

Summary Listing of Selected Solid Waste Related Bills

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CA AB 34 **AUTHOR:** Williams (D)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Compost Market Program
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SUMMARY:
 Amends the Integrated Waste Management Act which establishes a compost market program to increase the use of compost products in place of, or to supplement, petroleum-based commercial fertilizers in the state's highway landscape maintenance program. Defines compost to include vegetable, yard, and wood wastes that are not hazardous waste.
STATUS:
 01/24/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Paul	Watch 01/25/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 204 **AUTHOR:** Halderman (R)
TITLE: Sales and Use Taxes: Exemption: Biomass Energy
LAST AMEND: 03/08/2011
LOCATION: Assembly Revenue and Taxation Committee
SUMMARY:
 Exempts from the Sales and Use Tax Law, the sale of, and the storage, use, or other consumption in this state of, equipment purchased by a biomass energy facility, for use in its biomass energy production.
STATUS:
 03/08/2011 From ASSEMBLY Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION with author's amendments.
 03/08/2011 In ASSEMBLY. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

<u>Analyst</u>	<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>
Santinia	Cyndi Paul	Pending 02/08/2011	Mary
<u>Subject</u>			
Biomass			
ESJPA			

CA AB 255 **AUTHOR:** Wieckowski (D)
TITLE: Hazardous Waste: Latex Paint: Collection Facility
LOCATION: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
SUMMARY:
 Allows a permanent household hazardous waste collection facility that is authorized to accept hazardous waste from a conditionally exempt small quantity generator (CESQG) to accept recyclable latex paint from any generator if the waste collection facility complies with certain requirements.
STATUS:
 02/18/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Paul	Watch 02/03/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 291 **AUTHOR:** Wieckowski (D)
TITLE: Hazardous Materials: Business Plans
LOCATION: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
SUMMARY:
 Requires a business to adopt the plan or inventory for specified lesser or greater amounts of various classes of hazardous materials if the hazardous materials meets certain requirements. Provides that the administering agency would be required to make findings regarding the regulation of certain of these hazardous materials in consultation with the local fire chief.
STATUS:
 02/24/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Paul	Watch 02/14/2011	Mary	CUPA ESJPA

CA AB 298 **AUTHOR:** Brownley (D)
TITLE: Recycling: Reusable Bags
COMMITTEE: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
HEARING: 03/21/2011 2:30 pm, Room 447
SUMMARY:
 Prohibits a manufacturer from selling or distributing a reusable bag in this state, if the bag is designed or intended to be sold or distributed to a store's customers, unless the reusable bag meets certain conditions regarding the cleaning and disinfection of the bag and the material of which the bag is composed.
STATUS:
 02/24/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Paul	Pending 02/14/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 341 **AUTHOR:** Chesbro (D)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Diversion
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SUMMARY:
 Requires the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to ensure that 75% of all solid waste generated is source reduced, recycled, or composted by a specified date. Requires a city, county, city and county, or regional agency to update all information required to be included in the nondisposal facility element. Requires a business that contracts for solid waste services and generates a specified total of solid waste and recyclable material to take specified action. Relates to permit revisions.
STATUS:
 02/24/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Paul	Pending 02/11/2011	Larry Mary	ESJPA Solid.Waste

CA AB 408 **AUTHOR:** Wieckowski (D)
TITLE: Hazardous Waste Transportation: Consolidated Manifest
LOCATION: Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee
SUMMARY:
 Allows the consolidating manifesting procedure to be used for the receipt, by a hazardous waste transporter, of one shipment of used oil from a generator whose identification number has been suspended.
STATUS:
 03/03/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Paul	Pending 02/15/2011	Larry Mary	CUPA ESJPA

CA AB 445 **AUTHOR:** Carter (D)
TITLE: Hazardous Waste
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
 Amends an existing law which provides for the regulation of hazardous waste by the Department of Toxic Substances Control. Deletes obsolete provisions from and makes nonsubstantive changes to a related declaration of legislative intent.
STATUS:
 02/15/2011 INTRODUCED.

