



**Positions on Legislation
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Sponsored/Co-sponsored Bills

Bill/Author	Summary	Connections	Position/ Location
AB 655 Kalra (D)	Law Enforcement Accountability Reform Act Requires that background investigation to include an inquiry into whether a candidate for specified peace officer positions has engaged in membership in a hate group, participation in any hate group activity, or advocacy of public expressions of hate, as specified, and as those terms are defined. Provides that certain findings would disqualify a person from employment.	Law Enforcement Reform Racial & Social Justice Union Representation	Co-Sponsor Senate Public Safety Committee
AB 1608 Gipson (D)	County Officers: Consolidation of Offices Removes the board of supervisors' authority to combine the duties of the sheriff with the duties of the coroner. Removes the board of supervisors' authority to combine the duties of the tax collector with the duties of the coroner.	Law Enforcement Reform	Co-Sponsor Senate Governance & Finance Committee
AB 1997 Gipson (D)	Emergency Response Programs: Report Requires the Chancellor of the California State University, on or before specified date, to convene a stakeholder workgroup that includes a representative from specified stakeholders, including faculty, staff, and students. Requires the stakeholder workgroup, at a minimum, to evaluate and report on alternative options to current emergency response programs on the campuses of the California State University and alternative dispute resolution options to resolve employee conflicts.	Education/ Student Law Enforcement Reform Racial & Social Justice	Sponsor Senate Education Committee
AB 2047 Garcia (D)	Teacher Credentialing Task Force Eliminates the requirement that a program of professional preparation include a teaching performance assessment. Eliminates, commencing on a specified date, the teaching performance assessment as a requirement for candidates to receive a single subject, multiple subject, or education specialist credential. Authorizes candidates to complete an optional teaching performance assessment, as provided. Requires the Commission on Teacher Credentialing to convene a Teacher Credentialing Task Force, as provided.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Sponsor Assembly Education Committee
AB 2464 Garcia (D)	California State University: Employees: Paid Leave Requires the California State University to grant an employee a leave of absence with pay for one semester of an academic year, or an equivalent duration, in a one-year period, following the birth of a child of the employee or the placement of a child with an employee in connection with the adoption or foster care of the child by the employee, subject to specified requirements.	Racial & Social Justice Union Representation	Sponsor Senate Labor, Public Employment & Retirement Committee
SCA 10 Atkins (D)	Reproductive Freedom A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by adding Section 1.1 to Article I thereof, relating to fundamental rights.	Racial & Social Justice	Co-Sponsor Senate Elections & Const. Amendments Committee

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SB 886 Wiener (D)	University Housing Development Projects Exempts from California Environmental Quality Act a university housing development project, as defined, carried out by a public university, as defined, on real property owned by the public university if the project meets certain requirements and the project is not located, in whole or in part, on certain sites, including a site that is within a special flood hazard area subject to inundation by a specified percent annual chance flood or within a regulatory floodway.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Co-Sponsor Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SB 1173 Gonzalez (D)	Public Retirement Systems: Fossil Fuels: Divestment Prohibits the boards of the Public Employees' Retirement System and the State Teachers' Retirement System from making new investments or renewing existing investments of public employee retirement funds in a fossil fuel company. Suspends the above described liquidation provision upon a good faith determination by the board that certain conditions materially impact normal market mechanisms for pricing assets.	Budget Union Representation	Sponsor Assembly Public Employment & Retirement Committee

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AB 47 Reyes (D)	Human Services: Coordinated Immigration Support Requires the State Department of Social Services to establish a grant program that provides grants to qualified nonprofit organizations, as defined, for the provision of multitiered and coordinated immigration support services in California to undocumented and mixed-status families who reside in the state and were separated by the federal government.	Racial & Social Justice	Watch Senate Approps. Committee
AB 99 Irwin (D)	Cradle-to-Career Data System: Governance and Support Codifies certain recommendations in the Cradle-to-Career Data System Legislative Report. Establishes the Cradle-to-Career Data System Governing Board in state government to ensure the data system is serving its intended purpose and oversee participation in the data system and provide for its governance structure. Establishes the Cradle-to-Career Data Office to serve as the managing entity of the data system.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Watch Senate Education Committee
AB 221 Santiago (D)	Emergency Food Assistance Requires the department, in consultation with a workgroup, to author a report to provide recommendations and solutions for a permanent food assistance program for low-income California residents experiencing food insecurity, to complete that report by a specified date and to submit a copy of that report to the Legislature.	Racial & Social Justice Union Representation	Support Senate Approps. Committee
AB 257 Holden (D)	Food Facilities and Employment Requires the council to conduct a full review of the adequacy of minimum fast food restaurant health, safety, and employment standards at least once every certain years. Requires the council, following that review, to issue, amend, or repeal, or make recommendations to issue, amend, or repeal, any fast food employment, health or safety standard as appropriate.	Racial & Social Justice Union Representation	Support Senate Labor, Public Employment & Retirement Committee
AB 288 Calderon (D)	Ban on Scholarship Displacement Act of 2021 Enacts the State Ban on Scholarship Displacement Act of 2021, which would prohibit each public and private institution of higher education in the state that receives, or benefits from, state funded financial assistance, or that enrolls students who receive state funded student financial assistance, from reducing certain students' institution based financial aid offer below their financial need, except as specified.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Approps. Committee
AB 295 Jones-Sawyer (D)	Public Postsecondary Education: Pilot Program Establishes a working group consisting of representatives from the State Department of Education, the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges, the Trustees of the California State University, the Regents of the University of California, and faculty, staff, and students from the California Community Colleges, the California State University, and the University of California to consider the creation of a pilot program.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Floor
AB 312 Seyarto (R)	Teacher Credentialing: Basic Skills Proficiency Test Exempts from the basic skills proficiency test requirement an applicant who earns at least a letter grade of B in qualifying coursework, as defined, determined by a credential preparation program or the Commission on Teacher Credentialing, to sufficiently serve as an alternative indicator of proficiency in basic reading, writing, and mathematics skills in the English language.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Education Committee

