

BILLS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

2009-2010 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

BILL NO./ AUTHOR SUMMARY

AB 6 SALDANA 12/01/08

INITIATIVES: PAID CIRCULATORS

States the intent of the Legislature to require employees of entities who are paid to circulate and collect signatures on initiative petitions to register as lobbyists with the Secretary of State.

STATUS 12/01/08

Introduced.

POSITION

CACEO: To be discussed

AB 30 PRICE 12/01/08

PRE-VOTER REGISTRATION: 16 YEARS OLD

Authorizes a person at least 16 years of age to submit an affidavit of registration. The affidavit of registration shall be deemed effective as soon as the affiant would be 18 years of age at the time of the next election. Requires the local registrar of births and deaths to notify the county elections official monthly of all deceased persons 16 years of age and over whose deaths were registered the previous month. Becomes operative if the Secretary of State certifies that the state has a data base that complies with the requirements of the federal Help America Vote Act of 2002.

STATUS 12/01/08

Introduced.

<u>POSITION</u>

CACEO: To be discussed

AB 32 PRICE 12/01/08

SPECIAL ELECTION: 26TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT

Requires Los Angeles County to conduct a special primary election on March 3, 2009 and if necessary, conduct a special election on May 19, 2009 in consolidation with Los Angeles City elections to fill the vacancy in the office of State Senator for the 26th Senatorial District. URGENCY

STATUS 12/01/08

Introduced.

POSITION

CACEO: To be discussed

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SUMMARY

AB 84

VOTE BY MAIL BALLOTS

HILL 12/23/08 Requires the local elections official to establish a free access system by which a vote by mail voter may find out whether his or her ballot was counted and if not, the reason why it was not counted.

STATUS 12/23/08

Introduced.

POSITION

CACEO: To be discussed

ACA 2 FURUTANI

12/01/08

PRE-VOTER REGISTRATION: 17 YEARS OLD

Authorizes a person who is at least 17 years of age and will be 18 years of age at the time of the next general election to register to vote, subject to compliance with applicable registration requirements, and to vote in the general election and in any intervening primary or special election that occurs after the person registers to vote.

STATUS 12/01/08

Introduced.

POSITION

CACEO: To be discussed

ACA 6 CALDERON 12/16/08

PRIMARY ELECTIONS: "VOTER CHOICE ACT"

Enacts the "Voter Choice Act" which would require that all candidates be listed on a single voter choice primary ballot for primary elections for the offices of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Insurance Commissioner, Controller, Secretary of State, Treasurer, Member of the Assembly, Senator, or Member of the State Board of Equalization. Provides that a candidate who receives a majority of the votes for one of these offices is declared the winner. If no candidate receives a majority of the votes as to an office at the primary, the two candidates who receive the highest number of votes would run at the general election.

STATUS 12/16/08

Introduced.

POSITION

CACEO: To be discussed

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SB 34 CORBETT 12/09/08

PETITIONS: COMPENSATION FOR SIGNATURES

Imposes misdemeanor penalties on a person who pays or who receives money or any other thing of value based in the number of signatures obtained on a state or local initiative, referendum or recall petition. Makes any signatures collected in violation of this provision invalid.

STATUS 12/09/08 Introduced.

POSITION

CACEO: To be discussed

Assembly 6

Senate 1

Total 7