<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
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	Paul	Pending 02/16/2011	Larry Mary	ESJPA
CA AB 508	AUTHOR: TITLE: LOCATION: SUMMARY: STATUS:	Swanson (D) Displaced Public Transit, and Solid Waste Employees Assembly Labor and Employment Committee Provides for displaced public transit, solid waste handling and recycling services employees. 03/03/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT.	<u>Staff</u> Larry Mary	<u>Subject</u> ESJPA
	<u>Lobbyist</u> Paul	<u>Position</u> Pending 02/16/2011		
CA AB 525	AUTHOR: TITLE: LOCATION: SUMMARY: STATUS:	Gordon (D) Solid Waste: Tire Recycling Assembly Natural Resources Committee Requires the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to provide outreach to local agencies regarding a program it may establish under existing law to award grants to cities, counties, and other local government agencies for the funding of public works projects that use waste tires in public works projects. Extends the operative date of the Public Works Waste Tire Grant Program. 03/03/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.	<u>Staff</u> Larry Mary	<u>Subject</u> ESJPA
	<u>Lobbyist</u> Paul	<u>Position</u> Watch 02/16/2011		
CA AB 549	AUTHOR: TITLE: LOCATION: SUMMARY: STATUS:	Carter (D) Recycling: Electronic Waste Assembly Natural Resources Committee Amends the Electronic Waste Recycling Act of 2003 regarding recovery payments. Requires that the covered electronic device for which payment is claimed was used in this state. Authorizes CalRecycle to review any documentation submitted by an authorized collector or covered electronic waste recycler before making payments. 03/03/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES and ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.	<u>Staff</u> Larry Mary	<u>Subject</u> ESJPA Solid.Waste
	<u>Lobbyist</u> Paul	<u>Position</u> Pending 02/17/2011		
CA AB 583	AUTHOR: TITLE: LOCATION: SUMMARY: STATUS:	Knight (R) Electronic Waste: Administration Assembly Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials Committee Transfers duties, powers, and authority of the Department of Toxic Substances to CalRecycle. Requires the employees of the DTSC who are serving in the state civil service for purposes of carrying out the duties to be transferred to CalRecycle, except with regard to the identification of those devices that are hazardous waste. 03/03/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committees on ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS and NATURAL RESOURCES.	<u>Staff</u> Larry Mary	<u>Subject</u> ESJPA Solid.Waste
	<u>Lobbyist</u> Paul	<u>Position</u> Pending 02/17/2011		

CA AB 681 **AUTHOR:** Wieckowski (D)
TITLE: Emergency Response: Hazardous Substances: Costs
COMMITTEE: Assembly Judiciary Committee
HEARING: 03/22/2011 9:00 am, Room 4202
SUMMARY:
 Amends existing law regarding the expense of a public agency's emergency response to the release, escape, or burning of hazardous substances. Provides that the expenses are a charge against the person whose negligence caused the incident if the incident necessitated an evacuation from the building, structure, property, or public right-of-way where the incident originates, or resulted in the spread of a hazardous substance.
STATUS:
 03/03/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on JUDICIARY.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	CUPA ESJPA

CA AB 712 **AUTHOR:** Williams (D)
TITLE: Recycling: Beverage Containers
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SUMMARY:
 Corrects an erroneous reference in the Legislative findings of the act. Amends the California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act requiring a distributor to pay a redemption payment for each beverage container sold or offered for sale to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery.
STATUS:
 03/07/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 762 **AUTHOR:** Smyth (R)
TITLE: Public Health: Medical Waste
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY
SUMMARY:
 Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to existing law which establishes various programs for the prevention of disease and the promotion of health including, but not limited to, administration of the Medical Waste Management act relating to the regulation of medical waste, including provisions related to the treatment, containment, and storage of medical waste.
STATUS:
 02/17/2011 INTRODUCED.

<u>Analyst</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Mickey	Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 789 **AUTHOR:** Chesbro (D)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Tire Recycling
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee
SUMMARY:
 Requires the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to provide outreach to local agencies regarding a program for the funding of public works projects that use waste tires. Prohibits the amount appropriated from being less than 16% of the amount of the funds appropriated for market development and new technology activities for used tires and waste tires.
STATUS:
 03/10/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 794 **AUTHOR:** Wieckowski (D)

TITLE: Solid Waste: Hazardous Electronic Waste
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee

SUMMARY:
 Authorizes CalRecycle to impose a civil penalty per violation against any person, including an e-waste collector or recycler, who makes a false statement or representation and to revoke the approval or deny the renewal application of a covered collector or recycler that makes a false representation or has a history with pattern of operation in conflict with the Electronic Waste Recycling Act of 2003. Relates to qualifying products for payment by CalRecycle. Relates to the review and payment of claims.

STATUS:
 03/10/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES and JUDICIARY.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA Solid.Waste

CA AB 812 **AUTHOR:** Ma (D)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Recycled Concrete: Recycled Asphalt
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:
 requires the Department of Transportation to increase the allowable amount of recycled asphalt pavement to 50% for hot mix asphalt mixes, unless the Director of Transportation determines that the use of the material is not practical, cost effective, or appropriate for a given application.