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AB 437 Kalra (D)	Employee Obligations: Exclusivity Requirements: Actors Prohibits a contract for the personal or professional services of an employee working as an actor, as specified, from prohibiting an employee from working for multiple employers. Provides that it applies to an employment contract amended or entered into on or after specified date.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Labor, Public Employment & Retirement Committee
AB 520 Gipson (D)	Teacher Recruitment and Retention Establishes the California Diversifying the Teacher Workforce Grant Program in the State Department of Education to provide one-time competitive grants to local educational agencies to develop and implement new, or expand existing, programs that address a local need to develop a teacher workforce that serves all pupil populations, including Black pupils.	Budget Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Approps. Committee
AB 595 Medina (D)	Public Postsecondary Education: UC and CSU: Eligibility Requires the CSU Trustees, and requests the UC Regents, before making any change in undergraduate student eligibility policy that adds new eligibility requirements that impact students across its segment, to engage in discussions with and coordinate with other educational segments that will be impacted by the policy in order to understand the impacts of the policy and try to align their respective student eligibility policies.	Education/ Student	Watch Senate Floor
AB 759 McCarty (D)	Elections: County Officers Requires the election to select district attorney, sheriff, and assessor to be held with the presidential primary and would require, if no candidate receives a majority of the votes cast for the office at the presidential primary, the 2 candidates who received the most votes to advance to a general election held with the presidential general election. Authorizes a county board of supervisors to adopt an ordinance to also hold the election for other county officers with the presidential primary.	Union Representation	Support Senate Inactive File
AB 814 Levine (D)	Personal Information: Contact Tracing Authorizes a state or local health department to disclose, to the University of California or a nonprofit education institution conducting scientific research, data collected, received, or prepared for purposes of contact tracing only if certain requirements are met, including that the request for information is approved by the Committee for the Protection of Human Subjects for the California Health and Human Services Agency or an institutional review board.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Approps. Committee
AB 937 Carrillo (D)	Immigration Enforcement Prohibits state or local agencies or courts from using immigration status as a factor to deny or to recommend denial of probation or participation in any diversion, rehabilitation, mental health program, or placement in a credit-earning program or class, or to determine custodial classification level, to deny mandatory supervision, or to lengthen the portion of supervision served in custody.	Law Enforcement Reform Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Inactive File
AB 1041 Wicks (D)	Leave Issues Expands the population that an employee can take leave to care for to include a designated person. Defines "designated person" to mean a person identified by the employee at the time the employee requests family care and medical leave. Authorizes an employer to limit designation of a person, as prescribed.	Union Representation	Support Senate Inactive File
AB 1290 Lee (D)	Student Aid Commission Requires the Student Aid Commission to include 4 student members, one from each of the following: the University of California, the California State University, the California Community Colleges, and a California private postsecondary educational institution.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 1432 Low (D)	The California Online Community College Makes the California Online Community College Act inoperative at the end of 2022-23 academic year.	Budget Union Representation	Support Senate Education Committee

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AB 1599 Kiley (R)	Proposition 47: Repeal Repeals the changes and additions made by Proposition 47, except those related to reducing the penalty for possession of concentrated cannabis. Reduces the value threshold for a violation of those provisions to be punishable as a felony from specified amount to specified amount. Reduces the value threshold for committing grand theft under those provisions from specified amount to specified amount. Provides for the submission of this measure to the voters for approval at the next statewide general election.	Racial & Social Justice	Oppose Assembly Public Safety Committee
AB 1602 McCarty (D)	Student Housing Revolving Loan Fund Act of 2022 Establishes the Student Housing Revolving Loan Fund Act of 2022. Provides zero interest loans to qualifying applicants of the University of California, the California State University, and the Community Colleges for the purpose of constructing affordable student housing and faculty and staff housing.	Budget Education/ Student	Support Senate Floor
AB 1615 Ting (D)	Foster Youth: Housing Renames to housing navigator program as the Housing Navigation and Maintenance Program. Extends the age of eligibility for transitional housing in all counties to any former foster youth who is 18 to 24 years of age, inclusive, and would extend the maximum time they may receive services pursuant to these provisions to 36 months.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Human Services Committee
AB 1655 Jones-Sawyer (D)	State Holidays: Juneteenth Adds June 19, known as Juneteenth, to the lists of holidays. Requires community colleges and public schools to close on June 19. Requires the California State University, and requests the University of California, to close campuses on June 19. Requires that state employees, with specified exceptions, be given time off with pay on June 19.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 1665 Seyarto (R)	Trafficking a Minor: Plea Bargains Prohibits plea bargaining in a case in which the indictment or information charges the crime of human trafficking and it is alleged that the victim is a minor, unless there is insufficient evidence to prove the people's case, or testimony of a material witness cannot be obtained, or a reduction or dismissal would not result in a substantial change in sentence.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
AB 1671 Patterson (R)	Ban on Scholarship Displacement for Foster Youth Act Enacts the California Ban on Scholarship Displacement for Foster Youth Act of 2022, prohibiting each public and private institution of higher education in the state that receives, or benefits from, state-funded financial assistance, or that enrolls students who receive state-funded student financial assistance, from reducing an institution-based financial aid award below the financial need of a student who is a current or former foster youth, a resident, and enrolled as specified.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Human Services Committee
AB 1675 Ward (D)	Teacher Credentialing: Spouses of Active Duty Members Requires the commission to grant or deny a credential within 7 days of the date that the commission received a completed application if the applicant submits evidence that the applicant is married to, or in a domestic partnership or other legal union with, an active duty member of the Armed Forces of the United States who is assigned to a duty station in this state under official active duty military orders, proof of holding a valid, unexpired, professional-level teaching credential.	Education/ Student	Watch Assembly Education Committee
AB 1701 Medina (D)	California State University: Jump Start Grant Program Establishes the California State University Jump Start Grant Program to increase the number of tenure-track and full-time and part-time limited term bilingual faculty for bilingual authorization programs of accredited schools of education. Requires the office of the Chancellor of the California State University and schools of education to take certain actions related to the program.	Education/ Student	Support Assembly Approps. Committee

