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CENTER FOR CHRONIC DISEASE PREVENTION AND HEALTH PROMOTION

Chronic Disease and Injury Control

AB 1696 Holden (Chapter 606)

MEDI-CAL: TOBACCO CESSATION SERVICES

Requires the Department of Health Care Services Medi-Cal Program to include tobacco cessation services as a covered benefit subject to utilization controls, and includes all intervention recommendations, as periodically updated, assigned a grade A or B by the Unified States Preventive Services Task Force.

AB 2007 McCarty (Chapter 516)

YOUTH ATHLETICS: YOUTH SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS: CONCUSSION OR OTHER HEAD INJURIES

Requires youth sports organizations to immediately remove an athlete from an athletic activity for the remainder of the day if suspected of sustaining a concussion or head injury. Prohibits an athlete from returning to athletic activity until an evaluation is completed and a written clearance to return to play is provided by a licensed health care provider.

AB 2325 Bonilla (Chapter 354)

KEN MADDY CALIFORNIA CANCER REGISTRY

Starting January 1, 2019, a pathologist is required to report cancer diagnoses to the California Cancer Registry (CDPH) in a format prescribed by CDPH.

AB 2696 Gaines (Chapter 108)

DIABETES PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT

Requires CDPH to provide a report to the Legislature by January 1, 2019, that includes a summary and compilation of recommendations on diabetes prevention and management. Requires CDPH to annually post on its website, starting on July 1, 2017, the funding and expenditures for CDPH programs and activities relative to prevention and management of diabetes.

AB 2770 Nazarian (Chapter 699)

CIGARETTE AND TOBACCO PRODUCT LICENSING FEES AND FUNDING

Requires the Board of Equalization to report to the Legislature, Governor, and the Department of Finance by January 1, 2019, and annually thereafter, regarding the adequacy of funding for the state Tobacco Licensing Program.

ABX2 7 Stone (Chapter 4)

SMOKING IN THE WORKPLACE

Amends the California smoke-free workplace law to remove exemptions that permitted smoking in enclosed workplaces with five or fewer employees.

ABX2 9 Thurmond (Chapter 5)

TOBACCO USE PROGRAM

Extends the California Department of Education's existing tobacco use prevention education program authority to charted schools and expands the existing tobacco-free school campus policy provision to explicitly prohibit containing tobacco, including electronic cigarettes, while exempting possession of pharmaceutical products used to treat nicotine dependence.

ABX2 11 Nazarian (Chapter 6)

CIGARETTE AND TOBACCO PRODUCT LICENSING: FEES AND FUNDING

Increases the fee tobacco retailers pay for a license from a \$100 one-time-only fee to \$265 annually.

SB 877 Pan (Chapter 712)

REPORTING AND TRACKING OF VIOLENT DEATHS

Requires the CDPH to establish and maintain the California Electronic Violent Death Reporting System to collect data on violent deaths from various sources, including death certificates, law enforcement reports, and coroner or medical examiner reports, and to enter into contracts, grants, or other agreements with one or more local agencies to collect data.

SB 977 Pan (Chapter 537)

TOBACCO YOUTH SPORTS EVENTS

Prohibits the use of a tobacco product within 250 feet of a youth sports event. Defines "tobacco product" to include electronic smoking devices and also defines "youth sports event" as any practice, game, or related activity organized by any entity at which athletes up to 18 years of age are present.

SB 1169 McGuire (Chapter 280)

PUPIL NUTRITION: COMPETITIVE FOOD SERVICE AND STANDARDS

Establishes the Healthy Food, Healthy Student Act to update nutritional standards for foods and beverages sold in school to align with the federal Smart Snacks in School regulations.

SBX2 5 Leno (Chapter 7)

ELECTRONIC CIGARETTES

Broadens the definition of "tobacco product" in the Stop Tobacco Access to Kids Enforcement (STAKE) Act to include a product made or derived from tobacco or nicotine that is intended for human consumption, whether smoked, heated, chewed, absorbed, dissolved, inhaled, snorted, sniffed, or ingested by any other means, and includes, electronic devices that deliver nicotine or other vaporized liquids to the person inhaling from the device, including an electronic cigarette (e-cigarette), cigar, pipe, or hookah, and any component, part, or accessory.

SBX2 7 Hernandez (Chapter 8)

TOBACCO PRODUCTS: MINIMUM LEGAL AGE

Raises the minimum legal age to purchase or consume a tobacco product in California from 18 to 21 years of age with the exception of active duty military personnel who are least 18 years of age and are able to provide proof of age.

