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Measure	Author	Topic	Last Amended	Location	Calendar	Brief Summary	Position	Priority
AB 22	McCarty D	California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System: data collection.	6/13/2022	6/30/2022-S. APPR.		Gut and Amend; This bill would require, pupil data to be collected from all grade levels, inclusive of transitional kindergarten programs, which would be required to be collected separately from kindergarten pupil data.	Watch	
AB 92	Reyes D	Preschool and childcare and development services: family fees.	6/14/2021	6/28/2022-S. APPR.	8/1/2022 10 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 2200	Will be amended to remove family fee waiver language (already in the State Budget), Current law requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to establish a fee schedule for families using preschool and childcare and development services, as specified, and requires family fees, not to exceed 10% of the family's monthly income, to be assessed at initial enrollment and reassessed at the update of certification or recertification. Current law exempts certain families from those fees. Current law, as of July 1, 2021, transfers those services and responsibility from the State Department of Education to the State Department of Social Services. This bill would, among other things, instead require the family fees to not exceed 1% of the family's monthly income. The bill would require the lead agency to convene a workgroup of, among others, parents, childcare providers, and lead agency staff to develop an equitable fee schedule, as specified.	Co-Sponsor	Level A
AB 210	Committee on Budget	Early childhood: childcare and education.	6/25/2022	6/30/2022-A. CHAPTERED		Budget Tractor Bill that includes language to extend the waiving of family fees for subsidized child care through June 30, 2023.	Sponsor	Level A
AB 316	Cooper D	State employees: under-represented groups.	6/23/2022	6/27/2022-S. THIRD READING		This bill would require that each state agency, prior to January 1, 2024, and once every 2 years thereafter, establish a plan to recruit, attract, and retain employees identified as belonging to these underutilized groups. The bill would further require that the Department of Human Resources, by January 1, 2024, develop and implement a monitoring and compliance program to address deficiencies, and provide guidance and recommendations.	Support	Level C
AB 1287	Bauer-Kahan D	Price discrimination: gender.	6/13/2022	6/27/2022-S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE		Would prohibit a person, firm, partnership, company, corporation, or business from charging a different price for any 2 goods that are substantially similar, as defined, if those goods are priced differently based on the gender of the individuals for whom the goods are marketed	Support	Level C

						and intended. The bill would authorize the Attorney General to seek an injunction to enjoin and restrain the continuance of those violations, and would authorize the court, in addition to granting the injunction, to impose a civil penalty not to exceed \$10,000.		
AB 1666	Bauer-Kahan D	Abortion: civil actions.	5/5/2022	6/24/2022-A. CHAPTERED		Would declare another state's law authorizing a civil action against a person or entity that receives or seeks, performs or induces, or aids or abets the performance of an abortion, or who attempts or intends to engage in those actions, to be contrary to the public policy of this state. The bill would prohibit the application of that law to a case or controversy heard in state court, and would prohibit the enforcement or satisfaction of a civil judgment received under that law. The bill would declare these provisions to be severable.	Co Sponsor/ Sponsor	Level A
AB 1788	Cunningham R	Sex trafficking: hotels: actual knowledge or reckless disregard: civil penalty.	6/13/2022	6/27/2022-S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE		Would allow civil penalties to be imposed against a hotel, as defined, if a supervisory employee, as defined, of the hotel knew of or acted with reckless disregard of the activity constituting sex trafficking activity, as defined, that occurred within the hotel and failed to inform law enforcement, the National Human Trafficking Hotline, or another appropriate victim service organization, as specified, or if any employee of that hotel knowingly benefited from participating in a venture that the employee knew, or acted in reckless disregard of the activity constituting sex trafficking activity within the hotel.	Support	Level C
AB 1844	Medina D	Higher Education Student, Staff, and Faculty Protection Act.	4/20/2022	5/20/2022-A. DEAD		This bill, the Higher Education Student, Staff, and Faculty Protection Act, would, beginning January 1, 2023, require the 3 segments of public postsecondary education to take certain actions before extending an official offer of employment to an applicant, as defined, including requesting that an applicant sign a statement declaring whether the applicant is the subject of an informal resolution process with an outcome used to resolve an allegation following the filing of a formal Title IX sexual harassment complaint, or any substantiated Title IX sexual harassment complaints, as specified, and authorizing the applicant's current and past employers to disclose to the hiring institution whether the applicant was the subject of an informal resolution process with an outcome used to resolve an allegation following the filing of a formal Title IX sexual harassment complaint, or any substantiated Title IX sexual harassment complaints. The bill would prohibit these public postsecondary educational institutions from hiring an applicant who does not sign the requested statement.	Support	Level C
AB 1930	Arambula D	Medi-Cal: comprehensive perinatal services.	3/16/2022	6/27/2022-S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE		This bill, during the one-year post pregnancy eligibility period, and as part of comprehensive perinatal services under Medi-Cal, would require the department to cover additional comprehensive perinatal assessments and individualized care plans and to provide additional visits and units of services in an amount, duration, and scope that are at least proportional to those available on July 27, 2021, during pregnancy and the initial 60-day post pregnancy period in effect on that date. The bill would require the department to collaborate with the State Department of Public Health and a broad stakeholder group to determine the specific number of additional comprehensive perinatal assessments, individualized care plans, visits,	Support	Level C

						and units of services to be covered.		