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AB 1703 Ramos (D)	California Indian Education Act: Task Forces Establishes the California Indian Education Act and encourages school districts, county offices of education, and charter schools to form California Indian Education Task Forces with California tribes local to their regions or tribes historically located in the region. The bill would encourage task force participants to discuss issues of mutual concern and to undertake certain work.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 1712 Medina (D)	Public Postsecondary Education: Campus Safety Requires the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges and the Chancellor of the California State University, and requests the President of the University of California, to develop questions with trauma-informed language to be submitted to the United States Secretary of Education for review and approval to be incorporated into a specified online survey tool for campus safety.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 1719 Ward (D)	Community College Faculty and Employee Housing Act Establishes a substantially similar program for community college faculty and employees. Defines the term faculty or community college district employees for these purposes to mean any person employed by a community college district, including, but not limited to, certified and classified staff.	Union/Representation	Support If Amended Senate Housing Committee
AB 1746 Medina (D)	Student Financial Aid: Cal Grant Reform Act Enacts the Cal Grant Reform Act, which would revise and recast the provisions establishing and governing the existing Cal Grant Program into a new Cal Grant Program. Specifies that the Cal Grant Reform Act would only become operative upon the appropriation by the Legislature, in the annual Budget Act or another statute, of sufficient funds to fully implement its provisions. Authorizes the Student Aid Commission to adopt emergency regulations to implement the Cal Grant Reform Act.	Budget Education/ Student	Support Senate Floor
AB 1764 Medina (D)	Public Postsecondary Education: Student Housing: Survey Requires the Office of the Chancellor of the California State University and the Office of the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges, and request the Office of the President of the University of California, to collect data on student housing insecurity at each of their respective campuses. Requires the Department of General Services to approve plans and specifications for a residence for students attending a campus of a community college upon a request by the community college district.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Floor
AB 1796 Choi (R)	Public Postsecondary Education: Reenrollment Requires the California State University, and request the University of California, to require each campus in their respective systems to grant students the right to reenroll in their baccalaureate degree program after withdrawing or stopping out, if the student was in good academic standing with the university.	Education/ Student	Watch Senate Education Committee
AB 1801 Nazarian (D)	State Holidays: Armenian Genocide Awareness Day Adds April 24, known as "Genocide Awareness Day," to these lists of holidays. Requires community colleges and public schools to close on April 24.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 1824 Public Employment & Retirement Committee	Public Employees' Retirement Revises the description of trustee service under the State Teachers' Retirement Law to link it to the definition of this service, which means duties performed by a member of the governing body of an employer. Specifies that termination of services does not include retired member activities, as defined, or retired participant activities, as defined. Makes Cash Balance Benefit Program.	Budget	Watch Senate Labor, Public Employment & Retirement Committee
AB 1844 Medina (D)	Higher Education Student, Staff, and Faculty Protection Requires the three 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.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Approps. Committee

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AB 1853 Berman (D)	Computer Science Preservice Teacher Grant Program Requires the commission to develop and implement a grant program to award competitive grants to institutions of higher education that offer commission-approved teacher preparation programs to develop and expand K-12 computer science and computational thinking coursework for individuals seeking a single or multiple subject credential with supplementary authorization in computer science or a single or multiple subject credential, as provided.	Education/ Student	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
AB 1856 Medina (D)	Community Colleges: Part Time Employees Requires community colleges, as a condition of receiving funding allocated for the Student Equity and Achievement Program, to negotiate in good faith with the exclusive representatives for part-time, temporary faculty on the terms of the reemployment preference for part-time, temporary faculty assignments and the regular evaluation process for part-time, temporary faculty.	Budget Union/ Representation	Watch Assembly Floor
AB 1868 Rivas (D)	English Language Acquisition Status: Data Requires the department, on an annual basis, to include a report that allows the public to view data on its internet website by English language acquisition status, as defined, for specified subjects, including for California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress test results. Requires the department to publicly report on an annual basis enrollment data by English language acquisition status and disability, as specified.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 1872 Low (D)	Election Day Holiday Adds 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, to the lists of holidays in this state. Requires community colleges and public schools to close on any day on which a statewide general election is held. Requires the California State University, and requests the University of California, to close campuses on a day on which a statewide general election is held.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
AB 1876 Seyarto (R)	Substitute Teachers: Emergency Career Substitute Requires the Commission on Teacher Credentialing to accept, as an alternative to a specified verification requirement, verification by an employer or employers of, in the 3 years immediately preceding the date of application, 3 consecutive years of at least 90 days per year of day-to-day substitute teaching accumulated from one or more California school districts participating in a consortium with the school district requesting the Emergency Career Substitute permit.	Education/ Student	Watch Senate Approps. Committee
AB 1893 Cunningham (R)	Teacher Credentialing: Emergency Teaching Permits Requires the commission to waive the basic skills proficiency requirement for the issuance of an emergency 30-day substitute permit until specified date. Deletes obsolete references, update cross-references, and make nonsubstantive changes.	Education/ Student	Watch Senate Approps. Committee
AB 1919 Holden (D)	Free Youth Transit Passes Creates the Youth Transit Pass Pilot Program, administered by the department, for purposes of awarding grants to transit agencies for the costs of creating, designing, developing, advertising, and distributing free youth transit passes to persons 25 years of age and under, providing free transit service to holders of those passes, and administering and participating in the program.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 1947 Ting (D)	Hate Crimes: Law Enforcement Policies Requires each law enforcement agency to report their hate crime policy to the Department of Justice, as specified, and to update their policy before specified deadlines and otherwise as directed by the department. Requires the department to post information regarding the compliance and noncompliance of agencies that are required to provide information relative to hate crimes to the department, by specified dates, and as required by future updates.	Racial & Social Justice Law Enforcement Reform	Support Senate Public Safety Committee