STATUS:
 02/17/2011 INTRODUCED.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 818 **AUTHOR:** Blumenfield (D)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Multifamily Dwellings
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee

SUMMARY:
 Enacts the Renters' Right to Recycle Act. Requires an owner of a multifamily dwelling, defined as a residential facility that consists of 5 or more living units, to arrange for recycling services that are appropriate and available for the multifamily dwelling, consistent with state or local laws or requirements applicable to the collection, handling, or recycling of solid waste.

STATUS:
 03/10/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES and LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 837 **AUTHOR:** Nestande (R)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Plastic Packaging Containers
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:
 Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to existing law that requires rigid packaging containers sold or offered for sale in this state to meet specified criteria, including, but not limited to, that the container be made from 25% postconsumer material.

STATUS:
 02/17/2011 INTRODUCED.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 868 **AUTHOR:** Davis (D)
TITLE: Hazardous Waste: Transportation
LOCATION: Assembly Transportation Committee
SUMMARY:

Amends existing law regarding hazardous waste transportation weight amounts. Increases the

maximum weight amount to 10,000 pounds. Increases the maximum gallon hazardous wastewater exception amount from the dewatering to 5,000 gallons.

STATUS:

03/10/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committees on TRANSPORTATION and ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	CUPA ESJPA

CA AB 900

AUTHOR: Swanson (D)
TITLE: Public School Campuses: Recycling and Composting Bins
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Amends an existing law that encourages school districts to establish a paper recycling program. Require that recycling and composting bins be located on the campus of each public elementary and secondary school in the state. Provides that a school district is responsible for providing the bins that are located on each campus.

STATUS:

02/17/2011 INTRODUCED.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 921

AUTHOR: Allen (D)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Compost
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee

SUMMARY:

Enacts the Agricultural Water Efficiency with Compost Use and Greenhouse Gas Reduction Act of 2011 to measure and monitor any increase in agricultural water efficiency resulting from the compost applications made pursuant to the incentives adopted by the State Air Resources Board pursuant to the California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006.

STATUS:

03/10/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 960

AUTHOR: Lowenthal B (D)
TITLE: Recycling: Electronic Waste
LOCATION: Assembly Natural Resources Committee

SUMMARY:

Requires as a condition of CalRecycle that a recycler make certain demonstrations regarding the export of electronic devices from which that waste was derived and the export of all other electronic waste handled by the recycler. Revises the requirement imposed on exportation to additionally include a person who exports electronic waste or a previously used electronic device. Requires regulations exempting materials or component parts of electronic waste or previously used electronic devices.

STATUS:

03/10/2011 To ASSEMBLY Committees on NATURAL RESOURCES and ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY AND TOXIC MATERIALS.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA AB 1016

AUTHOR: Achadjian (R)
TITLE: Nuisance: Landfill Activities
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Provides that no landfill activity, operation, or facility, or appurtenances thereof in operation for more than 3 years, and conducted or maintained for commercial purposes in a manner consistent with proper and accepted customs and standards, shall become a nuisance due to any changed condition in the locality if it was not a nuisance at the time it began. Requires the

seller of any specified residential dwelling that is in close proximity to a landfill to give a specified written notice to the purchaser.

STATUS:

02/18/2011 INTRODUCED.

Position

Watch 02/23/2011

Staff

Mary

Subject

ESJPA
Landfills

CA AB 1019

AUTHOR: Perez J (D)

TITLE: Solid waste: carpet stewardship

LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Creates a deadline for existing law that requires the Department of General Services, to the extent feasible and within existing resources, to take appropriate steps to ensure that postconsumer carpet removed from state buildings is managed in that a manner that diverts the carpet from landfills and recycles it into secondary products or manages it in a manner consistent with the states hierarchy for waste management practices.

STATUS:

02/18/2011 INTRODUCED.

Position

Watch 02/23/2011

Staff

Mary

Subject

ESJPA

CA AB 1149

AUTHOR: Gordon (D)

TITLE: Beverage Containers: Recycling And Litter Reduction

LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Amends the Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act. Requires a distributor to pay a redemption payment for every beverage container sold or offered for sale in the state. Requires the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery setting the amount of the market development payments for both certified entities and product manufacturers, to consider certain factors and would extend the authorization to make these payments.

STATUS:

02/18/2011 INTRODUCED.

Position

Watch 02/23/2011

Staff

Mary

Subject

ESJPA

CA AB 1178

AUTHOR: Ma (D)

TITLE: Solid Waste: Compost Market Program

LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Amends the California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989, establishing a compost market program to increase the use of compost products, including requiring the Department of General Services and Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to maintain specifications for the purchase of compost. Specifies that these organic wastes include, but are not limited to, vegetable, yard, and wood wastes that are not hazardous waste.