AB 1949	Low D	Employees: bereavement leave.	6/30/2022	6/29/2022-S. APPR.		This bill would make it an unlawful employment practice for an employer to refuse to grant a request by an eligible employee to take up to 5 days of bereavement leave upon the death of a family member, as defined. The bill would require that leave be completed within 3 months of the date of death. The bill would require that leave be taken pursuant to any existing bereavement leave policy of the employer. Under the bill, in the absence of an existing policy, the bereavement leave would be unpaid, however, the bill would authorize an employee to use certain other leave balances otherwise available to the employee, including accrued and available paid sick leave.	Support	Level C
AB 1968	Seyarto R	Public postsecondary education: uniform informational guidance for sexual assault survivors.	3/17/2022	6/27/2022-A. ENROLLMENT – To Governor		This bill would require the Trustees of the California State University, and request the Regents of the University of California, to develop content and presentation standards and a model internet website template regarding the steps a campus community member who is a survivor of sexual assault may take immediately following the assault, as provided. The bill would require each campus of the California State University and request each campus of the University of California to develop and post on its campus internet website informational guidance regarding those steps based on those standards and model, as provided.		Level A
AB 2018	Santiago D	Personal Income Tax Law: refundable credit: student loan debt.	3/17/2022	3/17/2022-A. REV. & TAX DEAD		The Personal Income Tax Law allows various credits against the taxes imposed by that law. Current law establishes the continuously appropriated Tax Relief and Refund Account and provides that payments required to be made to taxpayers or other persons from the Personal Income Tax Fund are to be paid from that account, including any amount to be paid as a refundable tax credit in excess of any tax liabilities. This bill would, for the taxable year beginning on or after January 1, 2022, and before January 1, 2023, allow a credit against those taxes for a qualified taxpayer in a specified amount. The bill would define “qualified taxpayer” for this purpose to mean a taxpayer with a degree from a university headquartered in the state who has worked in public service, as defined, for at least 5 years, and who has at least \$5,000 in federal student loan debt, as defined. The bill would provide the amount of the credit would be equal to the lesser of the federal student loan debt of the qualified taxpayer or \$10,000.	Support	Level C
AB 2024	Friedman D	Health care coverage: diagnostic imaging.	6/15/2022	6/30/2022-S. APPR.		Would require a health care service plan contract, health insurance policy, or self-insured employee welfare benefit plan issued, amended, or renewed on or after January 1, 2023, to provide coverage for screening mammography, medically necessary diagnostic or supplemental breast examinations, or testing for screening or diagnostic purposes upon referral by specified professionals. The bill would prohibit a health care service plan contract, health insurance policy, or self-insured employee welfare benefit plan issued, amended, or renewed on or after January 1, 2023, from imposing cost sharing for screening mammography, medically necessary or supplemental breast examinations, or testing, unless the contract or policy is a high deductible health plan and the deductible has not been satisfied for the year.	Support	Level C

AB 2040	Maienschein D	Criminal procedure: restraining order violation.	3/24/2022	5/20/2022-A. DEAD		Current law prohibits the intentional and knowing violation of a protective order, as specified. A violation of this prohibition is a misdemeanor. Current law requires a minimum term of imprisonment if the violation results in physical injury. Current law also makes a subsequent violation of these provisions after a conviction, as specified, punishable as either a misdemeanor or a felony. This bill would make a violation of this prohibition that involves a protective order between specified parties and that involves the restrained person forcibly entering or trespassing within the residential dwelling, as defined, of the protected party punishable by a fine not exceeding \$2,000, or by imprisonment in a county jail for not less than 30 days nor more than one year, or by both that fine and imprisonment, except as specified.	Support	Level C
AB 2193	Gabriel D	Civil representation: immigration status.	6/23/2022	6/27/2022-S. APPR.	8/1/2022 10 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 2200	The Sargent Shriver Civil Counsel Act requires legal counsel to be appointed to represent low-income parties in civil matters involving critical issues affecting basic human needs in courts selected by the Judicial Council. This bill would require the programs to provide services without regard to the citizenship or immigration status of the person represented.	Support	Level C
