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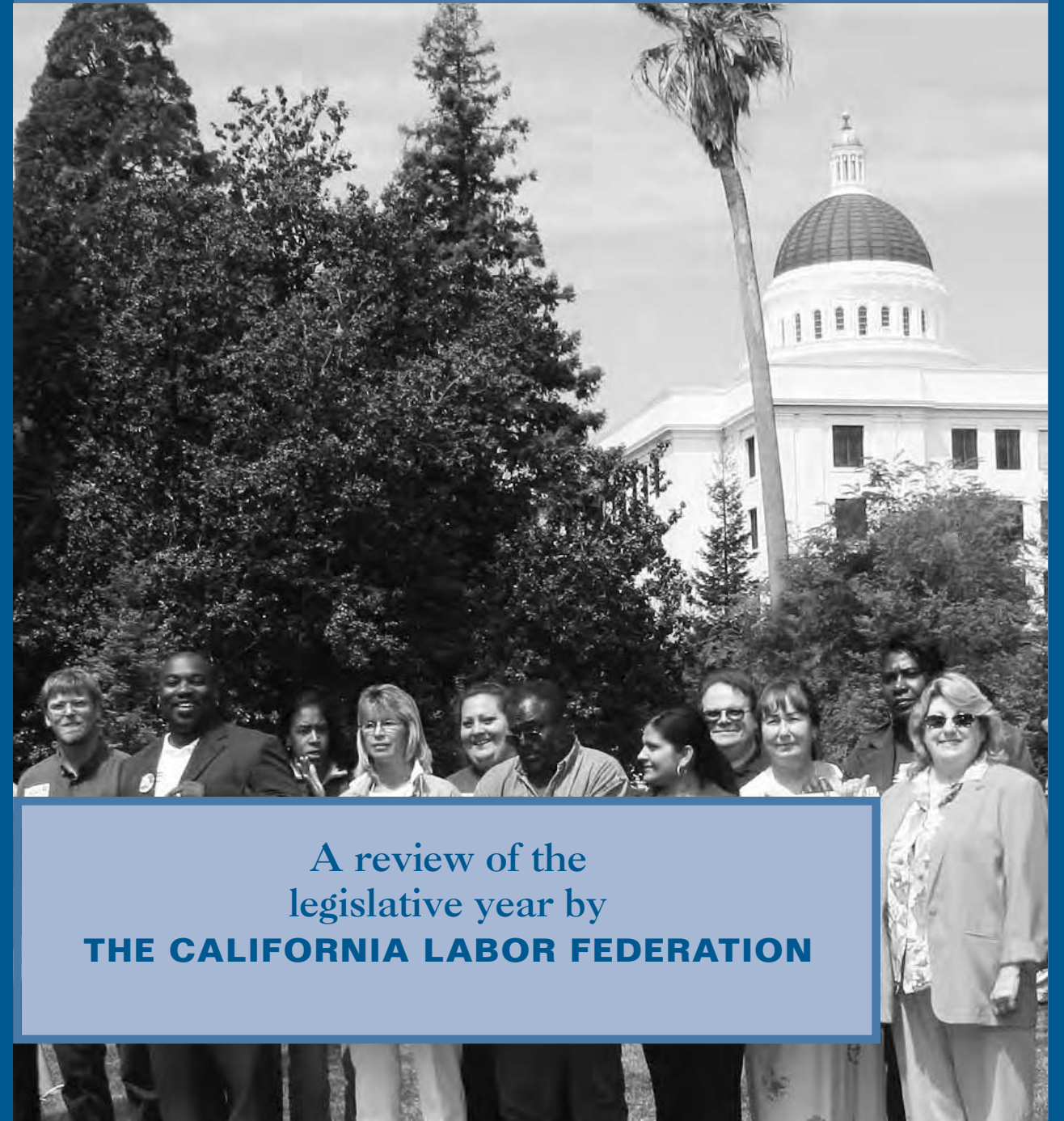
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Labor's Legislative Scorecard



A review of the
legislative year by
THE CALIFORNIA LABOR FEDERATION

Legislators with 100% labor voting record in 2007

Senate



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D - SAN LEANDRO



CHRISTINE KEHOE
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D - SACRAMENTO



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JULIA BROWNLEY
D - SANTA MONICA



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D - MARTINEZ



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D - MONTEREY PARK



EDWARD HERNANDEZ
D - BALDWIN PARK



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The California Labor Federation is dedicated to promoting and defending the interests of working people and their families for the betterment of California's communities. With more than 1,200 affiliated local unions representing 2.1 million union members, we are actively engaged in every aspect of California's economy and government. Together, we craft and support legislation that protects working families, and we hold our legislators accountable.

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Governor Fails Again to Protect Working Families

This year's legislative session did not result in much progress for California's working families.

As we enter 2008, the fate of health care reform remains unclear. The state Assembly passed a comprehensive reform bill late last year, but the state Senate Health Committee voted it down in January. California's unions will continue to work on health care reform legislation that will ensure everyone has access to affordable, quality health care.

The governor stood in the way of progress for working families by rejecting bills that would have restored benefits to injured workers, supported locked out workers, and increased penalties for the willful misclassification of independent contractors. Despite the efforts of the Chamber of Commerce, labor successfully opposed and stopped efforts to take away daily overtime pay and lunch breaks for workers.

California workers were dealt a serious blow with the legislature's ratification of tribal gaming compacts negotiated by the governor. These compacts will allow the largest expansion of gambling in United States history while providing no enforceable workers' rights to organize a union and bargain collectively.