Environmental and Occupational Disease Control

AB 2125 Chiu (Chapter 564)

HEALTHY NAIL SALON RECOGNITION PROGRAM

Requires the Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC) to publish technical guidelines that define a healthy nail salon, for voluntary implementation of Healthy Nail Salon Recognition programs by local governments. Requires DTSC, in developing the guidelines, to consult with CDPH and other state agencies.

AB 2892 Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials (Chapter 475)

PESTICIDE POISONING

Extends for four years the requirements that laboratories transmit to the Department of Pesticide Regulation cholinesterase (ChE) blood test results taken from workers who handle pesticides containing organophosphate and carbamate (OP/CB). Blood test results are to be transmitted to the Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment and CDPH on an ongoing basis. Extends the sunset date for these requirements until January 1, 2021.

CENTER FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

Food, Drug and Radiation Safety

AB 2022 Gordon (Chapter 408)

ADVANCED PURIFIED DEMONSTRATION WATER

Authorizes the bottling of advances purified demonstration drinking water for educational purposes to promote water reuse.

SB 969 Nguyen (Chapter 193)

VIETNAMESE RICE CAKES

Requires Vietnamese rice cake manufacturers that plan to hold the product outside of refrigeration to affix a label, designed by the Vietnamese Rice Cake Association, Inc., stating the date and time the rice cakes were produced and that the product must be purchased and consumed within 24 hours of manufacture or destroyed.

SB 1067 Huff (Chapter 195) **FOOD FACILITIES**

Revises the current California Retail Food Code related to the consumer advisory language for animal-derived foods served "raw" or "less than thoroughly cooked" to consumers.

Office of Medical Cannabis Safety

AB 2679 Cooley (Chapter 828)

MEDICAL MARIJUANA: REGULATION: RESEARCH

Requires medical marijuana licensing authorities to include in their annual report to the Legislature the number of appeals from the denial of licenses or other disciplinary actions taken by the licensing authority, the average time spent on these appeals, and the number of complaints submitted by citizens or representatives of cities and counties regarding licensees.

SB 837 Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review (Chapter 32) STATE GOVERNMENT

Changes the name of the Medical Marijuana Regulation and Safety Act, to the Medical Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act (Act), and changes references to medical marijuana, or marijuana, to medical cannabis, or cannabis. Authorizes licensing authorities to adopt rules and regulations to carry out the purposes of that act and emergency regulations, as specified. Moves the licensing of the testing laboratories from CDPH to the Bureau of Medical Cannabis Regulation (Bureau). Authorizes CDPH to develop standards for the manufacturing and labeling of all manufactured cannabis and medical cannabis products. Requires CDPH to notify the manufacturer and take corrective actions when it has evidence that a medical cannabis product is adulterated or misbranded. CDPH's role is limited to Sections 8, 11, 13, 16, 19, 26, 28, 30, 35, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50.

- Section 8. Amends definitions, including "batch" and "lot" in the Act.
 This section amends the definition of "batch" to mean a specific
 quantity of homogenous medical cannabis or medical cannabis
 product.
- Section 11. Clarifies that CDPH will administer all provisions of the Act associated with manufacturing medical cannabis and removes references to CDPH's jurisdiction over testing medical cannabis. This section provides CDPH the authority to execute new licenses, as well as issue, renew, discipline, suspend, or revoke licenses for

- manufacturing of medical cannabis products. This section also clarifies that CDPH may collect fees for the regulated activities.
- Section 13. Allows licensing authorities under the Act to promulgate for the adoption of emergency regulations and one readoption of the emergency regulations for 180 days.
- Section 16. Allows CDPH to work with state and local law enforcement on investigations and enforcement actions related to manufacturers.
- Section 19. Allows licensing authorities under the Act to revoke a
 license when a local agency has notified the Department that a
 licensee is in violation of state rules and regulations relating to
 cannabis activities after the licensing authority have determined
 through an investigation that the violation is grounds for termination
 or revocation of the license. This section also allows CDPH to
 recover costs for investigations against licensees.
- Section 26. Requires a licensee to provide proof of a bond to cover the costs of destruction of medical cannabis or medical cannabis products.
- Section 28. Allows cultivators to send medical cannabis directly to a manufacturer for further processing without having to use a distributor.
- Section 30. Allows cultivators and manufacturers to also hold a Type 12 Transporter license.
- Section 35. Requires CDPH to establish minimum security requirements for the storage of medical cannabis products at the manufacturing site.
- Section 37. Requires CDPH to develop standards for the manufacturing and labeling of all manufactured medical cannabis products. This section also removes provisions related to CDPH regulating testing laboratories.
- Section 39. Transfers the licensing authority of testing laboratories from CDPH to the Bureau.
- Section 40. Removes provisions related to CDPH regulating testing laboratories.

