

2005-2006 Bill Summary
Senate Committee on Business, Professions & Economic
Development
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BILL NO	AUTHOR	SUBJECT	SUMMARY	DISPOSITION
SB 152	Speier	Pseudoephedrine	Requires pharmacists and retailers to store pseudoephedrine in a locked area, requires purchasers to provide valid identification, and requires specified training for retail staff. Requires an electronic system to track the sale of pseudoephedrine to assure that no more than three packages or no more than 9 grams are sold within a 30-day period to a single purchaser.	Died in Senate BP&ED
SB 169	Midgen	Certified phlebotomy technicians	Urgency measure to extend to January 1, 2007, the date by which an unlicensed employee of a clinical laboratory performing venipuncture or skin puncture to draw blood must become certified as a certified phlebotomy technician.	Chapter 14, Statutes of 2006, Mar. 29, 2006
SB 194	Maldonado	Proprietary private security officers	Enacts the Proprietary Security Service Act requiring proprietary private security officers to register with the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services within the Department of Consumer Affairs.	Chapter 655, Statutes of 2005
SB 228	Figueroa	Geologists and geophysicists: professional engineers and land surveyors	Extends sunset date of the Board for Geologists and Geophysicists, and extends the sunset date for the Board for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors.	Chapter 657, Statutes of 2005
SB 229	Figueroa	Professions and vocations	Extends sunset dates for the Board of Psychology, Board of Behavioral Sciences, Court Reporters Board, and Structural Pest Control Board, and implements recommendations made by the Joint Committee on Boards, Commissions and Consumer Protection.	Chapter 658, Statutes of 2005
SB 230	Figueroa	Structural Fumigation Enforcement Program	Urgency measure to eliminate the July 1, 2006 sunset of the Structural Fumigation Enforcement Program of Los Angeles and Orange Counties.	Chapter 42, Statutes of 2006, June 12, 2006

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SB 231	Figueroa	Healing arts: Medical Board of California.	Extends sunset date of the Medical Board of California, and makes changes to the Board, as recommended by an Enforcement Monitor, under a statutorily-required review of the Board.	Chapter 674, Statutes of 2005
SB 232	Figueroa	Boards and commissions	Extends sunset dates for the Board of Podiatric Medicine, Speech-Language and Audiology Board, Physician Assistant Committee, Respiratory Care Board of California, Interior Designer law, and Contractors State License Board, and deletes that the sunset dates for the California Heritage Preservation Commission, Boating and Waterways Commission, Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Commission, and Commission for Economic Development.	Chapter 675, Statutes of 2005
SB 233	Figueroa	Acupuncture	Provides for the sunset of the Acupuncture Board and modifies the definition of acupuncture.	Died in Senate Appropriations
SB 246	Figueroa	Human milk	Requires a hospital that collects, processes, stores, or distributes human milk collected from a mother exclusively for her own child to comply with the most current standards established by the Human Milk Banking Association of North America until or unless the Department of Health Services approves alternative standards.	Chapter 480, Statutes of 2006
SB 247	Perata	The Boxing Act	Recreates the State Athletic Commission until July 1, 2009, expands the medical testing of athletes for licensure and competition; makes other administrative changes to improve its efficiency and fiscal stability.	Chapter 465, Statutes of 2006
SB 248	Figueroa	Professions and vocations	Extends sunset dates for the Dental Board of California, Committee on Dental Auxiliaries, Acupuncture Board, and extends the date for sunset review of the Osteopathic Medical Board of California.	Chapter 659, Statutes of 2005

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SB 263	Speier	Sellers of travel: regulation	Requires anyone who sells land or water based transportation to comply with the sellers of travel law, establishes conditions for the sale of "travel discount programs;" makes changes related to enforcement and administration of sellers of travel.	Chapter 628, Statutes of 2006
SB 278	Cedillo	Boxing pensions	Eliminates the January 1, 2006 sunset on the \$100,000 cap for the fee collected by the State Athletic Commission on the gross receipts of a boxing, kickboxing, or martial arts contest or wrestling exhibition.	Chapter 104, Statutes of 2005
SB 299	Chesbro	Dentistry	Urgency measure to modify the Dental Board's Licensure by Credential program to provide that the five-year clinical practice requirement is met by contracting to practice dentistry full-time for two years in a specified licensed primary care clinic, or teach two years in an accredited dental education program; appropriates \$53,000 to implement the bill; allows the Dental Board to define "full time" and to establish exemptions to the full time requirement on a case-by-case basis.	Chapter 4, Statutes of 2006, January 30, 2006
SB 356	Alarcón	Acupuncture	Authorizes an acupuncturist to order diagnostic tests commonly accepted in the medical community and to perform or prescribe electrical stimulation.	Died in Senate BP& ED
SB 412	Figueroa	Massage therapy	Creates a Massage Therapy Organization and provides for the certification of massage therapists and massage practitioners by the Organization.	Died in Assembly
SB 438	Migden	Oral and maxillofacial surgery	Authorizes Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons licensed by the Dental Board, who are not also licensed as physicians by the Medical Board of California, to perform elective facial cosmetic surgery, as specified.	Chapter 909, Statutes of 2006

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SB 488	Soto	Contractors	Enhances penalties for third and subsequent convictions for contracting without a license; makes it a misdemeanor for the qualifying person of a contractor's license to violate workers' compensation insurance requirements.	Chapter 205, Statutes of 2005
SB 495	Vincent	Traveling carnivals	Requires traveling carnivals operating amusement rides to report certain user injuries to the Department of Consumer Affairs and provide a copy to the injured person; imposes amusement ride safety requirements on traveling carnivals.	Died in Senate L&IR
SB 503	Figueroa	Accountants: peer review: fees	Eliminates the requirement that fees charged for applications for certified public accountant examinations, renewals, certificates, firm registration, and practice privilege be directly related to the actual administrative costs to the Board of Accountancy.	Chapter 447, Statutes of 2006
SB 524	Torlakson	Primary care physicians: continuing education.	Required primary care physicians who treat patients for depression and other related ailments, specifically through the use of certain antidepressant drugs, to complete four units of mandatory continuing education course on that subject every four years. Amended to instead authorize the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, by resolution, to provide different retirement benefits for different bargaining units of safety employees, as specified.	Bill Chapter 633, Statutes of 2006
SB 551	Lowenthal	Common Interest Development Bureau	Establishes the Common Interest Development Bureau within the Department of Consumer Affairs to provide education, dispute resolution, data collection, and abate violations of the common interest development law.	Died in Assembly B&P