AB 2223	Wicks D	Reproductive health.	6/20/2022	6/30/2022-S. APPR.		This bill would delete the requirement that a coroner hold inquests for deaths related to or following known or suspected self-induced or criminal abortion, and would delete the requirement that an unattended fetal death be handled as a death without medical attendance. The bill would prohibit using the coroner's statements on the certificate of fetal death to establish, bring, or support a criminal prosecution or civil cause of damages against a person who is immune from liability based on their actions or omissions with respect to their pregnancy or actual, potential, or alleged pregnancy outcome, or who aids a pregnant person in exercising their rights under the Reproductive Privacy Act, as specified.	Support	Level B
AB 2277	Reyes D	CalWORKs: victims of abuse.		6/27/2022-S. APPR. SUSPENS E FILE		Current federal law provides for the allocation of federal funds through the federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) block grant program to eligible states. Current law provides for the California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) program under which, through a combination of state and county funds and federal funds received through the TANF program, each county provides cash assistance and other benefits to qualified low-income families. Existing law authorizes a county to waive a program requirement for a recipient who has been identified as a past or present victim of abuse when it has been determined that good cause exists. This bill would instead require a county to waive a program requirement for a recipient who has been identified as a past or present victim of abuse when it has been determined that good cause exists.	Support	Level C
AB 2408	Cunningham R	Social media platform: child users: addiction.	6/30/2022	6/29/2022-S. APPR.		This bill, the Social Media Platform Duty to Children Act, would prohibit a social media platform, as defined, from using a design, feature, or affordance that the platform knew, or by the exercise of reasonable care should have known, causes a child user, as defined, to become addicted to the platform. The act would authorize the Attorney General or a district attorney, county counsel, or city attorney to bring an action to recover or	Support	Level C

						obtain certain relief, including a civil penalty of up to \$250,000 for a knowing and willful violation, and an award of litigation costs and attorneys' fees. The bill would provide that a social media platform is not subject to a civil penalty if it demonstrates that it met certain requirements, and would exempt a social media platform that is controlled by a business entity that generated less than \$100,000,000 in gross revenue during the preceding calendar year or whose primary function is to allow users to play video games. This bill contains other existing laws.		
AB 2482	Calderon D	Public postsecondary education: student health: pilot program: wellness vending machines.	6/28/2022	6/22/2022-S. APPR.	8/1/2022 10 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 2200	Would establish a pilot program, until July 1, 2029, that would require the California State University and the California Community Colleges to establish at 5 campuses of their segments at least one vending machine that dispenses wellness products, as provided. Participation of community colleges under the pilot program would be voluntary. This bill would request the University of California to establish at any number of campuses of their segment at least one vending machine that dispenses wellness products, as provided.	Support	Level C
AB 2525	Bryan D	School employees: dismissal or suspension: hate violence.		5/6/2022-A. DEAD		This bill would expand the definition of "hate violence" to include these hate crimes to the extent they are not already included, and to include crimes committed based on actual or perceived gender expression or gender identity, for purposes of the State Board of Education's actions aimed at discouraging the development of discriminatory attitudes in schools and at preventing and responding to hate violence.	Support	Level C
AB 2806	Rubio, Blanca D	Childcare and developmental services: preschool: expulsion and suspension: mental health services: reimbursement rates.	6/20/2022	6/28/2022-S. APPR.	8/1/2022 10 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 2200	This bill would revise and recast the provisions relating to the expulsion or unenrollment of a child from the state preschool program and would include a general childcare and development program and family childcare home education network program as part of those provisions, as provided. The bill would also establish requirements for the use of suspensions in the programs described above.		Level C
AB 2815	Berman D	Elections: vote by mail ballot drop-off locations.	4/7/2022	6/21/2022-S. APPR.	8/1/2022 10 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 2200	The bill would require an elections official, when selecting ballot drop-off locations under existing law, to give preference to locations on certain California Community college campuses. These requirements would apply only to a campus that would be in session for its fall, winter, or spring term on the day of the election.	Support	Level C
