**Tracked Bill Report**

**August 13, 2018**

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**Priority Bills**

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| [**SB 966**](javascript:OpenBillInfo('SB%20966','-1335794334');) |  | **(**[**Wiener**](http://sd11.senate.ca.gov/)**D)   Onsite treated nonpotable water systems.** |
|  | | **Last Amend:**6/19/2018 |
|  | | **Status:**8/8/2018-August 8 set for first hearing. Placed on suspense file. |
|  | | **Location:**8/8/2018-A. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE |
|  | | **Calendar:**8/16/2018  Upon adjournment of Session - State Capitol, Room 4202  ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATIONS SUSPENSE, GONZALEZ FLETCHER, Chair |
| **Summary:**Would, on or before December 1, 2022, require the State Water Resources Control Board, in consultation with the California Building Standards Commission, to adopt regulations for risk-based water quality standards for the onsite treatment and reuse of nonpotable water, as provided. The bill would authorize the state board to contract with public or private entities regarding the content of the standards. The bill would require a local jurisdiction, as defined, that elects to establish a program for onsite treated nonpotable water systems to, among other things, adopt, through ordinance, a local program that includes the risk-based water quality standards established by the state board. | | |

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|  |  | **Notes 1:**Similar bill to WateReuse supported bill SB 740, sponsored by SFPUC. Bill considered at 2/9 and 3/2 Leg/Reg meetings. Several WRCA members working with author and SFPUC on amendments.  Enrolled September 05, 2018 | | | | | |

**Other Bills to Watch**

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| [**AB 2252**](javascript:OpenBillInfo('AB%202252','-1380954349');) |  | **(**[**Limón**](https://a37.asmdc.org/)**D)   State grants: state grant administrator.** |
|  | | **Last Amend:**6/14/2018 |
|  | | **Status:**8/6/2018-In committee: Referred to APPR. suspense file. |
|  | | **Location:**8/6/2018-S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE |
|  | | **Calendar:**8/16/2018  Upon adjournment of Session - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203)  SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUSPENSE, PORTANTINO, Chair |
| **Summary:**Would enact the Grant Information Act of 2018. The bill would require the Government Operations Agency, on or before July 1, 2020, to create a funding opportunities web portal that provides a centralized location for grant seekers to find state grant opportunities. The bill would additionally require each state agency, on or before July 1, 2020, to register every grant the state agency administers with the Government Operations Agency prior to commencing a solicitation or award process for distribution of the grant, as specified. The bill would require each state agency, on or before July 1, 2020, to provide for the acceptance of electronic applications for any grant administered by the state agency. | | |

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| [**AB 2371**](javascript:OpenBillInfo('AB%202371','1603402805');) |  | **(**[**Carrillo**](https://a51.asmdc.org/)**D)   Water use efficiency: landscape irrigation.** |
|  | | **Last Amend:**6/28/2018 |
|  | | **Status:**8/6/2018-In committee: Referred to APPR. suspense file. |
|  | | **Location:**8/6/2018-S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE |
|  | | **Calendar:**8/16/2018  Upon adjournment of Session - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203)  SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUSPENSE, PORTANTINO, Chair |
| **Summary**: The Contractors’ State License Law provides for the licensing by written examination and regulation of contractors by the Contractors’ State License Board in the Department of Consumer Affairs. Current law requires the Contractors’ State License Board to periodically review and, if needed, revise the contents of qualifying examinations to insure that the examination questions are timely and relevant to the business of contracting. This bill, before revision of the landscaping contractor examination, would require the Contractors’ State License Board to confer with specified entities to determine whether any updates or revisions to the examination are needed to reflect new and emerging landscape irrigation efficiency practices, as specified. | | |

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| [**AB 2447**](javascript:OpenBillInfo('AB%202447','1630254009');) |  | **(**[**Reyes**](https://a47.asmdc.org/)**D)   California Environmental Quality Act: land use: environmental justice.** |
|  | | **Last Amend:**8/6/2018 |
|  | | **Status:**8/6/2018-From committee chair, with author's amendments: Amend, and re-refer to committee. Read second time, amended, and re-referred to Com. on APPR. In committee: Hearing postponed by committee. |
|  | | **Location:**6/20/2018-S. APPR. |
| **Summary:**Would, except as provided, require a lead agency that is preparing an EIR or a negative declaration to provide certain notices required by CEQA to owners and occupants of property located within1/2 mile of any parcel or parcels, and to any schools located within one mile of any parcel or parcels, on which is located a project involving a subject land use, as defined. The bill would require the lead agency to call at least one scoping meeting for those projects, as provided. The bill would require the lead agency to provide a specified notice in English and in other languages, as provided. Because the bill would impose additional duties on a lead agency, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program. | | |