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SB 579	Aanestad	Optometry: licenses: advertisements	Authorizes the Board of Optometry to issue a license to practice optometry in California to applicants that have passed the licensing examination for an optometric license in another state if the applicant meets specified criteria; allows for the advertisement of free optometric services under specified conditions.	Chapter 302, Statutes of 2006
SB 581	Figueroa	Health studio contracts: maximum fees: cancellation rights	Specifies conditions, circumstances and time frames under which a person may cancel a contract for health studio services; raises the amount a health studio can charge for the contract; allows for a right to cancel; provides for prorated reimbursement within a specified time; requires facilities that have not yet opened to hold moneys received in trust and meet other specified requirements.	Bill Chapter 439, Statutes of 2005
SB 582	Figueroa	Retailers: disclosures	Requires retailers to provide information to a product vendor regarding discounts and stocking fees offered by other vendors to place similar products on the shelf; requires retailers to share market information equally with all vendors.	Died in Senate BP&ED
SB 583	Figueroa	Cancer: nonconventional treatment	Exempts physicians who provide treatment or advice to cancer patients regarding alternative or complementary medicine from being disciplined solely because that treatment or advice is alternative or complementary medicine if certain conditions are met.	Died in Assembly Health
SB 592	Aanestad	Acute care hospitals: inpatient pharmacy technician services	Allows a general acute care hospital to establish a program allowing specially trained pharmacy technicians to check the work of other pharmacy technicians relating to filling floor and ward stock and unit dose distribution for patients whose orders have previously been reviewed by a licensed pharmacist (checking program).	Died in Assembly Health

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SB 614	Figueroa	Certified nurse-midwives	Authorizes a certified nurse-midwife to furnish or order Schedule II controlled substances under conditions applicable to the furnishing or ordering of Schedule III, IV, or V controlled substances, including patient-approved protocols approved by the treating supervising physician and surgeon, and to receive continuing education specific to the use of Schedule II drugs in settings other than a hospital.	Chapter 266, Statutes of 2005
SB 625	Battin	State and local surplus property: written offer to sell or lease: economic development purposes.	Requires the Department of General Services and local government agencies to make an exclusive offer to sell surplus state property to a local government or nonprofit organization engaged in economic development.	Died in Assembly B&P
SB 644	Ortiz	Dispensing prescription drugs and devices	Prohibits a health care licentiate (such as a pharmacist) from obstructing a patient from obtaining prescribed drugs or devices, except under specified conditions.	Chapter 417, Statutes of 2005
SB 683	Aanestad	Dentistry: licensure	Authorizes the Dental Board to grant a license to an applicant who completes a one year clinically advanced education program in general practice, and who passes an examination in California law and ethics	Chapter 805, Statutes of 2006
SB 700	Aanestad	Radiologic technology: radiologist assistants	Creates a new certification category of radiology assistant; establishes education and training requirements.	Died in Senate BP&ED
SB 736	Speier	Healing arts: diagnostic imaging services	Prohibits, with exceptions, a physician from charging, for performance of the technical component of computerized tomography (CT), positron emission tomography (PET), or magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) diagnostic imaging services if those services were not actually rendered by the physician or a member of his or her group practice, under his or her direct supervision, or by an employee of the physician.	Died in Assembly Appropriations

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SB 752	Cox	Engineers: licensure	Authorizes the Board for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors with regard to an out-of-state applicant (comity applicant) who has passed an examination in a branch of engineering not recognized in California, to register the applicant in a licensed branch of engineering in which the applicant's experience and education indicate the closest relationship, if the applicant meets the minimum qualifications for licensure in that branch.	Died in Assembly B&P
SB 777	Soto	Grocery stores. Amended: County employees' retirement	As introduced, required a grocery store to have a checkout area available for senior citizens where an employee is available to bag groceries. Amended to clarify various sections of the County Employees Retirement Act of 1937.	Chapter 369, Statutes of 2006 Withdrawn from Committee
SB 833	Bowen	Unsolicited advertising faxes	Adopts the federal opt-in requirement for junk faxes (unsolicited advertising via facsimile machines, computers, or other electronic devices), and prohibits unsolicited commercial faxes to or from California; permits those who receive junk faxes to sue the sender or advertiser, for actual damages or \$500, whichever is greater and for treble damages for knowing or willful violations; requires identifying information on any junk fax sent to or from California.	Chapter 667, Statutes of 2005
SB 914	Kehoe	Animal cruelty	Makes selling a dog under the age of eight weeks, except as specified, an infraction or a misdemeanor, and makes each sale a separate offense.	Chapter 669, Statutes of 2005
SB 932	Kuehl	Physicians and surgeons: peer review	Significantly changes the process for hospital peer review in California.	Died on Senate Inactive File

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SB 934	Vincent	Dogs and cats: spay or neuter agreement: penalties for violation	Requires an animal control shelter or humane society that sells or gives away an unspayed or unneutered dog or cat to require the adopter or purchaser to agree in writing to be responsible for ensuring that the animal will be spayed or neutered, and subjects the person who violates the agreement to specified civil fines and penalties.	Died in Senate BP&ED
SB 1111	BP&ED	Committee Health Omnibus Bill	Makes numerous non-controversial, minor, non-substantive or technical changes to various provisions, relating to the Medical Board of California, the Board of Pharmacy, and the Veterinary Medical Board, the Dental Board, the Board of Occupational Therapy, the Respiratory Care Board and the Board of Podiatric Medicine.	Chapter 621, Statutes of 2005
SB 1112	BP&ED	Committee Non-Health Omnibus Bill	Makes several non-controversial, minor, non-substantive or technical changes to various miscellaneous provisions pertaining to the California Architects Board and the Contractors State License Board.	Chapter 280, Statutes of 2005
SB 1113	BP&ED	Committee Urgency Omnibus Bill	Urgency measure to make several minor and technical changes relating to various regulatory boards, including: extends the sunset date for the executive officer of the Board of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors to coincide with the board's sunset date; corrects drafting errors to 2004 legislation revising the home improvement contract law; clarifies the practice exemption for licensed landscape contractors under the Landscape Architects Practice Act.	Chapter 48, Statutes of 2005, July 18, 2005
SB 1231	Dunn	Mobilehomes: park inspections	Extends, until January 1, 2012, the sunset date on the Department of Housing and Community Development's Mobilehome Park Maintenance Inspection Program.	Chapter 644, Statutes of 2006 Withdrawn from Committee

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SB 1232	Runner	Division of Licensing: out-of-state physicians and surgeons.	Requires an applicant from another state for California physician licensure to be licensed by the other state for at least four years, and requires the out-of-state applicant to have graduated from a recognized medical school that has a residency program, and requires that the applicant has not been subject to disciplinary action, or an adverse judgment or settlement which constitutes a pattern of negligence or incompetence.	Chapter 133, Statutes of 2006
SB 1285	Aanestad	Speech-language pathology	Expands the scope of practice of speech-language pathologists to include performing suctioning in connection with their existing scope of practice after compliance with a medical facility's training protocols on suctioning procedures.	Chapter 153, Statutes of 2006
SB 1361	Vincent	Psychologists: applicants for licensure	Includes in the list of degrees that would qualify an applicant for licensure in psychology, an earned doctorate degree in an interdisciplinary or specialized area in psychology.	Died in Senate BP&ED
SB 1369	Maldonado	Clinical laboratories: anatomic pathology services	Requires "direct billing" for anatomic pathology services (unless the person performing the services is exempted) and defines anatomic pathology services for this purpose.	Died in Assembly Health
SB 1397	Lowenthal	Athletic trainers: registration	Establishes the Athletic Trainers Certification Act, which prohibits a person from representing him/herself as an athletic trainer unless he/she is certified as an athletic trainer by an athletic training organization, as defined.	Vetoed by Governor
SB 1423	Figueroa	Laser procedures	Requires the Medical Board of California and the Board of Registered Nursing to review issues related to the use of laser or intense light pulse devices for elective cosmetic procedures.	Chapter 873, Statutes of 2006