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AB 1949 Low (D)	Employees: Bereavement Leave Grants specified permanent employees of the state up to 3 days of bereavement leave, with up to 2 additional days of bereavement leave upon request if the death is out of state. Recast those provisions to specify that the first 3 days of bereavement leave are to be paid leave, and to remove the condition that the death be out of state for the additional 2 days.	Union Representation	Support Senate Floor
AB 1958 Fong M (D)	Community College Student Access, Retention, and Debt Establishes the Community College Student Access, Retention, and Debt Cancellation Program. Authorizes community college districts to use funds allocated pursuant to the program to discharge student debt or unpaid balances owed by a student to a community college in the district and would additionally require the governing board of a community college district to prioritize the use of those funds for community colleges in the district with the largest declines in enrollment due to impacts of the pandemic.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 1964 Fong M (D)	California State University and Community Colleges Requires the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges and the Chancellor of the California State University to ensure that at least one course identification (C-ID) descriptor number in certain ethnic studies areas is issued, as provided. Requires each California State University campus to accept any community college course articulated or approved, as specified, as meeting the campus' lower division ethnic studies course graduation requirement.	Racial & Social Justice	Watch Assembly Higher Education Committee
AB 1968 Seyarto (R)	Public Postsecondary Education Sexual Assault Survivors Requires 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.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 1987 Salas (D)	Postsecondary Education: Student Mental Health Requires the University of California, the California State University, and the Chancellor's Office of the California Community Colleges to submit a report by March 1 each year to the Department of Finance and the relevant policy and fiscal committees of the Legislature on the use of funds allocated for student mental health resources, as specified.	Budget	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
AB 1998 Smith T (R)	Community Colleges: Nonresident Tuition Fees Authorizes the board of governors to enter into an interstate attendance agreement with any statewide public agency of another state that is responsible for institutions of postsecondary education providing the first 2 years of college instruction and that is an agency of a state that is a party to the Western Interstate Compact for Higher Education, for the exchange of residents, on a one-for-one basis, for purposes of instruction.	Education/ Student	Oppose Senate Floor
AB 2013 Quirk-Silva (D)	California Statewide Housing Plan Relates to the California Statewide Housing Plan. Requires the plan to additionally include a goal to increase home ownership among people of color in the State, as specified.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Housing & Community Development Committee
AB 2018 Santiago (D)	Personal Income Tax Law: Refundable Credit Student Loan Allows a credit against certain taxes for a qualified taxpayer in a specified amount. Defines 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. Provides that the amount of the credit would be equal to the lesser of the federal student loan debt of the qualified taxpayer or \$10,000.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Revenue & Taxation Committee

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AB 2044 O'Donnell (D)	Graduation Requirements: Career Technical Education Relates to coursework requirement related to career technical education. Extends the inoperative date of that graduation requirement to specified date, or upon the occurrence of a specified event relating to career technical education requirements of the University of California and the California State University, whichever occurs earlier, as specified.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 2062 Salas (D)	Local Law Enforcement Hiring Grants Requires the Board of State and Community Corrections to establish a grant program to provide \$50,000,000 in grants to local law enforcement agencies to incentivize peace officers to work in local law enforcement agencies that are in underserved communities and to live in the communities that they are serving.	Law Enforcement Reform	Watch Assembly Approps. Committee
AB 2082 Rivas R (D)	Farmworker Indigenous Language Outreach Program Establishes and administer a program to commence on a specified date, except as specified, by contracting with community-based organizations to provide prescribed outreach services to farmworkers in indigenous languages.	Racial & Social Justice Union Representation	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
AB 2095 Kalra (D)	Employment Information: Worker Metrics Requires the agency to develop in a prescribed manner criteria and a scoring methodology to rank employers that would qualify as an employer eligible to be certified as a high-road employer. Authorizes the director to provide the agency with the names and relevant tax information, deemed appropriate by the Secretary of Labor and Workforce Development, of each private company that employs 1,000 or more employees in California for the purpose of complying with the agency-administered program.	Union Representation	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
AB 2122 Choi (R)	Mental Health Hotlines: Student Identification Cards Requires each campus of the California State University, and the California Community Colleges, and requests each campus of the University of California, without a campus mental health hotline to have printed on either side of student identification cards the telephone number of their city's or county's mental health hotline for a student identification card issued to a student on or after a certain date, as specified.	Education/ Student	Watch Senate Education Committee
AB 2222 Reyes (D)	Student Financial Aid: Golden State Social Opportunity Establishes the Golden State Social Opportunities Program to provide grants to students who are enrolled in an in-state postgraduate program from a University of California or California State University campus or an independent institution of higher education, if the student commits to working in a California-based nonprofit eligible setting for their required postdegree hours of supervised experience, as provided.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 2232 McCarty (D)	School Facilities: Heating, Ventilation, Air Systems Requires a covered school, defined as a school district, a county office of education, a charter school, a private school, the California Community Colleges, or the California State University, and would request the University of California, to ensure that facilities have heating, ventilation, and air conditioning (HVAC) systems that meet specified minimum ventilation rate requirements.	Budget Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 2233 Quirk-Silva (D)	Excess State Land: Development of Affordable Housing Requires the Department of General Services to develop, no later than specified date, a set of criteria to consistently evaluate state owned parcels for suitability as affordable housing sites. Requires, on or before specified date, and every certain years thereafter, the Department of General Services to, among other things, conduct a review of all state owned property and identify state owned parcels that are potentially viable for affordable housing based on those criteria.	Racial & Social Justice	Watch Senate Gov. Organization Committee

