issuance and sale of bonds, as specified, for similar purposes. Authorizes the Voting Modernization Finance Committee and the Voting Modernization Board to administer the Voting Modernization Bond Act of 2018.

<u>AB 674</u> Election Day Holiday	
AUTHOR:	Low and Holden
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
AMENDED:	03/21/2017
STATUS:	06/20/2017 In Assembly. Coauthors revised.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides that the day on which a statewide general election is held, which is the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of any even-numbered year, is added to the lists of holidays, as specified. Requires community colleges and public schools to close on any day on which a statewide general election is held. Requires that state employees, with specified exceptions, be given time off with pay for days on which a statewide general election is held.

<u>*AB 722</u> Isla Vista Community Services District: Board of Directors	
AUTHOR:	Limon

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AB 722 (Continued) 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.

*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.
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 774 Political Reform Act of 1974: Contribution Limitations	
AUTHOR:	Harper (Coauthors) Gallagher and Moorlach
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
STATUS:	04/26/2017 In Assembly Committee on E. & R.: Reconsideration granted.
CACEO POSITION:	No position
SUMMARY:	Expands the scope of prohibitions under the Political Reform Act to prohibit a foreign government, principal, or national from making a contribution or expenditure, and a person or committee from soliciting or accepting this type of contribution, in connection with an election.

AB 775 Vote by Mail Ballots	
AUTHOR:	Harper
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
STATUS:	05/10/2017 In Assembly Committee on E. & R.: Reconsideration granted.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires that a ballot delivered to the elections official by a bona fide private mail delivery company includes documentation that the company received the ballot on or before election day.

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<u>AB 776</u> School District Elections: School Bond Measures	
AUTHOR:	Harper
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
AMENDED:	05/02/2017
STATUS:	07/12/2017 In Senate Committee on E. & C.A. Reconsideration granted.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the ballot label containing the statement of a school bond measure to direct voters to the voter information guide for information about the bond's effects on property taxes.

<u>AB 777</u> Vote by Mail Ballots: Fraudulent Signatures	
AUTHOR:	Harper
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
STATUS:	04/26/2017 In Assembly Committee on E. & R.: Reconsideration granted.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides for an increase in the maximum fine amount for a person who applies for a vote by mail ballot by fraudulently signing the name of a fictitious person, or of a regularly qualified voter, or of a person who is not qualified to vote.

<u>AB 781</u> Affidavits of Registration	
AUTHOR:	Harper
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
STATUS:	No action
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to existing law which prescribes the contents of a paper affidavit of registration and informs voters that they may qualify for confidential voter status, among other requirements.

<u>*AB 801</u> 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 211, 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-

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AB 801 (Continued) SUMMARY:	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.
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<u>AB 802</u> Voter Intimidation: Public Official: Disqualification	
AUTHOR:	Low
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
STATUS:	06/29/2017 In Assembly. Ordered returned to Senate. To Senate.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides that a public official is forever disqualified from holding office in the state if he or she is convicted of a felony for violating provisions related to voter intimidation.

<u>*AB 807</u> Daylight Saving Time	
AUTHOR:	Chu
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
AMENDED:	07/18/2017
STATUS:	09/14/2017 In Senate. From third reading. To Inactive File.
CACEO POSITION:	No position
SUMMARY:	Provides for the submission of a ballot measure to the voters to repeal the Daylight Saving Time Act and would require the standard time within the state to be that of the 5th Zone designated by federal law as Pacific standard time. Provides that it would become effective only upon approval of the voters.

<u>*AB 837</u> No Party Preference Voters: Partisan Primary Elections	
AUTHOR:	Low
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	08/28/2017
STATUS:	09/19/2017 To Governor.
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.

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***AB 840**

Elections: Vote by Mail and Provisional Ballots

AUTHOR:	Quirk (Coauthor) Gonzalez Fletcher
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	09/07/2017
STATUS:	09/26/2017 To Governor.
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 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.