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SB 1424	Figueroa	The California Workforce and Economic Information Program: administration: report	Requires the Employment Development Department to provide data and information, consult with an advisory committee, and publish a biennial report relative to the manufacturing sector, as specified.	Died in Assembly Appropriations Withdrawn from Committee
SB 1436	Figueroa	Small business: state agency information	Reestablishes prior law requiring every state agency regulating small businesses to have a small business liaison; requires links on state agency websites regarding information applicable specifically to small businesses.	Chapter 234, Statutes of 2006
SB 1438	Figueroa	Healing arts: reporting requirements	Recasts and clarifies the law relating to the disclosure and reporting of information concerning settlements, arbitration awards, and judgments in medical malpractice actions for physicians, osteopaths and podiatrists.	Chapter 223, Statutes of 2006
SB 1472	Figueroa	Dentistry: dental hygienists	Creates a California Dental Hygiene Bureau; extends sunset dates for the Dental Board of California.	Vetoed by Governor
SB 1473	Figueroa	Education: Private Postsecondary Education and Student Protection Act	Repeals the Private Postsecondary and Vocational Education Reform Act of 1989 and recasts its provisions as the Private Postsecondary Education and Student Protection Act, in the Business and Professions Code administered by the renamed Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education in the Department of Consumer Affairs.	Died in Senate Appropriations
SB 1474	Figueroa	Barbering & Cosmetology	Reconstitutes the membership of the Board of Barbering and Cosmetology; extends the sunset of the Board; specifies that it is a misdemeanor for a licensee to use a laser; exempts a person who is licensed by another state or a foreign country from the Board examination requirement if that license is in good standing and has been active for three of the last five years with no disciplinary action or criminal convictions.	Chapter 253, Statutes of 2006

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SB 1475	Figueroa	Committee Health Omnibus Bill	Makes several non-controversial, minor, non-substantive or technical changes to various miscellaneous provisions pertaining to the Board of Vocational Nursing and Psychiatric Technicians, Board of Pharmacy, Board of Behavioral Sciences, and the Telephone Medical Advice Services Bureau; extends the sunset date one year for physicians and surgeons administering anesthesia in a dental office.	Chapter 659, Statutes of 2006
SB 1476	Figueroa	Joint Committee on Boards Commissions and Consumer Protection, Omnibus Sunset Bill	Enacts recommended changes for the Physical Therapy Board, Board of Occupational Therapy, and Board for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors; extends sunset dates of various other boards within the Department of Consumer Affairs in order to adjust Joint Committee workload; increases the number of tax preparer members on the California Tax Education Council; revises the prescription drug pedigree program and extends the implementation date by two years.	Chapter 658, Statutes of 2006
SB 1490	Ducheny	Cemetery regulation	Requires the Cemetery and Funeral Bureau to adopt regulations that establish minimum standards of maintenance for endowment care cemeteries under its jurisdiction; requires the Bureau to disclose specific information about cemeteries on its Internet site.	Chapter 401, Statutes of 2006
SB 1492	Speier	Automotive body repair: insurance claims	Requires the Department of Insurance to establish a Rapid Dispute Resolution program to resolve disputes over auto insurance claims.	Died in Senate Appropriations
SB 1513	Romero	California International Trade and Investment Act	Authorizes the Business, Transportation, and Housing Agency to carry out international trade and investment activities; requires the development of a comprehensive international trade and investment policy for California.	Chapter 663, Statutes of 2006

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SB 1523	Alarcon	Development projects: superstore retailers	Requires a city, county, or city and county to prepare an economic impact report before approving a development project which includes construction of a superstore retailer; requires the developer to pay for the economic impact report.	Vetoed by Governor Withdrawn from Committee
SB 1525	Murray	International trade and investment office: Johannesburg, South Africa	Authorizes the Secretary of Business, Transportation and Housing to establish, and accept private monies to finance, on a contract basis, an international trade and investment office in Johannesburg, South Africa	Died in Assembly JED&E
SB 1529	Murray	International trade and investment office: Seoul, Republic of Korea	Authorizes the Secretary of Business, Transportation and Housing to establish, and accept private monies to finance, on a contract basis, an international trade and investment office in Seoul, in the Republic of Korea.	Died in Assembly JED&E
SB 1537	Alarcon	Labor and Workforce Development Agency: California Business Investment Services Unit	Requires the California Business Investment Services Unit in the Labor and Workforce Development Agency to perform various functions relating to communication, provide liaison with California businesses, advise the Agency Secretary about problems and concerns of the business community and how to market California as a place for businesses to locate or expand.	Died in Assembly Appropriations
SB 1541	Ducheny	Registered dental assistants: licensure	Establishes a work experience pathway for licensure as a specialty registered dental assistant.	Chapter 908, Statutes of 2006
SB 1550	Figueroa	Professional Fiduciaries Act	Creates the Professional Fiduciaries Bureau in the Department of Consumer Affairs; requires individuals acting or holding themselves out as professional fiduciaries to meet educational and examination requirements, comply with a Code of Ethics, file specific information and become licensed by the Bureau; requires the Bureau to investigate complaints against licensed conservators, and take disciplinary action against violations.	Chapter 491, Statutes of 2006

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SB 1568	Dunn	Law schools and law degree programs	Transfers regulation and oversight of unaccredited law schools and correspondence law schools from the Bureau for Private Postsecondary and Vocational Education to the State Bar's Committee of Bar Examiners.	Chapter 534, Statutes of 2006 Withdrawn from Committee
SB 1578	Lowenthal	Dogs: tethering prohibition	Makes the tethering of a dog to a stationary object, except as specified, an infraction or misdemeanor, depending on the offense, punishable by a fine not to exceed \$1,000 per dog and/or up to six months in a county jail.	Chapter 489, Statutes of 2006
SB 1638	Figueroa	Midwives: advisory council: annual report	Requires the Medical Board of California to establish a Midwifery Advisory Council, and requires licensed midwives to make annual reports to the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development containing specified information regarding births the midwife assisted in delivering during the prior year.	Chapter 536, Statutes of 2006
SB 1662	Lowenthal	Teachers: limited-English-proficient certificate requirements	Authorizes a teacher holding a clear multiple or single subject teaching credential issued for the life of the holder to provide instruction to limited-English-proficient pupils without possessing the specified certificate or meeting the minimum requirements otherwise required to possess it.	Died in Senate Education
SB 1670	Aanestad	Radiologic technology	Allows a certified radiologic technologist and a limited permit X-ray technician to devote continuing education credit hours to digital radiologic technology.	Chapter 537, Statutes of 2006
SB 1698	Ashburn	Military and aerospace enterprise development	Extends the sunset on the Office of Military and Aerospace Support for two years, until January 1, 2009; expands its duties to include outreach to the aerospace industry to foster aerospace enterprises in California.	Chapter 681, Statutes of 2006