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AB 2235 Medina (D)	Teacher Credentialing: Supplementary Authorization Requires the Commission on Teacher Credentialing to develop an added or supplementary authorization in ethnic studies. The bill would require the commission to grant the added or supplementary authorization in ethnic studies to a credentialholder who has met the requirements and standards of the commission for the added or supplementary authorization in ethnic studies.	Education/ Student	Support If Amended Assembly Education Committee
AB 2261 Voepel (R)	Employment Relations: State Relates to existing law that requires every public employee organization to keep itemized financial records and to make those records available within 90 days after the end of its fiscal year. This bill would shorten that timeframe and instead require the financial records to be made available within 60 days after the end of the fiscal year.	Union Representation	Oppose Assembly Floor
AB 2263 Villapudua (D)	Golden State Apprenticeship and Vocational Training Establishes the Golden State Apprenticeship and Vocational Training Emergency Assistance Grant Program under the administration of the Student Aid Commission to provide one-time grants to California residents in financial need, as determined by the commission, who meet certain requirements for purposes of paying educational-related expenses associated with the eligible recipients state-approved apprenticeship or vocational program of participation.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
AB 2282 Bauer-Kahan (D)	Hate Crimes: Nooses, Crosses, and Swastikas Expands hate crime offenses to include hanging a noose, placing or displaying a sign, mark, symbol, emblem, or other physical impression, including, but not limited to, a Nazi swastika, and burning, desecrating, or destroying a religious symbol, such as a cross, at schools and public places, generally, as specified, for the purpose of terrorizing a person, as specified.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 2295 Bloom (D)	Local Educational Agencies: Housing Development Project Deems a housing development project an allowable use on any real property owned by a local educational agency, as defined, if the housing development satisfies certain conditions, including other local objective zoning standards, objective subdivision standards, and objective design review standards, as described. Repeals its provisions on specified date.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 2333 Smith T (R)	Hate Crimes: Peace Officers Adds status as a peace officer to the list of actual or perceived characteristics necessary to determine whether a criminal act qualifies as a hate crime.	Law Enforcement Reform	Oppose Assembly Public Safety Committee
AB 2371 Santiago (D)	Public Postsecondary Education: California State University Prohibits the charging of tuition or mandatory systemwide fees for enrollment at a campus of the California State University for any academic year, for up to 2 academic years, to a California Community College resident transfer student who has completed an associate degree for transfer and has received a fee waiver, as provided.	Education/ Student	Watch Assembly Higher Education Committee
AB 2379 Dahle M (R)	Employees: Substitute Teacher Service Prohibits an employer from discharging or in any manner discriminating against an employee for taking time off, not to exceed 2 days per month, to perform service as a substitute teacher at a local educational agency, as defined. Provides that an employee who is discharged, threatened with discharge, demoted, suspended, or in any other manner discriminated against in the terms and conditions of employment by their employer because the employee has taken time off to perform service.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Labor & Employment Committee