AB 855

Voter Registration: Regulations

AUTHOR:	Low
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
STATUS:	09/05/2017 In Senate. Read second time. To third reading.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the Secretary of State, in adopting regulations which require each county to design and implement programs intended to identify electors who are not registered voters, and to register those persons to vote, to require each county to periodically update its programs. Requires the Secretary of State, if he or she finds that a county has not periodically updated its programs as required by regulation, to design a program for the county and report the violation to the Attorney General.

***AB 867**

Political Reform Act of 1974: Contributions

AUTHOR:	Cooley
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	04/17/2017
STATUS:	10/13/2017 Signed by Governor.
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.

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<u>AB 875</u> Petty theft: subsequent convictions	
AUTHOR:	Cooper, Cervantes, and Lackey
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	04/19/2017
STATUS:	04/19/2017 In Assembly. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on Public Safety.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides for the submission of a measure to the voters for the approval at the statewide general election to expand enhanced petty theft penalties to a person with a prior conviction for any serious or violent felony and to a person who has multiple prior convictions for crimes related to theft. Authorizes a court to grant deferred entry of judgment to a defendant who has multiple prior convictions for theft-related crimes under certain conditions. Provides that if the person performs satisfactorily during the deferred entry period, the criminal charges will be dismissed.

<u>*AB 894</u> Candidates' Statements: False Statements	
AUTHOR:	Frazier
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	07/18/2017
STATUS:	09/19/2017 To Governor.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Increases the fine for a candidate or incumbent who is convicted of violating a prohibition on knowingly making a false statement with the intent to mislead voters in connection with their nomination or election.

<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.

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<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.

<u>*AB 918</u> California Voting for All Act	
AUTHOR:	Bonta and Gonzalez (Coauthors) Hueso
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	09/08/2017
STATUS:	09/25/2017 To Governor.
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.

<u>*AB 939</u> Elections Precincts Postings	
AUTHOR:	Low
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
STATUS:	09/16/2017 In Senate. From third reading. To Inactive File.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the copies of the index to be by street address in numerical order.

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AB 943 Land Use Regulations: Local Initiatives: Voter Approval	
AUTHOR:	Santiago
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	07/19/2017
STATUS:	09/01/2017 In Senate Committee on Appropriations: Held in Committee.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Excludes the requirement that the proposal and submission to the voters of an ordinance or amendment of an ordinance by the legislative body and the adoption or amendment of a city or county charter. Limits application of such requirements with certain amount of population. Increases the vote threshold for approval of local ordinances or amendments of ordinances intended to reduce density or stop development or construction within a municipality.

*AB 973 Remote Accessible Vote by Mail System	
AUTHOR:	Low
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	07/19/2017
STATUS:	09/26/2017 To Governor.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires a county elections official, beginning January 1, 2020, to permit a voter with a disability, or a military or overseas voter, to cast his or her ballot using a certified remote accessible vote by mail system. Provides that the requirements would not apply to a county when conducting an all-mailed ballot election, as specified.

AB 985 Elections: Voter Identification	
AUTHOR:	Allen (Coauthor) Harper
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	04/19/2017
STATUS:	06/05/2017 Failed to pass in Assembly Committee on E. & R.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires that the identification envelope for returning a vote by mail ballot include the last 4 digits of the voter's California driver's license or identification card number or, if unavailable, the last 4 digits of the voter's social security number. Requires the identification envelope to contain a security flap to conceal the voter's information during mailing. Requires the elections official to verify the accuracy of the voter's numeric identifying information. Prohibits counting the ballot if the numeric identifying information cannot be verified. Requires a voter to provide photographic identification at the polling place before receiving a ballot. Specifies the forms of photographic identification. Authorizes the use of a photographic

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AB 985 (Continued) SUMMARY:	identification that has been expired for less than one year.
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*AB 1004 Secretary of State: Voter Information Web Site	
AUTHOR:	Calderon I
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	09/01/2017
STATUS:	09/27/2017 To Governor.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the Secretary of State to establish an Internet Web site that displays the names and contact information, including the phone number, email address, and office address, of each voter's local, state, and federal elected officials, which would be displayed upon a voter submitting his or her address information on the Internet Web site. Provides that it shall not be construed to prohibit the Secretary of State from exercising his or her authority under existing law to implement the bill's provisions.