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SB 1737	Figueroa	Consumer rebates	Regulates the offering and fulfillment of consumer rebates, including requiring a minimum of 30 days for consumers to submit a rebate request and a maximum of 60 days for companies to mail the rebate after receiving the request; limits what companies can require the consumer to provide in order to complete a rebate request form.	Vetoed by Governor
SB 1806	Figueroa	Animals: abuse	Creates criminal penalties for leaving an animal in an unattended motor vehicle under conditions that endanger the health or well-being of the animal.	Chapter 431, Statutes of 2006 Withdrawn from Committee
SB 1808	Aanestad	Physicians and surgeons: death penalty executions	Provides that participating in a death penalty execution, does not constitute the practice of medicine and that a physician and surgeon who carries out or participates in a death penalty execution does not violate the Medical Practice Act and shall not be subject to any disciplinary action by the Medical Board.	Died in Senate Public Safety
SB 1848	Figueroa	Consumer warranties: members of the armed forces	Urgency measure to extend California's Lemon Law (Song-Beverly Consumer Warranty Act) to cover members of the armed forces stationed in or a resident of California who purchase a motor vehicle from a manufacturer who sells consumer goods in this state, regardless of in which state the vehicle is purchased or registered.	Died in Assembly Rules
SB 1849	BP&ED	Committee Non-Health Omnibus Bill	Makes minor, technical and updating changes relating to the Bureau of Security & Investigative Services, Cemetery & Funeral Bureau, Bureau of Home Furnishings & Thermal Insulation, Bureau of Automotive Repair and the land surveyor law, real estate law, and process server law.	Chapter 760, Statutes of 2006

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SJR 25	Figueroa	International trade agreements and pharmaceutical drug programs	Urges the United States Trade Representative to clarify in a legally binding manner that provisions relative to pharmaceuticals and health care in the United States-Australia Free Trade Agreement and other pending free trade agreements do not constrain state administration of federal health care programs.	Died in Assembly Health
SJR 28	Figueroa	International trade agreements: public health services	Memorializes Congress and the President of the United States to ensure that international trade agreements preserve the traditional powers of state and local governments to regulate and protect public health.	Died in Assembly
AB 21	Levine	Pharmacists: practice requirements	Requires pharmacists to dispense a lawful prescription, but allows a pharmacist to decline on ethical, moral, or religious grounds to dispense a drug if the pharmacist satisfies certain conditions; makes a violation of these provisions unprofessional conduct and harassment, as specified.	Died in Senate Health
AB 31	Parra	Partnership for the San Joaquin Valley	Urgency measure to create the California Partnership for the San Joaquin Valley, composed of the heads of specified state agencies and departments, to coordinate and improve state, federal and local efforts to increase the living standards and the overall economic performance of the San Joaquin Valley.	Died on Senate Floor
AB 53	Negrete McLeod	Surplus state property	Urgency measure. The Department of General Services, annual surplus property bill, which authorizes the Department to sell, exchange or lease specified properties for fair market value.	Died on Senate Floor Withdrawn from Committee
AB 73	Frommer	Prescription drugs: importation: procurement	Requires the Department of Health Services to establish a website to facilitate purchasing prescription drugs at reduced prices.	Vetoed by Governor Withdrawn from Committee

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AB 87	Bermudez	Trapping licenses: exemptions	Exempts structural pest control operators licensed by the Structural Pest Control Board and persons licensed or certified by the Department of Pesticide Regulation from the requirement to obtain a trapping license from the Department of Fish and Game when trapping rats, mice, voles, moles or gophers.	Chapter 406, Statutes of 2006
AB 120	Cohn	Physical therapy: continuing education	Establishes a continuing education or competency requirement for physical therapists and physical therapists assistants prior to the renewal of a license or approval by the Physical Therapy Board of California.	Chapter 540, Statutes of 2006
AB 163	Bermudez	Barbering and cosmetology: threading: examination and licensure	Revises the definition of hair "threading" to include the incidental trimming of eyebrow hair; revises the requirement that a person submit an application for "admission to examination," and an "application for licensure."	Vetoed by Governor
AB 178	Koretz	California Cigarette Fire Safety and Firefighter Protection Act	Prohibits the sale of cigarettes that do not meet specified fire safety standards beginning January 1, 2007; establishes fire safety certification requirements and provides civil penalties for violations.	Chapter 633, Statutes of 2005
AB 180	Jerome Horton	Collective bargaining: direct care registered nurses	Authorizes "direct care registered nurses" to organize for purposes of collective bargaining.	Died in Assembly on Concurrence
AB 205	Ruskin	Denture identification	Requires all dentures to be marked with the patient's name, unless the patient objects; requires the dentist to obtain the patient's written consent to mark the dentures.	Chapter 182, Statutes of 2005
AB 223	Negrete McLeod	Real estate licensure: education requirements	Requires the existing 45-hour continuing education requirement for real estate license renewal to include risk management courses.	Chapter 183, Statutes of 2005
AB 225	Negrete McLeod	Electronic prescription information	Aligns state law with federal law allowing healthcare facilities to receive nonmonetary goods and services for the purposes of transmitting prescription information electronically.	Chapter 698, Statutes of 2006

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AB 226	Bermudez	Automotive technology education	Urgency measure to establish an Automotive Career and Technical Education Account, and redirect 10% of the reserve in the Vehicle Inspection and Repair Fund to the Account to provide reimbursements to high school, community college and regional occupational centers' automotive technology programs.	Died in Senate Appropriations
AB 237	Arambula	California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank	Requires the California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank (I-Bank) to create a new program to assist small and rural communities in financing local infrastructure projects from specified bond proceeds.	Died in Senate Appropriations
AB 268	Matthews	Unprofessional conduct	Requires the Osteopathic Medical Board of California, to be notified about convictions, malpractice judgments and other matters related to gross negligence or incompetence of its licensees, by such entities as malpractice insurers, coroner offices, district attorneys and the courts.	Chapter 216, Statutes of 2005
AB 283	Koretz	Ephedrine and pseudoephedrine: retail sale	Requires a retailer to store goods containing ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, or any derivative of ephedrine or pseudoephedrine, in a locked cabinet, or in a manner that the goods are accessible only with the assistance of the retailer or an employee of the retailer.	Died in Senate Public Safety Withdrawn from Committee
AB 293	Maze	Home inspections	Requires home inspectors to provide certain, specified disclosures prior to conducting a home inspection; makes it an unfair business practice if the disclosures are not made.	Died in Senate Rev. & Tax
AB 302	Assm B&P	Professions and vocations	Urgency measure to revise the requirements for reporting malpractice settlements and judgments to the Architects Board by licensed architects and their insurers; makes clarifying and conforming changes regarding the limited prescribing authority of naturopathic doctors.	Chapter 506, Statutes of 2005, October 4, 2005
AB 303	Calderon	Automotive repair dealers: insurers	Would allow a vehicle owner to authorize his/her insurer to act on his/her behalf to arrange repair of the owner's motor vehicle, as specified.	Died in Senate Banking, Finance and Insurance