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AB 2401 McCarty (D)	Teacher Preparation Programs: Planning Grants Requires the commission to ensure that applicants for planning grants and implementation or expansion grants provide assurances related to supporting teacher preparation programs, as provided. Authorizes applicants that previously received planning grants, or implementation or expansion grants, to apply for new grants, contingent on sharing information on the previous grants and proposing expanded or new programs, as provided.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 2413 Carrillo (D)	Classified School and Community College Employees Prohibits the suspension without pay, suspension or demotion with a reduction in pay, or dismissal of a permanent employee of a school district or community college district who timely requests a hearing on charges against the employee before a decision is rendered after the hearing, unless the governing board or impartial third-party hearing officer finds that at the time discipline was imposed at the conclusion of the initial review process.	Union Representation	Watch Senate Labor, Public Employment & Retirement Committee
AB 2419 Bryan (D)	Environmental Justice: Federal Infrastructure Requires a minimum of 40 percent of funds received by the state under the IJIA and certain other federal funds to be allocated to projects that provide direct benefits to disadvantaged communities and a minimum of an additional 10 percent be allocated for projects that provide direct benefits to low-income households and low-income communities, as provided.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 2422 McCarty (D)	California State University: Investments Authorizes the chief fiscal officer of a campus of the California State University, upon approval of the Trustees of the California State University, to invest certain money received by the California State University in mutual funds subject to registration by, and under the regulatory authority of, the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, or in United States registered real estate investment trusts.	Budget	Watch Senate Education Committee
AB 2429 Quirk (D)	Commission on Peace Officers Standards and Training Requires the commission to perform specified duties, including, among other things, partnering with academic researchers to conduct an assessment of existing officer training requirements and determining how well the existing officer training requirements are working for officers in the field. Requires the commission to report its findings to the Legislature by a specified date.	Law Enforcement Reform	Watch Senate Public Safety Committee
AB 2456 McCarty (D)	Cal Grant Program: Student Eligibility: Summer Term Deletes the provision that prohibits increasing the aggregate amount students may receive under the Cal Grant Program as a result of accelerating progress to a degree by attending summer terms, sessions, or quarters. Requires that a student that accelerates colleges attendance and receives an award for coursework taken during a summer term, session, or quarter be enrolled in 30 or more semester units, or the equivalent, in that academic year.	Education/ Student	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
AB 2459 Cervantes (D)	Student Housing: Data Collection Requires the office of the Chancellor of the California State University and the office of the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges, and request the office of the President of the University of California, to collect and post on its external and internal internet websites, data on student housing at each of their respective campuses, as specified.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 2482 Calderon (D)	Public Postsecondary Education: Student Health: Pilot Establishes 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. Provides that participation of community colleges under the pilot program would be voluntary.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 2491 Cervantes (D)	Postsecondary Education: Cost of Attendance Requires institutions in the California Community Colleges, California State University, and University of California systems to each calculate a full-time student's cost of attendance at that institution. Requires that calculation to include, at a minimum, specified items, including room and board.	Education/ Student	Support Assembly Approps. Committee

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AB 2497 Reyes (D)	Higher Education Employer-Employee Relations Act Requires a higher education employer, upon notification by an exclusive representative, to distribute membership authorization forms, as defined, to each higher education employee as part of the new employee orientation process, and to collect and return the finished membership authorization forms to the exclusive representative, as specified.	Union Representation	Support Assembly Public Employment & Retirement Committee
AB 2557 Bonta M (D)	Peace Officers: Records Makes records and information obtained from records maintained by an agency or body established by a city, county, city and county, local government entity, state agency, or state department for the purpose of civilian oversight of peace officers subject to disclosure pursuant to the California Public Records Act.	Law Enforcement Reform	Support Assembly Judiciary Committee
AB 2596 Low (D)	Lunar New Year Holiday Requires the Governor annually to proclaim the date corresponding with the second new moon following the winter solstice, or the third new moon following the winter solstice should an intercalary month intervene, as the Lunar New Year.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor
AB 2624 Kalra (D)	Public Postsecondary Education: Course Materials Requires each campus of the California Community Colleges and the California State University, and requests each campus of the University of California, to prominently display the estimated costs for each course of all required course materials, and fees directly related to those materials, for no less than 75% of the total number of courses on the online campus schedule.	Education/ Student	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
AB 2663 Ramos (D)	Youth Acceptance Project Requires the State Department of Social Services to establish a specified year pilot program, the Youth Acceptance Project, in order to increase permanency outcomes for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, or plus and gender expansive youth, as defined, in up to specified counties, to be selected to participate on a voluntary basis in the pilot program, as specified.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Human Services Committee
AB 2664 Friedman (D)	Collegiate Athletics: Coaches: Misconduct Prohibits the state's postsecondary educational institutions from hiring new collegiate athletics coaches, or renewing the employment contract of existing collegiate athletics coaches, who have been convicted or found civilly liable of misconduct, as defined, relating to their current or any previous employment.	Union Representation	Support Assembly Higher Education Committee
AB 2683 Gabriel (D)	Postsecondary Education: Sexual Violence and Harassment Requires the governing board of each community college district and the Trustees of the California State University, and requests the Regents of the University of California, to provide, as part of established campus orientations, certain educational and preventive information about sexual violence to students and to publish certain information on these topics on the institution's internet website, as specified.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 2710 Kalra (D)	Residential Real Property: Sale Of Rental Properties Requires an owner of residential real property, defined to include a single family residential property that is occupied by a tenant or a multifamily residential property except as specified, to take various actions before offering the residential real property for sale to any purchaser, soliciting any offer to purchase the residential real property, or otherwise entering into a contract for sale of the residential real property.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Housing & Community Development Committee
AB 2761 McCarty (D)	Deaths While In Law Enforcement Custody: Reporting Requires the certificate of death to reflect when the decedent died through use of force by a peace officer, while in the custody of a peace officer, or while in the custody of state or local law enforcement, including a city or county jail or state prison, and the death was precipitated by law enforcement conduct.	Law Enforcement Reform Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Floor