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 1089 Local Elective Offices: Contribution Limitations	
AUTHOR:	Mullin
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	06/20/2017 In Assembly. Coauthors revised.
CACEO POSITION:	No position
SUMMARY:	Prohibits a person from making to a candidate for local elective office any a contribution totaling more than a certain amount. Authorizes a county, city, special district, or school district to impose a different limitation.

*AB 1104 The California Political Cyberfraud Abatement Act	
AUTHOR:	Chau

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AB 1104 (Continued) INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	04/19/2017
STATUS:	10/12/2017 Signed by Governor, Chapter 715, 2017 Statutes.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Modifies the definition of the terms "political cyberfraud" and "political Web site" to include Internet Web sites that urge or appear to urge the support or opposition of candidates for public office.

<u>AB 1154</u> 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.

<u>*AB 1194</u> Elections: Local Bond Measures: Tax Rate Statement	
AUTHOR:	Dababneh (Coauthors) Cooley and Harper
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	08/21/2017
STATUS:	09/20/2017 To Governor.
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.

<u>AB 1234</u> Political Reform Act of 1974: Contribution Limitations	
AUTHOR:	Levine
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	05/26/2017 In Assembly Committee on Appropriations: Held in committee.
CACEO POSITION:	No position
SUMMARY:	Provides that political party committees are subject to existing provisions which prohibits a public officer from expending or accepting any public moneys for the purpose of seeking elective office, and which imposes

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AB 1234 (Continued) SUMMARY:	various limitations on contributions.
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<u>AB 1250</u> Counties: Contracts for Personal Services	
AUTHOR:	Jones-Sawyer (Coauthor) Gonzalez Fletcher
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	09/05/2017
STATUS:	09/05/2017 In Senate. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on Rules.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Establishes specific standards for the use of personal services contracts by counties. Provides that a county or county agency may contract for personal services currently or customarily performed by employees, as applicable, when specified conditions are met. Requires the county to clearly demonstrate that the proposed contract will result in actual overall costs savings to the county and also to show that the contract does not cause the displacement of county workers. Provides that exempts certain types of contracts from its provisions, and exempts a city and county from its provisions. Provides that its provisions are severable.

<u>AB 1326</u> Petty theft: Subsequent Convictions	
AUTHOR:	Cooper and Cervantes
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	04/17/2017
STATUS:	04/24/2017 Failed to pass Assembly Committee on Public Safety.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides for the submission of a measure to the voters at the statewide general election for approval to expand enhanced petty theft penalties to a person who has a prior conviction for any serious or violent felony, and to any person who as three or more prior convictions for crimes such as petty theft, grand theft, and burglary.

<u>AB 1333</u> Political Reform Act of 1974: Local Government Agency Notices	
AUTHOR:	Dababneh
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	05/18/2017
STATUS:	05/26/2017 In Assembly Committee on Appropriations: Held in committee.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires every local government agency to prominently post on its Internet Web site a notice of any upcoming election in which voters will vote on a tax measure or proposed bond issuance of the agency. Requires every local government agency that publishes an electronic newsletter to include the

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AB 1333 (Continued) SUMMARY:	notice in the electronic newsletter.
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*AB 1344 Voting Rights: Inmates and Persons Formerly Incarcerated	
AUTHOR:	Weber (Coauthor) Hertzberg
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	08/28/2017
STATUS:	09/19/2017 To Governor.
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 1362 Veterans Bond Acts	
AUTHOR:	Irwin
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	03/22/2017
STATUS:	03/22/2017 In Assembly Committee. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on Housing & Community Development.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides for the submission of a ballot measure to be submitted to voters to enact the Veterans Housing and Homeless Prevention Bond Act of 2017, authorize the issuance of bonds to provide additional funding for the VHHPA, and enact the Veterans Farm and Home Bond Act of 2017 to authorize the issuance of bonds to provide additional funding for that program. Urgency statute.