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AB 316	Nakanishi	Contractors	Clarifies the obligation of a qualifier (qualifying partner, responsible managing officer, or responsible managing employee) for a contractor license to comply with an arbitration award even though they have notified the Contractors State License Board that they will no longer be the qualifier for the license; revises and refines the home improvement contract and the service and repair contract.	Chapter 385, Statutes of 2005
AB 327	De La Torre	Steven M. Thompson Physician Corps Loan Repayment Program: fees	Permits the Medical Board of California to give a physician and surgeon the option of making a \$50 voluntary donation upon an initial or renewal license in order to fund the Steven M. Thompson Physician Corps Loan Repayment Program.	Chapter 293, Statutes of 2005 Withdrawn from Committee
AB 354	Cogdill	Telemedicine	Provides that, from July 1, 2006 through December 31, 2008, face-to-face contact between a health care provider and a patient shall not be required for the Medi-Cal program for store and forward teleophthalmology and teledermatology.	Chapter 449, Statutes of 2005
AB 367	Nakanishi	Physician and surgeon's fee waiver	Provides a waiver for the initial license fee paid by a physician and surgeon who certifies that the sole purpose for the license is to provide voluntary, unpaid service to indigent patients in medically underserved areas.	Chapter 144, Statutes of 2005
AB 370	Aghazarian	Optometry	Requires the Board of Optometry to file an accusation against a licensee within three years after the Board discovers the act or omission, or within seven years after the act or omission occurred, whichever comes first, subject to certain exceptions.	Chapter 186, Statutes of 2005
AB 409	Yee	Disciplinary actions: suspension	Urgency measure to allow the Board of Barbering and Cosmetology to suspend a license issued by the Board, without an advance hearing, when an establishment has violated health and safety laws related to manicure and pedicure equipment, and where the action is necessary to protect the public's health and safety.	Chapter 381, Statutes of 2006, Sept. 22, 2006

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AB 425	Negrete McLeod	Organized retail crime	Makes various legislative findings and declarations concerning the impact of organized retail crime.	Died in Senate BP&ED
AB 446	Negrete McLeod	Licensees: settlement agreements	Prohibits any licensee or professional overseen by the Department of Consumer Affairs from including in a civil settlement agreement any "gag clause" provision that prohibits the other party from contacting or filing a complaint with the Department.	Vetoed by Governor Withdrawn from Committee
AB 481	Calderon	Repossessors	Provides that a reposessor shall not be obliged to determine whether property is a "personal effect" or who owns the "personal effect;" provides that no one shall interfere with a reposessor in the performance of his or her lawful duties once the repossession, as defined, is complete.	Vetoed by Governor
AB 488	Bermudez	Optometry	Revises and updates the Optometric Practice Act relating to licensing, revenue and disciplinary actions.	Chapter 393, Statutes of 2005
AB 497	Negrete McLeod	Drug wholesalers and manufacturers: nonresident wholesalers.	Allows a nonresident pharmaceutical drug wholesaler to submit a single surety bond for all licensed sites, rather than a surety bond for each individual site.	Chapter 301, Statutes of 2005
AB 512	Richman	Clinical laboratories	Authorizes the Department of Health Services to revoke or suspend a clinical laboratory's license and/or impose specified civil money penalties on a laboratory for failure to comply with disease reporting requirements.	Chapter 219, Statutes of 2005
AB 522	Plescia	Automated drug delivery system: Medi-Cal coverage: drugs or other therapies: registered sex offenders.	Urgency measure to ensure limited access to automated drug delivery systems in skilled nursing facilities and intermediate care facilities; prohibits access to prescription drugs for erectile dysfunction under the Medi-Cal program by a registered sex offender.	Chapter 469, Statutes of 2005, Oct. 4, 2005 Withdrawn from Committee
AB 582	Matthews	Political advertisements: text messages	Prohibits a candidate or political committee in California from transmitting a text message advertisement to a cellular telephone, pager, or two-way messaging device.	Chapter 711, Statutes of 2005

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AB 585	Negrete McLeod	Equipment dealers	Urgency measure to revise and recast equipment dealer law to set forth the contractual rights and obligations of dealers, single-line dealers, suppliers, and single-line suppliers.	Chapter 712, Statutes of 2005, Oct. 7, 2005
AB 592	Yee	Physicians and surgeons	Provides that a physician and surgeon who provides treatment of persistent Lyme Disease shall not be subject to discipline by the Medical Board of California.	Chapter 304, Statutes of 2005
AB 595	Negrete McLeod	Pharmacy: compounding of prescription drugs	Defines compounding of prescription drugs and establishes standards for pharmacies that compound drug products for patients.	Died on Senate Inactive File
AB 602	Spitzer	Health studios	Provides that when a health studio facility is transferred or sold to another health studio, a consumer of the health studio shall be given the option of receiving a refund of the remaining payments on the existing contract or entering into a new contract on the same terms with the new owners of the facility.	Died in Senate BP&ED
AB 630	Chu	Immigration consultants	Revises the bond requirement for immigration consultants and requires immigration consultants to pass a background check.	Chapter 605, Statutes of 2006
AB 634	Lieber	International marriage brokers	Requires international marriage brokers to file a \$50,000 bond with the Secretary of State (SOS) and a disclosure form with specified information; authorizes SOS to charge and collect a filing fee to carry out these provisions; requires the Attorney General, Speaker of the Assembly and President pro Tem of the Senate to convene a task force to draft basic rights information.	Died in Senate Appropriations
AB 657	Karnette	Pharmacies: prescription containers: labels	Requires prescription labels to include the intended purpose of the drug; requires a physician, dentist, optometrist, podiatrist or other specified drug prescriber, to ask the patient or the patient's representative, whether to indicate the intended purpose of the prescription on the label.	Died in Senate BP&ED

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AB 669	LeSuer	Physician and surgeons: abortions: follow up medical care	Requires a physician, who performs an abortion, to advise the patient to seek follow-up medical care from the physician, from her personal physician, or from any physician of her choice.	Died in Senate BP&ED
AB 734	Parra	Endangered species: crimes	Allows products made from certain species of kangaroo to be imported into California.	Died in Senate NR&W Withdrawn from Committee
AB 766	Chavez	Internet based dating services	Requires an Internet-based dating service to remove a subscriber's personal information from public display upon termination of paid services.	Died in Senate Judiciary
AB 770	Mullin	Common interest developments: ombudsperson	Establishes an Office of the Common Interest Development Ombudsperson as a pilot project within the Department of Consumer Affairs to provide education, informal dispute resolution and data collection on common interest developments.	Vetoed by Governor
AB 777	Nunez	Taxes: credits: qualified motion picture production	Authorizes a credit against personal income and corporation taxes, as specified, for qualified wages paid or incurred in the production of a qualified motion picture.	Died in Senate Rev. & Tax
AB 790	Yee	Real estate licensees	Authorizes the Department of Real Estate to suspend or revoke the license of a real estate licensee, or deny issuance of a real estate license to an applicant, if they have knowingly made, or caused to be made, false statements concerning their designation or certification of special education, credential, or trade organization membership.	Chapter 199, Statutes of 2006
AB 827	Goldberg	Private postsecondary education: consumer credit regulations	Requires a private postsecondary institution to provide a notice, pursuant to federal law, in a consumer credit contract; specifies that failure to do so subjects the institution to criminal sanctions for a willful failure to conform to the requirement.	Chapter 815, Statutes of 2006