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AB 2810 Arambula (D)	Student Nutrition: CalFresh: Student Eligibility States the intent of the Legislature to codify the federal administrative guidance encouraging institutions of higher education to use FAFSA data to inform students of eligibility for CalFresh. Conforms a definition of half-time student to the federal definition, for the purposes of determining CalFresh eligibility.	Education/ Student	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 2815 Berman (D)	Elections: Vote by Mail Ballot Drop Off Locations Requires a county, for a statewide primary or statewide general election conducted as an all mailed ballot election or otherwise, to provide an additional vote by mail ballot drop off location on the main campus of each State University within the jurisdiction and, upon request, each University of California campus within the jurisdiction. Applies only to a campus that would be in session for its fall, winter, or spring term on the day of the election.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Elections & Const. Amendments Committee
AB 2881 Berman (D)	Students With Dependent Children Requires the 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. Requires each Basic Needs Center to also ensure that students have the information they need to enroll in the California Special Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants, and Children.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Education Committee
AB 2932 Low (D)	Workweek: Hours and Overtime Requires that work in excess of 32 hours in a workweek be compensated at the rate of no less than 1 1/2 times the employee's regular rate of pay. Requires the compensation rate of pay at 32 hours to reflect the previous compensation rate of pay at 40 hours and would prohibit an employer from reducing an employee's regular rate of pay as a result of this reduced hourly workweek requirement.	Racial & Social Justice Union Representation	Support Assembly Labor & Employment Committee
ACA 8 Lee (D)	Wealth Tax: Appropriations Limits Authorizes the Legislature to impose a tax upon all forms of personal property or wealth, whether tangible or intangible, and would require any tax so imposed to be administered and collected by the Franchise Tax Board and the Department of Justice, as determined by the Legislature in statute.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Revenue & Taxation Committee
ACR 117 Holden (D)	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Honors the late civil rights pioneer and icon Martin Luther King, Jr. and commemorates Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Chartered
ACR 120 Bauer-Kahan (D)	Maternal Health Awareness Day Proclaims January 23, 2022, as Maternal Health Awareness Day.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Chartered
ACR 136 Ramos (D)	Missing and Murdered Indigenous People Designates the month of May 2022 as Missing and Murdered Indigenous People Awareness Month.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Enrolled
ACR 137 Ramos (D)	California Native American Day Recognizes the importance of California Native American Day, celebrated this year on September 23, 2022, and the annual California Indian Cultural Awareness Conference, to the enhancement of awareness of California Indian culture.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Rules Committee
ACR 143 Bryan (D)	Black History Month Recognizes February 2022 as Black History Month, urges all citizens to join in celebrating the accomplishments of African Americans during Black History Month, and encourages the people of California to recognize the many talents of African Americans and the achievements and contributions they make to their communities to create equity and equality for education, economics, and social justice.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Chartered
HR 89 Garcia (D)	Women's History Month Honors contributions of women, and proclaims the month of March 2022 as Women's History Month.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Adopted

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SB 17 Pan (D)	Office Of Racial Equity Establishes 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. Requires the office to develop the statewide Racial Equity Framework in collaboration with a Chief Equity Officer, who would be appointed and serve at the pleasure of the Governor and who would report to the Secretary of Government Operations in the Government Operations Agency.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
SB 309 Leyva (D)	School Finance: College Readiness: Grants: Notification Repeals provisions establishing the College Readiness Block Grant. Establishes the A-G Completion Improvement Grant Program, contingent upon an appropriation by the Legislature, to provide additional supports to local educational agencies to help increase the number of California high school pupils, particularly unduplicated pupils, who graduate high school meeting the A-G subject matter requirements for admission to the University of California and the California State University.	Education/Student	Support Assembly Education Committee
SB 367 Hurtado (D)	Student Safety: Opioid Overdose Reversal Medication Requires the governing board of each community college district and the Trustees of the California State University, in collaboration with campus-based and community-based recovery advocacy organizations, to additionally provide, as part of established campus orientations, educational and preventive information provided by the State Department of Public Health about opioid overdose and the use and location of opioid overdose reversal medication to students at all campuses of their respective segments.	Education/Student	Support Assembly Higher Education Committee
SB 452 Gonzalez (D)	State Government Office of Immigrant and Refugee Affair Establishes the Immigrant and Refugee Affairs Agency as an agency within state government, to be headed by a secretary who is appointed by the Governor and subject to Senate confirmation. Specifies that the purpose of the agency is to reduce obstacles and enhance immigrant integration, as defined, into the social, cultural, economic, and civic life of the state.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
SB 523 Leyva (D)	Health Care Coverage: Contraceptives Enacts the Contraceptive Equity Act of 2021. Makes various changes to expand coverage of contraceptives by a health care service plan contract or health insurance policy issued, amended, renewed, or delivered on and after a specified date, 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.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Approps. Committee
SB 644 Leyva (D)	Health Care Coverage Outage Requires the American Health Benefit Exchange, at least monthly beginning July 1, 2022, to request from the Employment Development Department (EDD) contact information of each applicant for unemployment compensation or any other program administered by EDD.	Union Representation	Support Assembly Health Committee
SB 875 Skinner (D)	Crimes: Parole Prohibits the Board of Parole Hearings from considering discriminatory factors when reaching a finding of unsuitability for parole, including, among other factors, the person's race, ethnicity, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, gender identity, disability, cultural or religious affiliation, and cognitive, speech, or physical impairment.	Law Enforcement Reform Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Public Safety Committee
SB 882 Eggman (D)	Intellectual and Development Disabilities Creates the Advisory Council on Improving Interactions between People with Intellectual and Development Disabilities and Law Enforcement, under the Department of Justice, to, among other things, evaluate existing training for peace officers specific to interactions between law enforcement and individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Requires the council to be composed of certain members, appointed by the Governor, Attorney General, Senate Committee on Rules, and Speaker of the Assembly.	Law Enforcement Reform	Support Assembly Public Safety Committee