- Section 41. Removes provisions related to CDPH regulating testing laboratories.
- Section 42. Requires manufacturers of edible medical cannabis products be sold in child-resistant packaging. This section also removes provisions related to CDPH regulating testing laboratories.
- Section 43 and 44. Grants authority to CDPH to issue citations and fines, not to exceed \$5,000, to both licensed and unlicensed persons who are acting in the capacity of a licensee under the jurisdiction of the department.
- Sections 45 and 46. Grants authority to CDPH to use discretion when enforcing the Act that will protect the public from either consumer fraud or how a correction for a violation from a licensee will be imposed.
- Sections 47, 48, 49 and 50. These sections characterize
 misbranding and adulteration of a medical cannabis product. In
 addition, the sections provide CDPH the authority to notify the
 manufacturer of recalls and fines.

CENTER FOR FAMILY HEALTH

Genetic Disease Screening

SB 1095 Pan (Chapter 393)

NEWBORN SCREENING PROGRAM

Requires CDPH to expand statewide screening of newborns to include screening for any disease that is detectable in blood samples within two years of the disease being adopted by the federal Recommended Uniform Screening Panel or after enrollment of the bill, whichever is later.

Maternal, Child, and Adolescent Health

SB 1189 Pan (Chapter 787)

POSTMORTEM EXAMINATIONS OR AUTOPSIES: FORENSIC PATHOLOGISTS

Requires a coroner to conduct a forensic autopsy within 24 hours where an infant has died.

CENTER FOR HEALTH CARE QUALITY

Licensing and Certification

AB 2053 Gonzalez (Chapter 639)

PRIMARY CARE CLINICS

Requires CDPH to issue a consolidated license to a primary care clinic or affiliate clinic following review of the written notification of the clinic's intent to add additional physical plants maintained and operated on separate premises.

AB 2105 Rodriguez (Chapter 410)

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT: ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

Requires the Department of Consumer Affairs by January 1, 2020, to engage in a stakeholder process to update policies and remove barriers to facilitate the development of "earn and learn" training programs for allied health professions, including barriers identified in a 2015 California Workforce Development Board report to the Legislature on expanding job training and employment for allied health professions.

SB 1076 Hernandez (Chapter 723)

GENERAL ACUTE CARE HOSPITALS: OBSERVATION SERVICES

Defines observation services as an outpatient service and require general acute care hospitals (GACHs) to notify observation service patients that these services are provided on an outpatient basis and that this may affect reimbursement and/or cost-sharing arrangements by their medical insurance provider or coverage.

SB 1193 Hill (Chapter 484)

HEALING ARTS

Restores authority for licensed skilled nursing facility, nursing facility, and intermediate care facility staff to use automated drug delivery systems for multiple drugs that are not patient specific.

SB 1365 Hernandez (Chapter 501)

HOSPITALS

Requires GACHs, except those that are operated by a nonprofit corporation under common control with a nonprofit health care service plan, to notify each patient scheduled for a service in a hospital-based outpatient clinic when that service is available in another location that is not hospital-based.

CENTER FOR HEALTH STATISTICS AND INFORMATICS

AB 1546 Olsen (Chapter 255) VITAL RECORDS

Requires the State Registrar (SR), within CDPH in consultation with the County Recorders' Association of California and other stakeholders, to study all security features for paper used to print vital records or alternative security features that are equal to or better than those currently mandated, as soon as possible. This law authorizes the SR to suspend the use of any security feature, through all-county letter (ACL) or similar instructions, if necessary to enable the SR, local registrar, county recorder, or county clerk to supply an applicant with a certified copy of a birth, death, or marriage record. This law authorizes the local registrar to release comprehensive birth and death record indices to the county recorder within its jurisdiction for purposes of the preparation or maintenance of the indices of the county recorder subject to the same confidentiality restrictions as the confidential portion of a birth certificate. In addition, the law requires the SR to submit a report to the Legislature on or before January 1, 2018, that contains the findings of that study and legislative recommendations pertaining to those findings.