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AB 843	Nunez	Tax preparers	Prohibits a tax preparer who advertises a refund anticipation loan from representing the loan as an actual tax refund; requires the tax preparer to provide the client with a specified disclosure.	Chapter 396, Statutes of 2005
AB 861	Bass	Barbering and cosmetology: licensure	Authorizes the Board of Barbering and Cosmetology to issue probationary licenses to applicants, subject to specified terms and conditions; requires the Board to report to the Legislature by September 1, 2007, on the effects of law, regulations, and policy that may create unnecessary barriers to licensing people with criminal records.	Chapter 411, Statutes of 2006
AB 881	Emmerson	Workers compensation: roofers	Requires all roofers to have workers compensation insurance; authorizes the Contractors State License Board to remove the roofing classification from a contractor license for failure to maintain workers compensation insurance; requires insurers to conduct annual audits of roofing customers payroll; directs the Workers Compensation Insurance Rating Bureau to compile an annual report.	Chapter 38, Statutes of 2006
AB 886	B&P	Human remains: disposition	Clarifies that the authority to dispose of human remains, which is passed according to a statutorily defined list of persons, commences on the day the right and the duty devolves upon that person, not on the date of death of the decedent.	Chapter 96, Statutes of 2006 Withdrawn from Committee
AB 889	Ruskin	Weights and measures	Extends authority for county sealers of weights and measures to levy civil penalties for violations in lieu of criminal prosecution; extends the sunset on the authority for counties to charge annual registration and device fees until January 1, 2011; updates and revises the fee schedule levels; establishes, until 2009, the authority for counties to inspect the pricing accuracy of retail point of sale systems.	Chapter 529, Statutes of 2005

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AB 1027	Jerome Horton	Criminal investigation	Provides for inter-agency cooperation to identify contractors who fail to obtain adequate workers compensation insurance, and to identify licensed and unlicensed contractors who commit tax evasion.	Chapter 428, Statutes of 2005
AB 1041	Umberg	Advertising disclosures	Truth in Sports Advertising Act: requires a professional sports franchise that includes a geographic location in its name but does not play a plurality of its games in that location, to include on all tickets, advertisements, and promotional materials a notice that the franchise does not regularly participate in sporting events in the location indicated by its name.	Died in Senate BP&ED
AB 1113	Yee	Acupuncturists: diagnosis	Provides that a licensed acupuncturist may diagnose within the scope of his or her practice.	Vetoed by Governor
AB 1114	Yee	Acupuncture: continuing education	Increases continuing education requirements for acupuncturists from 30 to 50 hours every two years, and specifies that no more than five of the hours may be devoted to issues unrelated to clinical matters or to the provision of health care.	Chapter 648, Statutes of 2005
AB 1115	Yee	Acupuncture assistants	Establishes "acupuncture assistants" as a person who does not hold an acupuncture license and who performs basic administrative, clerical, and supportive services under the supervision of a licensed acupuncturist.	Vetoed by Governor
AB 1116	Yee	Community care facilities: foster children: injections	Requires the Department of Social Services to permit foster parents who are not licensed health care professionals but who are trained to administer injections to administer an injection to a foster child in their care suffering from diabetes or suffering from an anaphylactic reaction.	Chapter 637, Statutes of 2005 Withdrawn from Committee

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AB 1117	Yee	Asian Medicine	Changes the terms "oriental medicine" and "oriental massage" in existing statutes to "Asian medicine" and "Asian massage;" permits individuals participating in an approved postgraduate internship program to practice acupuncture without a license.	Chapter 649, Statutes of 2005
AB 1143	Emmerson	Dentistry	Revises the provision for a dentist licensed in another state to receive a special permit to practice dentistry at a California dental college.	Chapter 534, Statutes of 2005
AB 1161	Niello	Clinical laboratories: unlicensed personnel	Revises the duties that unlicensed personnel are authorized to perform in a clinical laboratory and the type of supervision required for their performance.	Died in Senate Judiciary Withdrawn from Committee
AB 1195	Coto	Continuing education: cultural and linguistic competency	Requires all continuing medical education courses, unless exempted, to contain curriculum pertaining to cultural and linguistic competency in the practice of medicine.	Chapter 514, Statutes of 2005
AB 1209	Yee	Microenterprise development	Urgency measure to require the Business, Transportation and Housing Agency to administer a program providing grants on a competitive basis to qualifying microenterprise development providers for capacity building projects; requires the Agency, to contract with a nonprofit agency relating to the grant program.	Died in Senate Appropriations
AB 1263	Yee	Barbering and cosmetology: equipment	Requires the Board of Barbering and Cosmetology to adopt regulations that set standards for the use of pedicure equipment.	Vetoed by Governor
AB 1268	Oropeza	Dentistry	Revises provisions relating to the conditions under which a licensed dentist may advertise as a specialist or as practicing in a specialty area.	Died in Senate BP&ED
AB 1334	Salinas	Dentistry: registered dental hygienists	Authorizes a Registered Dental Hygienist in Alternative Practice to provide services to patients without a prescription from a dentist or a physician and surgeon for the first 18 months after the first date of service, as specified.	Chapter 850, Statutes of 2006

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AB 1363	Jones	Omnibus Conservatorship and Guardianship Reform Act of 2006	Omnibus Conservatorship and Guardianship Reform Act of 2006: overhauls probate court oversight and public guardian provisions of California's conservatorship and guardianship system.	Chapter 493, Statutes of 2006 Withdrawn from Committee
AB 1382	Nakanishi	Prescription lenses	Makes legislative findings regarding plano (cosmetic) contact lenses; recasts the definition of prescription ophthalmic devices; establishes as a deceptive practice the representation that a plano contact lens may be lawfully obtained without an eye examination or prescription.	Chapter 148, Statutes of 2006
AB 1386	Laird	Dentistry: oral conscious sedation	Revises provisions in the Dental Practice Act relating to general anesthesia permits, conscious sedation, and oral conscious sedation on minors and adults.	Chapter 539, Statutes of 2005
AB 1426	Liu	Animal euthanasia	Makes it a misdemeanor to kill any animal by the use of intracardiac administration of euthanasia on a conscious animal.	Chapter 652, Statutes of 2005
AB 1437	Strickland	California Film Commission	Creates the Film Promotion and Marketing Fund into which moneys from public and private sources will be deposited and allocated to the California Film Commission.	Chapter 168, Statutes of 2005
AB 1507	Pavley	Cardiac health: automatic external defibrillators: health studios	Seeks to ensure that all health studios in the state have automatic external defibrillators available with properly trained personnel to help save lives of club members experiencing potential cardiac arrest.	Chapter 431, Statutes of 2005 Withdrawn from Committee
AB 1516	Arambula	Economic strategy panel: membership	Requires at least two appointees to the California Economic Strategy Panel be local economic development practitioners.	Vetoed by Governor
AB 1588	Negrete McLeod	Professional licensing boards: review and repeal	Requires each state entity subject to sunset review by the Joint Committee on Boards, Commissions, and Consumer Protection to demonstrate that its licensing and enforcement of licensing standards are the least restrictive, consistent with the purpose of protecting public health and safety.	Died in Senate BP&ED