*AB 1367 Improper Signature-Gathering Tactics	
AUTHOR:	Berman
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	05/22/2017
STATUS:	09/12/2017 To Governor.
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

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AB 1367 (Continued) SUMMARY:	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.
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<u>*AB 1403</u> Military and Overseas Voters	
AUTHOR:	Obernolte
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	09/07/2017
STATUS:	09/26/2017 To Governor.
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.

<u>*AB 1407</u> California New Motor Voter Program: Voter Registration	
AUTHOR:	McCarty and Gonzalez Fletcher
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	09/08/2017
STATUS:	09/11/2017 In Senate. Read second time. To third reading.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the Department of Motor Vehicles to report to the Secretary of State that an applicant has attested that he or she meets the voter preregistration requirements for a person who is at least 16 years of age and otherwise meets all voter eligibility requirements. Provides that the prescribed information submitted by the department to the Secretary of State constitutes a completed or submitted affidavit of registration and the Secretary would be required to register or preregister the person to vote, except as specified. Makes conforming changes.

<u>AB 1463</u> Election of Judges: Working Group	
AUTHOR:	Levine

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AB 1463 (Continued) INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	04/20/2017
STATUS:	05/26/2017 In Assembly Committee on Appropriations: Held in committee.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Establishes, until January 1, 2021, a working group with a membership appointed by the Judicial Council, as specified, to improve voter education of candidates for judicial election. Requires the working group to meet to consider what information would be useful to voters in a judicial election and how to make this information accessible to voters. Requires the Judicial Council to report the working group's findings to the Legislature on or before January 1, 2020.

*AB 1479 Public Records: Custodian of Records: Civil Penalties	
AUTHOR:	Bonta
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	09/01/2017
STATUS:	10/13/2017 Vetoed by Governor.
CACEO POSITION:	Opposed
SUMMARY:	Requires, until January 1, 2023, public agencies to designate a person or persons, or office or offices to act as the agency's custodian of records who is responsible for responding to any request made pursuant to the California Public Records Act and any inquiry from the public about a decision by the agency to deny a request for records. Authorizes a court, until January 1, 2023, that finds by preponderance of the evidence that an agency, knowingly and willfully without substantial justification, failed to respond to a request for records, improperly withheld from a member of the public, public records that were clearly subject to public disclosure, unreasonably delayed providing the contents of a record subject to disclosure in whole or in part, or improperly assessed a fee upon a requester that exceeded the direct cost of duplication, or otherwise did not act in good faith to comply with these provisions, to assess a civil penalty against the agency in a specified amount. Makes legislative findings. Makes other conforming changes.

AB 1500 Elders Living with Dignity, Empathy, Respect, and Serenity (ELDERS) Bond Act of 2018	
AUTHOR:	Maienschein
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	03/16/2017 To Assembly Committee on Aging & Long Term Care.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides for the submission of a ballot measure to the voters at the general statewide election on November 6, 2018 to authorize the Elders Living with

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AB 1500 (Continued) SUMMARY:	Dignity, Empathy, Respect, and Serenity Bond Act of 2018, and authorizes the state to issue and sell bonds, the proceeds of which would be placed in a fund to be used for the purpose of renovating, or constructing, or purchasing equipment for, specialized day services centers for dementia, funding startup costs of programs, or program expansion of eligible facilities.
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<u>*AB 1516</u> 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.

<u>AB 1524</u> Political Reform Act of 1974: Mass Mailing Prohibitions	
AUTHOR:	Brough
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	03/16/2017 To Assembly Committee on E. & R.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Prohibits, within 90 days preceding an election, the sending of a mass mailing by either a candidate, or on his or her behalf, if the candidate's name will be on the ballot at that election, or an agency, if a measure on the ballot at that election will have a direct financial impact on the agency, except as specified.