AB 2636 Linder (Chapter 527)

CERTIFIED COPIES OF MARRIAGE, BIRTH, AND DEATH CERTIFICATES: ELECTRONIC APPLICATION

Authorizes, until January 1, 2021, an official (e.g., the SR, local registrar, or county recorder) to accept electronic acknowledgement sworn under penalty of perjury when a request for a certified copy of a birth, death, or marriage record is made electronically.

CENTER FOR INFECTIOUS DISEASES

Communicable Disease Control

AB 551 Nazarian (Chapter 599)

RENTAL PROPERTY: BED BUGS

Prohibits a landlord from showing, renting, or leasing a vacant dwelling to a prospective tenant that the landlord knows has a current bed bug infestation. On or after January 1, 2018, landlords are required to provide

a written notice to prospective tenants and all other with tenant's general information about bed bug infestation.

SB 1038 Allen (Chapter 51)

COMMUNITY COLLEGES: EMPLOYEES

Replaces outdated universal tuberculosis (TB) testing requirements for California Community College (CCC) academic and classified employees and requires CCC employees to be tested for TB only when risk factors for TB are identified in a TB risk assessment questionnaire within 60 days of hire.

Office of AIDS

AB 2439 Nazarian (Chapter 668)

HIV TESTING

Directs CDPH to create a pilot project with four hospital emergency departments (ED) to assess and make recommendations regarding the effectiveness of routine HIV testing in EDs.

AB 2640 Gipson (Chapter 670)

PUBLIC HEALTH: HIV

Requires a medical provider or person administering a HIV test to inform individuals who test negative for HIV infection and are determined to be at high risk for HIV infection of the need for periodic retesting, explain the limitations of current testing technology, and provide information about methods that prevent or reduces the risk of contracting HIV, including, but not limited to, pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) and post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP) consistent with guidance of the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS OFFICE

SB 1477 Committee on Health (Chapter 733)

HEALTH

Clean-up legislation for AB 1149 (Wood, Chapter 93, Statutes of 2015). SB 1477 adds trade associations of local health jurisdictions, hospitals, long-term health care facilities, clinics, emergency medical systems, and poison control centers to the entities authorized to receive timely funding from the annual Budget Act and are exempt from the Public Contract Code.

OFFICE OF LEGAL SERVICES

AB 2889 Committee on Health (Chapter 228)

STATE GOVERNMENT

Restores CDPH to the list of departments that may make advanced contract payments to community-based private nonprofit agencies that contract with CDPH to provide various public health services to the State.

OFFICE OF THE STATE PUBLIC HEALTH LABORATORY DIRECTOR

Laboratory Field Services

AB 2750 Gomez (Chapter 273)

TISSUE BANKS

Creates a new exemption from the California tissue bank law requiring licensure for storage of allograft tissue by a person, defined as a hospital or outpatient setting including an ambulatory surgical center. To qualify for the exemption, the person must maintain a log of the allograft tissue indicating the date of receipt, expiration, use for clinical purposes, and the disposition of unused tissue, and state that the allograft tissue: 1) is obtained from a California licensed tissue bank; 2) is individually boxed and labeled as specified; 3) is intended for transplantation into a patient; 4) is not intended for further distribution; 5) is registered with the federal Food and Drug Administration; and 6) is designated to be maintained at room temperature.

SB 1408 Allen (Chapter 18)

TISSUE DONATION

Amends the current prohibition preventing human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) positive tissue donors from donating blood, body organs or tissue. Instead this law allows HIV positive donors to provide body organs to HIV positive recipients providing that the physician performing the transplant into an HIV patient ensure that the organ is transplanted only into an individual who is confirmed HIV positive before receiving the transplant; and is participating in clinical research.

MISCELLANEOUS

Legislative and Governmental Affairs

AB 1603 Committee on Budget (Chapter 25)

PUBLIC SOCIAL SERVICES OMNIBUS

Implements the provisions of the State Budget for fiscal year (FY) 2016-17. The CDPH role is limited to Section 31.

 Section 31. Permits the California Department of Social Services to utilize cooperative agreements to enter into contracts and change subcontractors for CalFresh outreach and Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program – Education (SNAP-Ed).

AB 1726 Bonta (Chapter 607)

DATA COLLECTION

Requires, on or after July 1, 2022, to the extent funding is specifically appropriated for this purpose, CDPH to use additional separate date collection categories and other tabulations for specified Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and other Pacific Islander sub-groups under certain circumstances.