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AB 1793	Bermudez	Barbering and cosmetology: threading	Urgency measure to revise the definition of hair "threading" to include the incidental trimming of eyebrow hair.	Chapter 149, Statutes of 2006, Aug. 23, 2006
AB 1796	Bermudez	Physicians and surgeons	Authorizes the Medical Board of California to establish advisory committees consisting of licensee and public members with an interest in and knowledge of the subject matter assigned to the committee.	Chapter 843, Statutes of 2006
AB 1852	Yee	Licensed mental health service provider education program	Revises the definition of licensed mental health care practitioner relating to the Licensed Mental Health Services Provider Education Program to include: marriage and family therapist intern, associate clinical social worker, psychologist licensed by the Board of Psychology, registered psychologist, postdoctoral psychological assistant, or postdoctoral psychology trainee employed in an exempt setting.	Chapter 557, Statutes of 2006
AB 1868	Bermudez	Accountancy: licensure	Urgency measure to extend the "practice privilege" program under which out-of-state accountants and accounting firms must obtain a California permit or registration prior to practicing in this state.	Chapter 458, Statutes of 2006, Sept. 25, 2006
AB 1958	Leslie	The Internet: free gift offers	Requires any advertisement or e-mail for an Internet free gift offer to clearly disclose to a consumer the steps the consumer must take in order to receive the free gift.	Died in Senate Rules Withdrawn from Committee
AB 1963	Leslie	Real estate brokers: license	Repeals a provision of law that allows a person to qualify for a real estate broker's license by using a four year college degree and two years of general real estate experience as a substitute for two years of experience as a real estate sales person.	Vetoed by Governor
AB 2073	Matthews	Home improvement: exemption for fire alarm installation	Exempts the sale, installation, and servicing of a fire alarm sold in conjunction with an alarm system, if all costs associated with the fire alarm do not exceed \$500; exempts costs associated with monitoring a burglar or fire alarm system from home improvement contract requirements.	Chapter 114, Statutes of 2006

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AB 2105	Emmerson	Human remains: permits: transportation	Allows human remains to be transported to an adjacent state without a death certificate or permit for disposition, under specified circumstances.	Chapter 463, Statutes of 2006
AB 2156	Niello	Clinical laboratories	Requires "histocompatibility laboratory directors" to pass a written and oral examination in order to be licensed by the Department of Health Services; provides for the "autoverification" of clinical laboratory test results; authorizes certified pathology assistants, pathology assistants, histologic assistants, and histotechnologists to perform specified activities under supervision of a pathologist.	Chapter 319, Statutes of 2006
AB 2198	Houston	Health care: controlled substances and dangerous drugs	Clarifies that health care professionals who have a medical basis, including the treatment of pain, for prescribing, furnishing, dispensing, or administering dangerous drugs or prescription controlled substances, may do so without being subject to disciplinary action or prosecution.	Chapter 350, Statutes of 2006
AB 2247	LaSuer	Structural pest control	Requires San Diego County to send a notice of proposed action against a person cited for pesticide misuse within 60 days of the initial notice of violation; provides that if the proposed action is not taken within 120 days, the citation shall be dismissed.	Died on Senate Floor
AB 2256	B&P	Professions and vocations	Eliminates a duplicative requirement that optometric corporations register their corporations with both the Secretary of State and the Board of Optometry; revises the requirements to report malpractice settlements and judgments by licensed landscape architects, architects, and their insurers to the California Architects Board.	Chapter 564, Statutes of 2006
AB 2257	B&P	Psychologists: records retention	Requires psychologists to maintain patient records for seven years from the patient's discharge date, or for minors, seven years after the minor reaches 18 years of age.	Chapter 89, Statutes of 2006

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AB 2260	Negrete McLeod	Approvals and certificates of registration: special faculty permits	Clarifies the requirements for unlicensed foreign doctors to practice medicine in fellowship, faculty, or department head or division chief capacity in a California medical school; prohibits a civil settlement agreement from any "gag clause" provision that prohibits a party from contacting or filing a complaint with the Medical Board of California.	Chapter 565, Statutes of 2006
AB 2283	Oropeza	Physicians and surgeons: cultural background and foreign language proficiency	Requires the Medical Board of California to annually aggregate data reported to it by physicians on their cultural background and foreign language proficiency, by the ZIP code of the primary practice location and on a statewide basis, and report such information on the Board's web site.	Chapter 612, Statutes of 2006
AB 2285	B&P	Point-of-sale systems	Revises the information that a business using a "point-of-sale system" must display to a customer during a transaction; replaces references to "automatic checkout system" with "point-of-sale system."	Chapter 566, Statutes of 2006
AB 2287	Chu	Workers compensation: acupuncture	Establishes medical guidelines for providing acupuncture treatment in the Workers Compensation system if the Division of Workers Compensation fails to do so; continues employee rights to pre-designate a personal physician for treatment of an industrial injury.	Vetoed by Governor
AB 2318	Calderon	Repossessors	Provides that a reposessor shall not be required to remove property that is attached to or on the collateral being repossessed if the reposessor cannot determine whether or not the item is a "personal effect" (i.e., property that does not belong to the legal owner of the collateral) or a part of the collateral; however the reposessor shall remove and inventory all items that can be removed without using tools; increases the fine to \$250 for a repossession agency that does not register a reposessor with the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services in a timely fashion.	Chapter 418, Statutes of 2006

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AB 2322	Parra	Director of Consumer Affairs: vehicles: registration	Requires a manufacturer, distributor, or dealer of a motorized bicycle, moped, motorized scooter, motor-driven cycle, motorized quadricycle, or motorized tricycle that is sold in California, to register with the Department of Consumer Affairs	Died in Senate Transportation & Housing Withdrawn from Committee
AB 2330	Arambula	Small businesses: Office of Small Business Advocate	Requires the Office of the Small Business Advocate to have a study prepared by October 1, 2007, regarding the cost impact of state regulations on small business.	Chapter 232, Statutes of 2006
AB 2342	Nakanishi	Voluntary services: malpractice insurance	Requires the Medical Board of California, in conjunction with the Health Professions Education Foundation, to conduct a study on the issue of Board-sponsored medical malpractice insurance for physicians and surgeons who provide voluntary, unpaid services, contingent on an appropriation of funds.	Chapter 276, Statutes of 2006
AB 2373	Aghazarian	Automated drug delivery system	Expands the use of automated drug delivery systems in nursing facilities; exempts the drugs dispensed from labeling requirements if the drugs are in blister pack cards.	Chapter 775, Statutes of 2006
AB 2381	Dymally	Private postsecondary education: Private Postsecondary and Vocational Education Reform Act of 1989	Provides any private postsecondary or vocational school that willfully violates minimum standards and requirements of the Act would be required to refund all consideration paid by or on behalf of the student; subjects a school that fails to make the refund to a civil penalty of up to twice the amount of the damages sustained by the student; allows a student to seek court action against a school that violates the minimum standards and requirements of the Act.	Died in Senate BP&ED
AB 2399	Garcia	California and Mexico border infrastructure	Requires the Secretary of Business, Transportation and Housing to prepare a study on infrastructure development along the California-Mexico border, and report to the Legislature whether there is a need for alternative financing mechanisms.	Died in Assembly on Concurrence