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| [**AB 2538**](javascript:OpenBillInfo('AB%202538','1986484369');) |  | **(**[**Rubio**](https://a48.asmdc.org/)**D)   Municipal separate storm sewer systems: financial capability analysis.** |
|  | | **Last Amend:**5/25/2018 |
|  | | **Status:**8/6/2018-In committee: Referred to APPR. suspense file. |
|  | | **Location:**8/6/2018-S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE |
|  | | **Calendar:**8/16/2018  Upon adjournment of Session - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203)  SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUSPENSE, PORTANTINO, Chair |
| **Summary:**Would require the State Water Resources Control Board, by July 1, 2019, to establish financial capability assessment guidelines for municipal separate storm sewer system permittees that are adequate and consistent when considering the costs to local jurisdictions. | | |

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| [**~~AB 2649~~**](javascript:OpenBillInfo('AB%202649','1791619478');) |  | **~~([Arambula](https://a31.asmdc.org/" \t "_blank) D)   Water rights: water management.~~** |
|  | | **~~Last Amend:~~**~~6/28/2018~~ |
|  | | **~~Status:~~**~~8/6/2018-In committee: Referred to APPR. suspense file.~~ |
|  | | **~~Location:~~**~~8/6/2018-S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE~~ |
|  | | **~~Calendar:~~**~~8/16/2018  Upon adjournment of Session - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203)  SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUSPENSE, PORTANTINO, Chair~~ |
| **~~Summary:~~**~~Would authorize a groundwater sustainability agency or local agency to apply for, and the State Water Resources Control Board to issue, a conditional temporary permit for diversion of surface water to underground storage for beneficial use that advances the sustainability goal of a groundwater basin, as specified.~~ | | |

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| [**AB 3206**](javascript:OpenBillInfo('AB%203206','1630254030');) |  | **(**[**Friedman**](https://a43.asmdc.org/)**D)   Water conservation: water meters: accuracy and performance standards.** |
|  | | **Last Amend:**6/28/2018 |
|  | | **Status:**8/6/2018-In committee: Referred to APPR. suspense file. |
|  | | **Location:**8/6/2018-S. APPR. SUSPENSE FILE |
|  | | **Calendar:**8/16/2018  Upon adjournment of Session - John L. Burton Hearing Room (4203)  SENATE APPROPRIATIONS SUSPENSE, PORTANTINO, Chair |
| **Summary:**Would require the State Energy Resources Conservation, on or before January 1, 2020, to the extent that funding is available, to adopt regulations setting standards for the accuracy of water meters, as described, that, on or after the effective date of those regulations, are installed by a water purveyor or manufactured and sold or offered for sale in the state. The bill would include an exception for a water meter that, as of the effective date of the regulations, a water purveyor possesses, or has entered into a contract to purchase, and has not yet installed. | | |

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|  | [**SB 623**](javascript:OpenBillInfo('SB%20623','-16899916');) | **([Monning](http://sd17.senate.ca.gov/" \t "_blank) D)   Water quality: Safe and Affordable Drinking Water Fund.** |
|  | | **Last Amend:**8/21/2017 |
|  | | **Status:**9/1/2017-From committee: Without recommendation. (Ayes 11. Noes 0.) (September 1) Re-referred to Com. on RLS. |
|  | | **Location:**9/1/2017-A. RLS. |
| **Summary:**Would establish the Safe and Affordable Drinking Water Fund in the State Treasury and would provide that moneys in the fund are continuously appropriated to the State Water Resources Control Board. The bill would require the board to administer the fund to secure access to safe drinking water for all Californians, while also ensuring the long-term sustainability of drinking water service and infrastructure. The bill would authorize the state board to provide for the deposit into the fund of federal contributions, voluntary contributions, gifts, grants, bequests, and settlements from parties responsible for contamination of drinking water supplies. | | |

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| [**SB 1422**](javascript:OpenBillInfo('SB%201422','-621439439');) |  | **([Portantino](http://sd25.senate.ca.gov/" \t "_blank) D)   California Safe Drinking Water Act: microplastics.** |
|  | | **Last Amend:**8/9/2018 |
|  | | **Status:**8/9/2018-From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Com. on APPR. |
|  | | **Location:**6/26/2018-A. APPR. |
|  | | **Calendar:**8/15/2018  9 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202  ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATIONS, GONZALEZ FLETCHER, Chair |
| **Summary:**Would require the state board, on or before July 1, 2020, to adopt a definition of microplastics in drinking water, and on or before July 1, 2021, to adopt a standard methodology to be used in the testing of drinking water for microplastics and requirements for 4 years of testing and reporting of microplastics in drinking water, including public disclosure of those results. | | |

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