SB 833 Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review (Chapter 30)

HEALTH

Implements the provisions of the State Budget for FY 2016-17, as it pertains to programs administered by CDPH. CDPH's role is limited to Sections 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.

- Section 2. Requires CDPH, upon an appropriation for this purpose
 in the annual Budget Act, to award funding to local health
 departments, local government agencies, or on a competitive basis
 to community-based organizations and/or regional opioid
 prevention coalitions to support or establish programs that provide
 naloxone to first responders and at-risk opioid users through
 programs that serve at-risk drug users, including but not limited to
 syringe exchange and disposal programs, homeless programs, and
 substance use disorder treatment providers.
- Section 4. Establishes a PrEP affordability program to cover HIV PrEP-related copays, coinsurance, and deductibles incurred by all individuals accessing PrEP in California with annual incomes below 500 percent of the Federal Poverty Level.

- Sections 5 and 6. Eliminates cost-sharing for individuals enrolled in the AIDS Drug Assistance Program with annual incomes between 400 percent and 500 percent of the Federal Poverty Level.
- Section 7. Requires CDPH, using funds appropriated in the Budget Act of 2016, to purchase and distribute hepatitis B vaccine and related materials to local health jurisdictions and community-based organizations to test and vaccinate high-risk adults; purchase hepatitis C test kits and related materials to distribute to local health jurisdictions and community-based testing programs; and train nonmedical personnel to perform hepatitis C virus and HIV testing waived under the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1998 in local health jurisdictions and community-based settings.
- Section 8. Requires CDPH to allocate one-time General Fund of \$2.5 million appropriated in the Budget Act of 2016 to diagnostic and treatment centers for Alzheimer's disease. This funding is to be used to create tools and awareness to improve the diagnosis of Alzheimer's Disease.

LEGISLATIVE PRIMARY BILL LIST

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AB 63	Bonilla	School safety programs: funding	Failed
AB 72	Bonta	Eden Township Healthcare District special taxes: authorization	GUT/AMEND Not applicable to CDPH
AB 73	Waldron	Medi-Cal benefits: prescription drugs	GUT/AMEND Not applicable to CDPH
AB 102	Rodriguez	Railroad safety and emergency planning and response	Failed
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AB 348	Brown	Long-term health care facilities: complaints: investigations	Failed	
AB 383	Gipson	Public health: hepatitis C	Failed	
AB 414	Chavez	Office of Rural Health	Failed	
AB 455	Bigelow	Groundwater sustainability plans: environmental impact reports	Failed	
AB 474	Brown	Health facilities: antiretaliation protections	GUT/AMEND Not applicable to CDPH	
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AB 1238	Linder	Certified copies of marriage, birth, and death certificates: electronic application	Failed	
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AB 1405	Grove	Developmental centers: closure	Failed	
AB 1437	Gray	Gambling: Internet Fantasy Sports Game Protection Act	Failed	
AB 1441	Gray	Gambling: sport wagering	GUT/AMEND Not applicable to CDPH	
AB 1463	Gatto	Onsite treated water	GUT/AMEND Not applicable to CDPH	
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AB 1748	Mayes	Pupils: pupil health: opioid antagonist	AMENDED Not applicable to CDPH	
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AB 1823	Bonilla	California Cancer Clinical Trials Program	AMENDED Not applicable to CDPH	
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AB 1864	Cooley	Inquests: sudden unexplained death in childhood	Vetoed	
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AB 2153	Garcia	The Lead-Acid Battery Recycling Act of 2016	AMENDED Not applicable to CDPH	