AB 2832	Rivas, Robert D	Whole Child Community Equity.	6/30/2022	6/29/2022-S. APPR.		This bill would require the State Department of Social Services and the State Department of Education, and with input from the Early Childhood Policy Council, First 5 California, and other early childhood stakeholders, to develop the Whole Child Equity Framework (the Framework) and Whole Child Community Equity Screening Tool (the Equity Tool) to provide the data needed to support the equitable distribution of resources and monitor progress on addressing racial and economic inequities. The bill would require the departments to convene a workgroup to receive	Watch	

						input for the development of the Framework, the Equity Tool, and recommended uses of the Equity Tool for early childhood investments and whole child resources. The bill would require the workgroup to include, among other things, representatives from county offices of education. The bill would require the departments, on or before January 1, 2024, to finalize and present the Framework, the Equity Tool, and recommended uses of the Equity Tool to the Legislature. The bill would also require the departments to publish the tool for public use, including the data and methodology, on the departments' internet website.		
AB 2881	Berman D	Public postsecondary education: students with dependent children.	6/20/2022	6/29/2022-S. APPR.	8/1/2022 10 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 2200	Would require the California State University and each community college district, and request the University of California, with respect to each campus in their respective jurisdictions that administers a priority enrollment system, to grant priority in that system for registration for enrollment to a student parent, as defined.	Support	Level B
AJR 23	Boerner Horvath D	Title IX: 50th anniversary.	2/22/2022	6/27/2022-S. RLS.		Would, on June 23, 2022, commemorate the 50th anniversary of the enactment of Title IX, and would urge Californians to continue to work together to achieve the goals set by Title IX, as specified.	Co Sponsor/ Sponsor	Level A
SB 17	Pan D	Office of Racial Equity.	7/1/2021	6/29/2022-A. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE		Would, until January 1, 2029, would establish in state government an Office of Racial Equity, an independent public entity not affiliated with an agency or department, governed by a Racial Equity Advisory and Accountability Council. The bill would task the office with coordinating, analyzing, developing, evaluating, and recommending strategies for advancing racial equity across state agencies, departments, and the office of the Governor. The bill would require the office, in consultation with state agencies, departments, and public stakeholders, as appropriate, to develop a statewide Racial Equity Framework that includes a strategic plan with policy and inclusive practice recommendations, guidelines, goals, and benchmarks to reduce racial inequities, promote racial equity, and address individual, institutional, and structural racism.	Support	Level C
SB 70	Rubio D	Elementary education: kindergarten.	6/20/2022	6/16/2022-A. APPR.	8/3/2022 9 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 1100	This bill, beginning with the 2024–25 school year, would require a child to have completed one year of kindergarten before that child may be admitted to the first grade at a public elementary school, except for a child who has been lawfully admitted to a public school kindergarten or a private school kindergarten in California, but has not yet completed one school year, and is judged to be ready for first-grade work, as specified, thereby imposing a state-mandated local program.	Support	Level C
SB 523	Leyva D	Health care coverage: contraceptives.	7/8/2021	8/27/2021-A. 2 YEAR		This bill, the Contraceptive Equity Act of 2021, would make changes to existing law to expand coverage of contraceptives by a health care service plan contract or health insurance policy issued, amended, renewed, or delivered on and after January 1, 2022, including requiring a health care service plan or health insurer to provide point-of-sale coverage for over-the-counter FDA-approved contraceptive drugs, devices, and products at in-network pharmacies without cost sharing or medical management restrictions.	Support	Level B
SB 951	Durazo D	Unemployment	6/14/2022	6/22/2022-	8/3/2022	Under current law, the remuneration of a worker over a specified amount	Support	Level C

		insurance: contribution rates: disability insurance: paid family leave: weekly benefit amount.		A. APPR.	9 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 1100	is not subject to the contribution levels described above. Under current law, specifically, the worker contribution provision does not apply to that part of a worker's remuneration which is paid after remuneration with respect to employment equal to 4 times the maximum weekly benefit for each calendar year specified, multiplied by 13 and divided by 55%, has been paid to an individual by an employer. This bill would remove that limitation.		