STATUS:

02/18/2011 INTRODUCED.

Lobbyist

Paul

Position

Watch 02/25/2011

Staff

Larry
Mary

Subject

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CA AB 1183

AUTHOR: Berryhill B (R)

TITLE: Hazardous Substances: Accidental Release Prevention

LOCATION: ASSEMBLY

SUMMARY:

Provides that the provisions establishing the program for the prevention of accidental releases of regulated substances are to be known as the California Accidental Release Prevention Program or CalARP.

STATUS:

02/18/2011 INTRODUCED.

Position

Watch 02/23/2011

Staff

Mary

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CA AB 1189

AUTHOR: Mendoza (D)
TITLE: Recycling: Batteries
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY**SUMMARY:**

Amends existing of the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery. Imposes requirements upon the sale of rechargeable consumer products containing rechargeable batteries and imposes labeling requirements upon rechargeable batteries. Makes conforming changes with regard to the authority of the department in administering the act.

STATUS:

02/18/2011 INTRODUCED.

Position

Watch 02/23/2011

Staff

Mary

Subject

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CA AB 1227

AUTHOR: Huber (D)
TITLE: Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY**SUMMARY:**

Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to the California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act that requires every beverage container sold or offered for sale in this state to have a minimum refund value and makes various findings and declarations regarding beverage container recycling.

STATUS:

02/18/2011 INTRODUCED.

Lobbyist

Paul

Position

Watch 02/19/2011

Staff

Mary

Subject

ESJPA

CA AB 1258

AUTHOR: Knight (R)
TITLE: Beverage Containers: Recycling and Litter Reduction
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY**SUMMARY:**

Makes technical, nonsubstantive changes to the California Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act, which requires a distributor to pay a redemption payment of \$0.04 for every beverage container sold or offered for sale in the state to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery for deposit in the Beverage Container Recycling Fund.

STATUS:

02/18/2011 INTRODUCED.

Position

Watch 02/23/2011

Staff

Mary

Subject

ESJPA

CA AB 1351

AUTHOR: Logue (R)
TITLE: Underground Storage Tanks Fees
LOCATION: ASSEMBLY**SUMMARY:**

Requires if the State Board of Equalization finds that the person who currently owns an underground storage tank failed to make a report or return because he or she was a qualified absentee owner of an underground storage tank, the notice of determination is to be mailed within 3 years after the date the amount was required to have been paid or report was due.

STATUS:

02/18/2011 INTRODUCED.

Position

Watch 02/23/2011

Staff

Mary

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ESJPA**AUTHOR:**

CA SB 225	TITLE: COMMITTEE: HEARING: SUMMARY:	Simitian (D) Pollution Control Financing Authority: Loan Program Senate Environmental Quality Committee 03/21/2011 1:30 pm, Room 112 Authorizes the State Pollution Control Financing Authority to establish loss reserve accounts for the purposes of terminal rental adjustment clause leasing, if funds are available for contribution into the loss reserve account for financial institutions, from any source other than the authority.			
	STATUS:	02/17/2011	To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.		
	<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>	
	Paul	Watch 02/11/2011	Mary	ESJPA	
CA SB 324	AUTHOR: TITLE: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Cannella (R) Beverage Container Recycling Senate Rules Committee Makes a conforming change to the Beverage Container Recycling and Litter Reduction Act's statement of legislative intent.			
	STATUS:	02/24/2011	To SENATE Committee on RULES.		
	<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>	
	Paul	Pending 02/16/2011	Larry Mary	ESJPA	
CA SB 419	AUTHOR: TITLE: COMMITTEE: HEARING: SUMMARY:	Simitian (D) Solid Waste: Home-Generated Sharps Senate Environmental Quality Committee 03/21/2011 1:30 pm, Room 112 Amends existing law that requires a pharmaceutical manufacturer selling or distributing medication that is intended to be self-injected at home to submit to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery a plan supporting the safe collection and proper disposal of specified waste devices. Requires the plan to be submitted in an electronic format. Requires the manufacturer to post and maintain a copy of that plan in a readily accessible location on its internet website.			
	STATUS:	02/24/2011	To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.		
	<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>	
	Paul	Pending 02/17/2011	Larry Mary	ESJPA Solid.Waste	
CA SB 456	AUTHOR: TITLE: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Huff (R) Household Hazardous Waste: Transportation Senate Environmental Quality Committee Authorizes a door-to-door household hazardous waste collection program to transport household hazardous waste to a treatment storage and disposal facility or to an exempt transfer facility that is used while the waste is in transit to either the household hazardous waste collection facility or to the treatment storage and disposal facility. Provides for manifests.			
	STATUS:	02/24/2011	To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.		
	<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>	
	Paul	Pending 02/17/2011	Larry Mary	ESJPA	
CA SB 515	AUTHOR:	Corbett (D)			