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AB 2385	Jones- Sawyer	Medical Cannabis Regulations and Safety Act: state licenses: Measure D	Vetoed	
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AB 2538	Nazarian	Ophthalmia neonatorum	GUT/AMEND Not applicable to CDPH	
AB 2539	Levine	Modeling agencies: licensure: models: employees	AMENDED Not applicable to CDPH	
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AB 2588	Chu	Cancer data	GUT/AMEND Not applicable to CDPH	
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AB 2640	Gipson	Public health: HIV	Signed	12
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AB 2718	Gomez	Vehicles: transportation of hazardous materials	AMENDED Not applicable to CDPH	
AB 2725	Chiu	Food manufacturers: food facilities: labels	Failed	
AB 2737	Bonta	Nonprovider health care districts	AMENDED Not applicable to CDPH	
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AB 2747	Hadley	Chronic dialysis clinics	Vetoed	
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AB 2821	Chiu	Housing for a Healthy California Program	Vetoed	
AB 2832	Allen	Immunizations: vaccine injury information	Failed	
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AB 2844	Bloom	Environmental health	GUT/AMEND Not applicable to CDPH	
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AB 2863	Gray	Gambling: Internet poker	Failed	
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SB 833	Committee on Budget and Fiscal Review	Health	Signed	14
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SB 1038	Allen	Community colleges: employees	Signed	12
SB 1067	Huff	Food facilities	Signed	7
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SB 1171	Hernandez	Maintenance of the Codes	Signed	
SB 1189	Pan	Postmortem examinations or autopsies: forensic pathologists	Signed	9
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SB 1229	Jackson	Pharmacies: secure drug take- back bins	AMENDED Not applicable to CDPH	
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ABX2 13	Gipson	Medi-Cal: AIDS Medi-Cal Waiver Program	Failed	
ABX2 14	Gatto	Food labeling: wastewater from oil and gas field activities	Failed	
ABX2 16	Bonta	Public health: cigarette and tobacco products: electronic cigarettes: taxes: California Health Care, Research, and Prevention Tobacco Tax Act of 2015	Failed	
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Veto Messages

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BILL NUMBER	AUTHOR	SUBJECT	PROGRAM
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AB 2179	Gipson	Hepatitis C testing	Office of AIDS
AB 2385	Jones- Sawyer	Medical Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act: state licenses: Measure D	Office of Medical Cannabis Safety
AB 2747	Hadley	Chronic dialysis clinics	Licensing & Certification
SB 648	Mendoza	Health and care facilities: referral agencies	Licensing & Certification
SB 1090	Mitchell	Sexually transmitted diseases: outreach and screening services	Communicable Disease Control
SB 1333	Block	State beaches and parks: smoking ban	Chronic Disease and Injury Control



SEP 29 2016

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 567 without my signature.

This bill requires the Board of Equalization to develop and administer a tax amnesty program for medical cannabis businesses.

While increasing tax compliance among medical marijuana businesses is important, it is premature to create a tax amnesty before the regulations that link enforcement to licenses are promulgated.

Sincerely,

Edmund G. Brown I



SEP 2 6 2016

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2179 without my signature.

This bill creates a hepatitis C counselor classification allowing a person who is trained to perform hepatitis C virus rapid tests to do so.

The Department of Public Health works with local health agencies to train HIV counselors who test for both HIV and hepatitis C. National health guidelines recommend people at risk for either of these diseases be tested for both. As such, I believe the existing counselor classification is more protective of public health.

Sincerely,

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SEP 29 2016

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2385 without my signature.

This bill requires California agencies to issue medical cannabis licenses to Measure D compliant dispensaries in the City of Los Angeles.

This bill is inconsistent with dual licensing requirement established last year by the Medical Cannabis Regulation and Safety Act.

Sincerely,

Edmund G. Brown Jr. Byo W



SEP 2 2 2016

To the Members of the California State Assembly:

I am returning Assembly Bill 2747 without my signature.

This bill requires the Department of Public Health to process license applications for chronic dialysis clinics within 90 days and to conduct federal certification surveys of these same clinics within 60 days of approval by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

Currently, the Department is taking the necessary steps to reduce the time spent processing applications for all health facilities. I believe this is a better approach than mandating timeframes for one type of facility.

Sincerely,

Edmund G. Brown Ir



SEP 3 0 2016

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 648 without my signature.

This bill creates an expansive and costly licensing scheme for agencies that make referrals to residential care facilities for the elderly.

The proponents of this measure have not made a convincing case for this new licensing structure.

Sincerely,

Edy & Brown Je.



SEP 2 6 2016

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 1090 without my signature.

This bill requires the Department of Public Health to allocate funds to local health agencies for sexually transmitted disease outreach and screening if there is an appropriation for this purpose in the budget.

The 2016-17 enacted budget provides \$5 million in grants to local health agencies working to prevent and control sexually transmitted diseases. While I appreciate the author's commitment to this important public health issue, additional funding depends upon future budget deliberations and decisions. Prescribing the direction and use of future investments in this program is premature.

Sincerely,

Edmund G. Blown Jr.



SEP 28 2016

To the Members of the California State Senate:

I am returning Senate Bill 1333 without my signature.

This bill bans smoking at state beaches and parks. The complete prohibition in all parks and beaches is too broad. A more measured - and less punitive – approach might be warranted.

Sincerely,

Edy & Brown Jr.