<u>AB 1596</u> Local Government: Enhanced Infrastructure Financing Districts	
AUTHOR:	Gloria
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	03/16/2017 To Assembly Committee on Local Government.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the clerk to publish the resolution to form an enhanced infrastructure district and infrastructure financing plan on the Internet Web Site of the public financing authority, if it has one.

<u>AB 1632</u> Elections: Write-In Candidates	
AUTHOR:	Dababneh

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AB 1632 (Continued) INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	03/28/2017
STATUS:	03/28/2017 In Assembly. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on E. & R.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires a write-in candidate for a voter-nominated office who advances to the general election to pay the prescribed filing fee in order to appear on the general election ballot.

*AB 1678 Public Agencies: Political Activities: Dedicated Fund	
AUTHOR:	Berman
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	05/02/2017
STATUS:	09/11/2017 In Senate. Read third time. To Inactive File.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Specifies that existing law which, prohibits a public officer from expending and a candidate from accepting any public moneys for the purpose of seeking elective office does not prohibit a school district, community college district, or local agency from establishing and implementing a dedicated fund as specified in statute for the funding of candidates for elective office.

*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 from the date of the proponent's last examination.

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

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AB 1730 (Continued) SUMMARY:	all of the information required. Makes a conforming change.
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*ACA 10 Elections: Voter Qualifications	
AUTHOR:	Low
INTRODUCED:	03/06/2017
STATUS:	09/12/2017 In Assembly. Motion to reconsider.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Reduces the minimum voting age to 17.

ACA 16 Redistricting: Senate Districts	
AUTHOR:	Gallagher
INTRODUCED:	06/07/2017
STATUS:	06/07/2017 Introduced.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Modifies the redistricting process for the drawing of Senate district lines by requiring the Citizens Redistricting Commission to establish eight geographical regions that each include five Senate districts. Eliminates the requirements that, to the extent practicable, each Senate district be comprised of two adjacent Assembly districts and that each Board of Equalization district be comprised of ten adjacent Senate districts.

*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:	09/22/2017 To Governor.

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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.

<u>SB 72</u> Budget Act of 2017	
AUTHOR:	Mitchell
INTRODUCED:	01/10/2017
AMENDED:	05/26/2017
STATUS:	05/26/2017 In Senate. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Budget Act of 2017

<u>SB 96</u> 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.

<u>SB 117</u> Elections	
AUTHOR:	Senate Budget and Fiscal Review Committee

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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 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.

<u>*SB 149</u> Presidential Primary Elections: Ballot Access	
AUTHOR:	McGuire and Wiener
INTRODUCED:	01/18/2017
AMENDED:	08/21/2017
STATUS:	09/21/2017 To Governor.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Enacts the Presidential Tax Transparency and Accountability Act. Requires a candidate for President, in order to have his or her name placed upon a primary election ballot, to file his or her income tax returns for the five most recent taxable years with the Secretary of State, as specified. Requires the Secretary of State, after adopting regulations, to redact the income tax returns of Presidential candidates as necessary to protect individual privacy, as specified, and subsequently to make the returns available to the public on the Secretary of State's Internet Web site.

<u>SB 154</u> Voter registration: California New Motor Voter Program	
AUTHOR:	Anderson
INTRODUCED:	01/18/2017
STATUS:	01/26/2017 To Senate Committee on Rules.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Makes a nonsubstantive change to existing law which requires the Department of Motor Vehicles to provide to the Secretary of State specified information associated with each person who submits an application for a driver's license or state identification, or who notifies the department of a change of address, for voter registration purposes.

<u>SB 163</u> Elections: Residence: Domicile	
AUTHOR:	Bradford
INTRODUCED:	01/19/2017
AMENDED:	04/18/2017
STATUS:	04/25/2017 In Senate Committee on Judiciary: Not heard.

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SB 163 (Continued) CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Specifies that the domicile of a Member of the Legislature or a Representative in Congress is to be determined solely by the operation of this conclusive presumption and not by the above-described factual criteria otherwise used to determine a person's domicile.