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AB 2408	Negrete McLeod	Pharmacies	Recasts various provisions of the Pharmacy Law to clarify and update the duties a pharmacist can perform; makes technical changes.	Chapter 777, Statutes of 2006
AB 2429	Negrete McLeod	Real estate salespersons: licensure	Repeals the Department of Real Estate's authority to issue "conditional" real estate salesperson licenses to persons who have not completed all required courses.	Chapter 278, Statutes of 2006
AB 2456	Nakanishi	Contractors: licenses	Prohibits the qualifying person, and any other person named on the license whose license has been suspended due to outstanding final liabilities with the State, from serving in any capacity other than as a bona fide nonsupervising employee.	Chapter 122, Statutes of 2006
AB 2457	Nakanishi	Contractors	Exempts a general partner of a licensed partnership from registering as a home improvement salesman; clarifies that any exempted individual must be listed as the person of record for the responsible licensee at the time of the sales transaction; makes technical changes to Contractor Law.	Chapter 106, Statutes of 2006
AB 2564	Matthews	Health facilities: criminal record clearances and blood glucose testing	Exempts direct care staff employed as consultants in intermediate care facilities who have already obtained a criminal record clearance from an additional criminal record clearance requirement; authorizes direct care staff, who are trained and certified by a registered nurse to administer blood glucose testing for a person with developmental disabilities who has diabetes.	Chapter 889, Statutes of 2006
AB 2570	Arambula	Community investment	Requires the Business, Transportation, and Housing Agency to develop a strategy to attract new private investment to the state; requires public pension funds with assets over \$4 billion to report annually on the value of their investments in California and historically underserved areas of the state.	Vetoed by Governor

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AB 2583	Nation	Dispensing prescription drugs and devices: refusal to dispense	Requires the Board of Pharmacy to include, within an existing consumer notice, a statement that describes a patient's right to timely access to prescribed drugs and devices, even if a pharmacist refuses to dispense based on ethical, moral or religious grounds.	Chapter 487, Statutes of 2006
AB 2592	Leno	California Travel and Tourism Commission	Modifies the conditions and terms of appointees and elected members of the California Travel and Tourism Commission; broadens industry segments which may voluntarily participate; clarifies assessment and referendum procedures.	Chapter 790, Statutes of 2006
AB 2601	Arambula	California International Trade and Investment Act	Allows the Secretary of Business, Transportation and Housing to establish and implement a strategy for trade and investment promotion within the Agency, under specified conditions.	Died in Senate Rules
AB 2658	Huff	Contractors	Provides that satisfaction of monetary obligation or debt is required in order for a contractor license to be issued, reinstated or reissued, but only to the extent that the obligations were not discharged in a bankruptcy proceeding.	Chapter 123, Statutes of 2006
AB 2664	Houston	Health studio contracts	Provides that health studios (i.e., health clubs) that enter into a contract with a consumer for \$1,500 or less are not subject to 20-, 30-, or 45-day timeframes during which the consumer may cancel the contract.	Chapter 219, Statutes of 2006
AB 2683	Negrete McLeod	Architecture: report on judgment, settlement. As amended: State employees: State Bargaining Unit 8: compensation.	Establishes a civil penalty of \$100 to \$1,000 for a licensed architect who fails to report a settlement or arbitration award to the Board of Architecture, and a civil penalty not to exceed \$20,000 for intentional non-reporting by an architect. Amended to instead, as an urgency measure require the state to pay rank and file members of State Bargaining Unit 8, California Department of Forestry Firefighters, the estimated average total compensation for corresponding ranks of firefighters in other California jurisdictions.	Vetoed by Governor

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AB 2720	Spitzer	Radiologic technology	Changes law relating to nuclear medicine technologists and diagnostic radiologic technologists operating a positron emission tomography scan.	Chapter 220, Statutes of 2006
AB 2757	Evans	Primary care clinics	Authorizes a primary care clinic operating within a network of primary care clinics to be issued a license which authorizes conducting laboratory tests from the primary care clinics within the network.	Chapter 795, Statutes of 2006
AB 2796	Mountjoy	Cemeteries: public notice	Revises the sign requirements for cemeteries to allow the signs posted at each entrance to contain either the address of the Cemetery and Funeral Bureau or a statement that the address of the Bureau is available at the cemetery office; eliminates the requirement to post an endowment care notice in the cemetery sales office or offices.	Chapter 124, Statutes of 2006
AB 2805	Blakeslee	Health care referrals. As amended: Advanced health care directives	Requires lease agreements between health care providers to meet additional requirements in order to be exempt from the prohibition against a healing arts licensee referring a patient for certain health care services, if the licensee has a financial interest with the person or entity that receives the referral. Amended to instead, as an urgency measure allow an individual to create a legally valid electronic advanced health care directive; allows the individual and notary to sign the directive using a "digital signature."	Chapter 579, Statutes of 2006, Sept. 28, 2006
AB 2810	Liu	Private postsecondary education	Extends the sunset of the Private Postsecondary and Vocational Education Reform Act of 1989 for one year, to January 1, 2008; establishes a working group to develop specific recommendations to change the Act.	Vetoed by Governor
AB 2821	Huff	California Asian Medicine Board	Changes the name of the California Acupuncture Board to the California Asian Medicine Board; makes technical and conforming changes.	Died in Senate BP&ED

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AB 2862	Ridley-Thomas	Sale of animals at pet stores	Requires the Department of Consumer Affairs to adopt regulations to set uniform standards for the care and handling of companion animals sold to the general public at retail outlets (pet stores).	Vetoed by Governor
AB 2868	Bogh	Physical therapists	Permits physical therapists to use the title "doctor" in written or verbal communications if the physical therapist has received a doctoral degree in physical therapy.	Chapter 222, Statutes of 2006
AB 2897	Daucher	Contractors: revoked licenses	Prohibits an individual who was a member, officer, director, owner, partner, or qualifier of a license that was revoked from performing acts regulated by Contractor Law, on behalf of a licensee, except as a bona fide nonsupervising employee.	Chapter 171, Statutes of 2006
AB 2915	Saldana	Veterinary medicine: licensure	Exempts from the veterinary licensure requirements veterinarians employed by local governments that meet specified conditions, and sunsets the exemption January 1, 2011.	Chapter 823, Statutes of 2006
AB 3014	Koretz	Acupuncture: Asian massage	Defines "Asian massage" as specified techniques, so long as the techniques are consistent with an acupuncturist's training.	Vetoed by Governor
AB 3021	Nunez	California-Mexico relations	Establishes the California-Mexico Border Relations Council comprised of all agency secretaries and the Director of the Office of Emergency Services to coordinate all border activities of state agencies.	Chapter 621, Statutes of 2006
AB 3057	Jobs Committee	Economic development: the California Small Business Expansion Fund	Extends to January 1, 2012 the sunset on the Director of Finance's authority to transfer moneys in the Special Fund for Economic Uncertainties to the California Small Business Expansion Fund.	Died in Senate Appropriations
AB 3071	Chan	Dental disease prevention programs	Makes changes to existing provisions affecting the community dental disease prevention programs.	Died in Senate