SB 1017	Eggman D	Leases: termination of tenancy: abuse or violence.	6/22/2022	6/23/2022- A. THIRD READING		Current law limits the amount of rent for which the tenant who is a domestic violence, sexual assault or stalking victim is responsible to not more than 14 calendar days after the notice is given and requires the tenant to be released from responsibility for making other rent payments under the lease, as specified. This bill would make a landlord or agent liable to the tenant for actual damages and, except as specified, statutory damages of not less than \$100 and more than \$5,000 in a civil action for violation of these provisions.	Support	Level C
SB 1083	Skinner D	CalWORKs: pregnancy and homeless assistance.	6/8/2022	6/28/2022- A. APPR.	8/3/2022 9 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 1100	Current law requires \$47 per month to be paid to a pregnant person qualified for CalWORKs aid to meet special needs resulting from pregnancy, and requires county human services agencies to refer all these recipients of aid to a local provider of the California Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children. This bill would, among other things, also require county human services agencies to refer those recipients to perinatal home visiting services administered by county public health agencies, county human services agencies, or applicable county home visiting providers.	Support	Level C
SB 1115	Skinner D	Department of Industrial Relations: annual survey: Women in Construction Priority Unit.	3/29/2022	6/29/2022- A. APPR. SUSPENS E FILE		Current law authorizes a joint apprenticeship committee, unilateral management or labor apprenticeship committee, or an individual employer to administer an apprenticeship program, as prescribed. Current law requires the department to conduct an annual survey of the ethnic derivation of the individuals who are parties to apprentice agreements pursuant to that provision. This bill would require the annual survey to additionally include the gender of the individuals who are parties to those apprentice agreements.	Support	Level C
SB 1131	Newman D	Address confidentiality: public entity employees and contractors.	6/23/2022	6/28/2022- A. APPR.	8/3/2022 9 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 1100	This bill would authorize an applicant seeking address confidentiality through the Secretary of State under this program to submit a certified statement by the employee, patient, or volunteer for a reproductive health care services facility that they have been the target of threats, harassment, or acts of violence, or a workplace violence restraining order issued because of threats or acts of violence connected with a reproductive health care services facility, as specified, instead of a certified statement from a representative of the reproductive health care services facility.	Support	Level C
SB 1162	Limón D	Employment: Salaries and Wages.	6/14/2022	6/22/2022- A. APPR.	8/3/2022 9 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 1100	Current law prescribes the information that must be included in the pay data report, including the number of employees by race, ethnicity, and sex in specified job categories. Current law requires employers with multiple establishments to submit a report for each establishment and a consolidated report that includes all employees. Existing law permits the DFEH to develop, publish on an annual basis, and publicize aggregate reports, provided that the aggregate reports are reasonably calculated to	Support	Level C

						prevent the association of any data with any individual business or person. Current law permits DFEH to seek an order requiring an employer to comply with these provisions and permits it to recover the costs associated with seeking the order for compliance. This bill would, instead, require a private employer that has 100 or more employees to submit a pay data report to DFEH.		
SB 1375	Atkins D	Nursing: nurse practitioners and nurse-midwives: abortion and practice standards.	6/22/2022	6/21/2022-A. APPR.	8/3/2022 9 a.m. - 1021 O Street, Room 1100	In order to perform an abortion by aspiration techniques under the act, a person with a license or certificate to practice as a nurse practitioner or a certified nurse-midwife is required to complete board-recognized training. This bill would revise that provision to specify that it applies to a person with a license or certificate to practice as a nurse practitioner practicing pursuant to a standardized procedure, or to a qualified nurse practitioner functioning pursuant to certain advanced practice provisions. The bill would require those persons to achieve clinical competency by successfully completing requisite training, as specified, in performing these procedures, as provided by certain board-approved programs, courses, and trainings.	Support	Level B
SCA 10	Atkins D	Reproductive freedom.		6/29/2022-S. CHAPTERED		Would amend the California Constitution to prohibit the state from denying or interfering with an individual's reproductive freedom in their most intimate decisions, which includes their fundamental right to choose to have an abortion and their fundamental right to choose or refuse contraceptives.	Support	Level A
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