*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 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:	09/22/2017 To Governor.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires a slate mailer organization to disclose on the mailing, whether the slate mailer represents public safety personnel.

*SB 286 Elections: Voting	
AUTHOR:	Stern (Coauthor) Low
INTRODUCED:	02/09/2017
AMENDED:	09/07/2017
STATUS:	09/19/2017 To Governor.
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

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SB 286 (Continued) SUMMARY:	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.
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<u>SB 332</u> 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.

<u>SB 348</u> County Voter Information Guide: Taxpayer Notice	
AUTHOR:	Leyva
INTRODUCED:	02/14/2017
AMENDED:	03/20/2017
STATUS:	06/14/2017 From Assembly Committee on E. & R.: Do pass to Committee on Local Government.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires, if a local special tax measure is presented to the voters for approval, an elections official to include in the county voter information guide for that election a notice regarding the process for initiating a validation action challenging the levy of a special tax. Requires the notice to conform with certain formatting, print, and type requirements and include language notifying taxpayers of the 60-day filing requirement for challenging the imposition of a special tax.

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<u>SB 365</u> 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.

<u>SB 397</u> Elections	
AUTHOR:	Berryhill
INTRODUCED:	02/15/2017
STATUS:	02/23/2017 To Senate Committee on Rules.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Makes nonsubstantive changes to existing law which prohibits an officer, employee, or consultant of a local agency from expending or authorizing the expenditure of funds of the local agency to support or oppose the approval or rejection of a ballot measure, or the election or defeat of a candidate, by the voters.

<u>*SB 511</u> Elections: Secretary of State	
AUTHOR:	Stern
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
AMENDED:	03/28/2017
STATUS:	09/30/2017 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.

<u>SB 529</u> Inspection of Public Records	
AUTHOR:	Nguyen
INTRODUCED:	02/16/2017
STATUS:	03/02/2017 In Senate Committee on E. & C.A. and Judiciary.
CACEO POSITION:	Support
SUMMARY:	Requires that nomination documents and signatures in lieu of filing fee

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SB 529 (Continued) SUMMARY:	petitions be furnished promptly upon request, and clarifies that a member of the public need not request these records pursuant to the Public Records Act. Provides for the furnishing of committee campaign statements.
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<u>*SB 568</u> 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.

<u>*SB 595</u> 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.
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.

<u>*SB 597</u> Human Trafficking: Victim Confidentiality	
AUTHOR:	Leyva
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	06/21/2017
STATUS:	10/07/2017 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

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SB 597 (Continued) SUMMARY:	to a victim of human trafficking and household members of victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking, or human trafficking. Makes additional conforming changes.
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<u>SB 609</u> Elections: Local Initiative and Referendum Measures	
AUTHOR:	Vidak
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	04/18/2017 In Senate Committee on E. & C.A.: Reconsideration granted.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires an elections official to immediately place an initiative measure on the election ballot for which it qualifies if the official finds a specified petition to be sufficient. Applies this procedure to municipal, county, and district initiative measures, including city and city and county charter proposals, and to municipal referendum measures.

<u>*SB 634</u> Santa Clarita Valley Water Agency	
AUTHOR:	Wilk
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	09/08/2017
STATUS:	09/22/2017
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.

<u>*SB 651</u> Initiative, Referendum, and Recall Petitions: Circulators	
AUTHOR:	Allen
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	07/05/2017
STATUS:	09/13/2017 In Assembly. To Inactive File.
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SB 651 (Continued) SUMMARY:	Requires that a state or local initiative, referendum, or recall petition circulated by a paid circulator to include a disclosure statement identifying the persons from whom the committee received the five largest cumulative contributions or more in support of the measure and the name of their employer. Requires a statewide initiative, referendum, or recall petition to include a disclosure, as specified, notifying the public that the petition circulator is receiving money or other valuable consideration for the specific purpose of soliciting signatures of electors, or is a volunteer or employee of a nonprofit organization.
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<u>SB 665</u> 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.