TITLE: Recycling: Stewardship: Batteries: Waste Management**LOCATION:** Senate Environmental Quality Committee**SUMMARY:**

Requires a producer of the household battery stewardship organization created by one or more producers of a household battery to submit a household battery stewardship plan to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery. Allows a registered hazardous waste transporter to elect to submit a plan on behalf of one or more producers. Requires the transporter to comply with provisions applicable to battery stewardship organization. Prohibits selling a battery unless the plan for that battery is complete.

STATUS:

03/03/2011 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Paul	Support 02/20/2011	Larry Mary	ESJPA Stewardship

CA SB 518

AUTHOR: Simitian (D)**TITLE:** Recycling: Beverage Containers**COMMITTEE:** Senate Environmental Quality Committee**HEARING:** 03/21/2011 1:30 pm, Room 112**SUMMARY:**

Deletes provisions that require the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery to establish reporting periods for redemption rates and that require the department to determine redemption rates for specified types of beverage containers.

STATUS:

03/03/2011 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA SB 567

AUTHOR: DeSaulnier (D)**TITLE:** Recycling: Plastic Products**LOCATION:** Senate Environmental Quality Committee**SUMMARY:**

Prohibits the sale of a plastic product labeled as compostable or marine degradable unless it meets standard specifications or a specified standard, or unless the plastic product is labeled with a qualified claim and the plastic product meets that standard. Provides for a civil penalty for a violation.

STATUS:

03/03/2011 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA SB 568

AUTHOR: Lowenthal A (D)**TITLE:** Recycling: Polystyrene Food Containers**LOCATION:** Senate Environmental Quality Committee**SUMMARY:**

Prohibits a food vendor, on and after January 1, 2013, from dispensing prepared food to a customer in a polystyrene foam food container and would define related terms.

STATUS:

03/03/2011 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA SB 589

AUTHOR: Lowenthal A (D)**TITLE:** Solid Waste: Tire Recycling**LOCATION:** Senate Environmental Quality Committee**SUMMARY:**

Amends the California Tire Recycling Act which imposes a tire fee on a new tire purchased in the state and which requires the expenditure of funds in a manner consistent with a certain 5-year plan. Requires the 5-year plan to reflect the priorities for waste reduction and recycling

specified in the Integrated Waste Management Act.

STATUS:

03/03/2011 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA SB 833

AUTHOR: Vargas (D)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Facilities Permit
LOCATION: Senate Environmental Quality Committee

SUMMARY:

Prohibits an enforcement agency from issuing a solid waste facilities permit if that permit would allow the disposal of solid waste within a specified distance of a river that supplies any aquifer that provides drinking water for more than a specified number of persons, or within a specified distance of a site considered to be sacred and of spiritual importance to a federally recognized indian tribe.

STATUS:

03/10/2011 To SENATE Committee on ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA SB 841

AUTHOR: Wolk (D)
TITLE: Solid Waste: Enterprises: Contracts
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee

SUMMARY:

Makes technical corrections to provisions of the existing California Integrated Waste Management Act of 1989 regarding contracts for solid waste handling, with regard to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery.

STATUS:

03/10/2011 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Watch 02/23/2011	Mary	ESJPA

CA SB 887

AUTHOR: Emmerson (R)
TITLE: Rendering
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee

SUMMARY:

Makes a technical, nonsubstantive change to requires any renderer who operates vehicles for the purpose of collecting inedible kitchen grease to register as a transporter of inedible kitchen grease and to otherwise comply with other provisions of existing law governing the transportation of inedible kitchen grease.

STATUS:

03/10/2011 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>	<u>Subject</u>
Paul	Watch 02/24/2011	Larry Mary	ESJPA

CA SB 900

AUTHOR: Steinberg (D)
TITLE: Water Quality: Waste Discharge Requirements: Fees
LOCATION: Senate Rules Committee

SUMMARY:

Amends the Porter-Cologne Water Quality control Act. Requires a waste discharger to file a report of waste discharge with regional water quality control board and to pay an annual fee established by the State Water Resources Control Board. Requires the state board to report to the Governor and the Legislature on the expenditure of those annual fees on or before December 1 of each year.

STATUS:

03/10/2011 To SENATE Committee on RULES.

<u>Analyst</u>	<u>Lobbyist</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Staff</u>
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