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SB 960 Skinner (D)	Public Employment: Peace Officers: Citizenship Removes provision that requires peace officers to either be a citizen of the United States or be a permanent resident who is eligible for and has applied for citizenship, and would make conforming changes.	Law Enforcement Reform	Watch Assembly Approps. Committee
SB 976 Leyva (D)	Universal Preschool Act Renames the Early Education Act as the Universal Preschool Act, and would revise and recast the act to, among other things, require the State Department of Education, in consultation with the State Department of Social Services, to administer the universal preschool program. Requires the Superintendent and the Director of Social Services to convene a statewide coordination council to develop, among other things, goals, guidelines, and best practices.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Education Committee
SB 1006 Jones (R)	Law Enforcement: Homeless Outreach Teams Requires the Department of Justice, to the extent funding is provided for these purposes, to administer a competitive grant program to enable local law enforcement agencies to establish and operate homeless outreach teams. Requires a homeless outreach team funded with a grant to be composed of specified individuals.	Law Enforcement Reform	Oppose Senate Approps. Committee
SB 1047 Limon (D)	Early Learning and Care Extends eligibility for childcare and development programs and the preschool program to families in which a member of the family has been certified as eligible to receive benefits from certain means-tested government programs, including Medi-Cal and CalFresh.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Human Services Committee
SB 1068 Laird (D)	Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development Requires the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development to develop economic forecasts. Requires the economic forecasts to include climate impacts.	Budget Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Approps. Committee
SB 1153 Archuleta (D)	Rechargeable Battery Recycling Act of 2006: Data Report Requires a battery handling or battery recycling facility to provide that data to the Department of Toxic Substances Control in the form requested by the department and on or before the date requested by the department.	Racial & Social Justice	Watch Assembly Environ. Safety & Toxic Materials Committee
SB 1199 Roth (D)	University of California, Riverside, School of Medicine Authorizes the Regents of the University of California to expend money, upon appropriation by the Legislature for this purpose, to secure an acute care teaching hospital in the County of Riverside through acquisition, construction, rehabilitation, lease, management, or operating agreement to serve as an academic medical center for the purpose of training University of California, Riverside, School of Medicine medical students, medical residents, and medical fellows.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Higher Education Committee
SB 1228 Wiener (D)	Criminal Procedure: DNA Samples Creates procedures for reference samples of DNA from a victim of or witness to a crime or alleged crime, and to reference samples of DNA from intimate partners or family members of a victim or witness voluntarily provided for the purpose of exclusion, as defined.	Law Enforcement Reform Racial & Social Justice	Watch Assembly Approps. Committee
SB 1230 Limon (D)	Zero-Emission and Near-Zero-Emission Vehicle Incentive Requires the regulations implementing the Clean Cars 4 All Program to ensure that an eligible state resident may participate in the program regardless of whether the local air district that the person resides in has contracted with the state board to implement the program, and that an incentive that is used to purchase a vehicle is only used for the purchase of a hybrid vehicle or a zero-emission vehicle.	Racial & Social Justice Budget	Support Assembly Transport. Committee

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SB 1319 Grove (R)	Oil Imports: Air Quality Emissions Data Expresses the intent of the Legislature that the Energy Commission monitor foreign countries that export oil to California and identify on its internet website which of those countries have demonstrated human rights abuses, as documented by the United States Department of State or by human rights organizations.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SB 1321 Ochoa Bogh (R)	Public Contracts: Goods and Services Requires a state agency in soliciting bids submitted under the provisions described above to address a need arising from a state of emergency declared by the Governor, to provide a mechanism for bidders to self-identify as a bidder whose headquarters are in California, whose principal place of business is in California, or whose headquarters are in the United States and who primarily manufacture their goods or provide their services in California.	Budget Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Account. & Admin. Review Committee
SB 1325 Gonzalez (D)	Techquity Innovation Program Establishes the Techquity Innovation Program, to be administered by GO Biz, to fund grants or investments, upon appropriation by the Legislature, that advance equity in tech entrepreneurship in the State, and support underserved, equity forward entrepreneurs and business owners in geographic areas that are socioeconomically disadvantaged or that have limited venture capital funding opportunities.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Floor
SB 1397 Borgeas (R)	Substitute Teachers: Days of Service Authorizes a holder of an emergency substitute teaching permit to substitute teach during the school year for any one teacher up to 60 days for a holder of an emergency 30-day substitute permit or an emergency substitute teaching permit for prospective teachers.	Education/ Student	Watch Assembly Education Committee
SB 1401 Bradford (D)	College Athlete Race and Gender Equity Act Requires institutions of higher education to establish a degree completion fund for each of its student athletes in accordance with applicable rules and bylaws of the governing body of the institution and applicable rules and bylaws of any athletic association of which the institution is a member, as provided. Requires a student athlete to have immediate access to funds in the degree completion fund of up to a specified amount per academic year.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Approps. Committee
SB 1413 McGuire (D)	State Food Assistance Program Provides that, if the Commission on State Mandates determines that the bill contains costs mandated by the state, reimbursement for those costs shall be made pursuant to the statutory provisions noted above.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Assembly Human Services Committee
SB 1467 Kamlager (D)	Maternal Mental Health Specifies that screening for prenatal, postpartum, or interpregnancy care is to be offered or given to a biological mother.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Senate Health Committee
SCR 62 Bradford (D)	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Honors the late civil rights pioneer and icon Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and commemorate Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Chapters
SCR 67 Bradford (D)	Black History Month Recognizes a specified month as Black History Month. Urges all citizens to join in celebrating the accomplishments of African Americans during Black History Month. Encourages the people of the State to recognize the many talents of African Americans and the achievements and contributions they make to their communities to create equity and equality for education, economics, and social justice.	Education/ Student Racial & Social Justice	Support Chapters
SR 66 Limon (D)	California Fair Pay Act Recognizes January 29, 2022, as the anniversary of the California Fair Pay Act and its historic importance to the advancement of women's rights in our state.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Adopted

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SR 68 Limon (D)	National Caregivers Day Recognizes February 18, 2022, as National Caregivers Day to recognize caregivers across the United States whose compassionate care enables millions of Americans who are aging or who have a disability to remain as independent as possible in their own homes.	Racial & Social Justice	Support Adopted