<u>SB 682</u> Online Voter Registration	
AUTHOR:	Nielsen
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	04/20/2017
STATUS:	05/25/2017 In Senate Committee on Appropriations: Held in committee.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Prohibits the Department of Motor Vehicles from transferring the electronic information of voter registration applicants who obtained an original driver's license without submitting satisfactory proof of their presence in the United States under federal law.

<u>SB 726</u> Taxation: Estate, Gift, and Generation-Skipping Transfer Taxes	
AUTHOR:	Wiener
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	03/23/2017
STATUS:	03/29/2017 Re-referred to Senate Committee on Governance & Finance.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Provides for the submission of a ballot measure to be submitted to the voters at a special election to be consolidated with the next statewide

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SB 726 (Continued) SUMMARY:	general election to propose to the voters a repeal of an initiative measure prohibiting the imposition of a tax on any transfer occurring by reason of death, and imposes estate, gift, and generation-skipping transfer taxes upon certain estates.
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<u>SB 734</u> Voters: Online Voter Registration	
AUTHOR:	Fuller
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	04/18/2017 In Senate Committee on Judiciary: Not heard.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the security measures related to voter registration affidavits on the Secretary of State's Internet Web site to include capturing and maintaining the Internet Protocol address from which each electronic voter registration affidavit is submitted.

<u>SB 735</u> Elections: Provisional Ballots	
AUTHOR:	Fuller
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	03/09/2017 To Senate Committee on Rules.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to existing law which provides that at all elections a voter claiming to be properly registered, but whose qualifications or entitlement to vote cannot be immediately established, is entitled to vote a provisional ballot.

<u>SB 736</u> Vote by Mail Ballot Drop-Off Locations	
AUTHOR:	Fuller
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	03/09/2017 To Senate Committee on Rules.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Makes a technical, nonsubstantive change to existing law which requires the Secretary of State, to promulgate regulations establishing guidelines based on best practices for security measures and procedures that a county elections official may use if he or she establishes one or more vote by ballot drop off locations.

<u>SB 737</u> Initiative Measures: Circulating Title and Summary	
AUTHOR:	Fuller
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017

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SB 737 (Continued) STATUS:	03/09/2017 To Senate Committee on Rules.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires the Attorney General to prepare a circulating title and summary of the chief purposes and points of a proposed initiative measure. Makes nonsubstantive changes.

<u>SB 738</u> Political Reform Act of 1974	
AUTHOR:	Fuller
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	03/09/2017 To Senate Committee on Rules.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Makes a technical, nonsubstantive change to the Political Reform Act of 1974 which generally requires elected officials, candidates for elective office, and committees formed primarily to support or oppose a candidate for public office or a ballot measure, along with other entities, to file periodic campaign statements.

<u>SB 759</u> Elections: Vote by Mail Ballots	
AUTHOR:	McGuire
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
AMENDED:	09/08/2017
STATUS:	09/11/2017 Re-referred to Senate Committee on Rules
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Eliminates the prohibition on counting a ballot from an identification envelope that could not be verified. Requires the elections official to offer the voter an opportunity to verify his or her signature.

<u>SCA 6</u> Local Transportation Measure: Special Taxes: Voter Approval	
AUTHOR:	Wiener
INTRODUCED:	02/13/2017
AMENDED:	05/01/2017
STATUS:	05/25/2017 In Senate Committee on Appropriations: Held in committee.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Requires that the imposition, extension, or increase by a local government of a special tax as may otherwise be authorized by law, whether a sales or transactions and use tax, parcel tax, or other tax for the purpose of providing funding for transportation purposes be submitted to the electorate by ordinance and approved by a certain percentage of the voters voting on the proposition.

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Elections: Nonpartisan Offices

AUTHOR:	Lara
INTRODUCED:	02/17/2017
STATUS:	03/02/2017 To Senate Committee on E. & C.A. and Appropriations.
CACEO POSITION:	Watch
SUMMARY:	Permits school, county and city offices, except the office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, to be partisan offices.

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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.

ASSEMBLY BILLS	66
SENATE BILLS	34
TOTAL	100

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