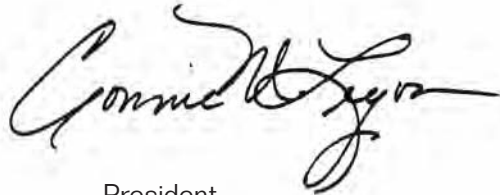
Many legislators lost their 100% labor voting records because they chose to stand against workers and on the side of four extremely wealthy tribal casino owners. Working families will decide what side they are on during the February 2008 election.

We look forward to working in partnership with our unions and our members on an aggressive 2008 legislative agenda that will continue to protect and advance workers' rights.

In Unity,



Executive Secretary-Treasurer



President

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Governor Schwarzenegger's Record on Labor's Bills in 2007

Labor Supported Bills Signed

- Firefighters Bill of Rights (AB 220-Bass)
- Temporary Disability Payments (AB 338-Coto)
- Transparency at the UC (SB 190-Yee)

Labor Supported Bills Vetoed

- Health Care Reform (AB 8-Núñez)
- Hospital Staffing for Non-Nurse Personnel (AB 13-Brownley)
- Public Employee Meal and Rest Periods (AB 124-Price)
- Health Care Disclosure (AB 343-Solorio)
- Farm Labor Contractors (AB 377-Arambula)
- Statute of Limitations on Pay Equity Claims (AB 435-Brownley)
- Employee Lockout Protections (AB 504-Swanson)
- Family and Medical Leave (AB 537-Swanson)
- PERB Strike Injunctions (AB 553-Hernandez)
- Choice of Law Forum (AB 1043-Swanson)
- Indoor Heat Illness Protection (AB 1045-Richardson)
- Child Care Provider Protection (AB 1164-De León)
- Developmental Services Training (AB 1427-Krekorian)
- Access to Personnel Records (AB 1707-Swanson)
- Zero-Lift Policy for Nurses (SB 171-Perata)
- Independent Contractor Misclassification (SB 622-Padilla)
- Expanded Coverage for Paid Family Leave (SB 727-Kuehl)
- Familial Status Discrimination (SB 836-Kuehl)
- Permanent Disability Benefits Increase (SB 936-Perata)
- Return to Work for Permanently Disabled Workers (SB 942-Migden)

Gov. Schwarzenegger's 2007 Score



Labor Supported Bills Signed: 3

Labor Supported Bills Vetoed: 20

Gov. Schwarzenegger's 2007 Score: 13%

Key Labor Bills

Assembly

1. HEALTH CARE REFORM (AB 8 – NÚÑEZ/PERATA)

This legislation would have extended health care to uninsured Californians, enacted cost containment mechanisms, and set a minimum spending requirement on health care by employers. **SUPPORT/VETOED**
ASSEMBLY: 46-31 ON 9/10/07 **SENATE:** 22-17 ON 9/10/07

2. HOSPITAL STAFFING FOR NON-NURSE PERSONNEL (AB 13 – BROWNLEY)

This bill would have protected patient care by requiring hospitals to have a plan for adequate non-nurse staffing. The bill did not mandate any particular staffing requirements, but instead would have required hospitals to annually assess the number of competent personnel needed to meet the needs of patients. **SUPPORT**
ASSEMBLY: 41-35 ON 6/7/07
SENATE: HELD ON THE SENATE FLOOR

3. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE MEAL AND REST PERIODS (AB 124 – PRICE)

This bill would have provided meal and rest period rights to public lifeguards and stage assistants. **SUPPORT/VETOED**
ASSEMBLY: 45-32 ON 6/7/07 **SENATE:** 23-12 ON 9/7/07

4. FIREFIGHTER'S BILL OF RIGHTS (AB 220 – BASS)

This bill created the Firefighters Procedural Bill of Rights Act, which protects the due process rights of California firefighters. The bill specifies the procedure to be followed whenever a firefighter is subject to investigation for alleged misconduct that may result in punitive action such as dismissal, demotion, or temporary reassignment. This bill affords protections to ensure that firefighters are treated fairly on the job. **SUPPORT/SIGNED**
ASSEMBLY: 74-0 ON 6/6/07 **SENATE:** 29-11 ON 9/11/07

5. TEMPORARY DISABILITY PAYMENTS (AB 338 – COTO)

This bill allows injured workers to use their capped 104 weeks of temporary disability benefits over a five-year period instead of two years. **SUPPORT/SIGNED**
ASSEMBLY: 77-0 ON 9/11/07 **SENATE:** 37-3 ON 9/10/07

6. HEALTH CARE DISCLOSURE (AB 343 – SOLORIO)

This bill would have required the state to create a report of companies in California whose workers rely on taxpayer-funded healthcare programs like Medi-Cal or Healthy Families. **SUPPORT/VETOED**
ASSEMBLY: 47-32 ON 6/4/07 **SENATE:** 22-17 ON 9/11/07

7. FARM LABOR CONTRACTORS (AB 377 – ARAMBULA)

This bill would have helped farm workers seek justice by requiring that wage statements for workers hired by farm labor contractors include the name and address of the company that hired the contractor. **SUPPORT/VETOED**
ASSEMBLY: 44-34 ON 5/21/07 **SENATE:** 22-17 ON 9/11/07

8. STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS ON PAY EQUITY CLAIMS (AB 435–BROWNLEY)

This bill would have strengthened state laws prohibiting wage discrimination by increasing the amount of time employers must maintain wage rate records from two to five years and increasing the statute of limitations for willful violations from two to three years. **SUPPORT/VETOED**
ASSEMBLY: 46-32 ON 6/7/07 **SENATE:** 21-15 ON 9/4/07

9. EMPLOYEE LOCKOUT PROTECTIONS (AB 504 – SWANSON)

This bill would have required restitution for employees whose employer is convicted of fraud, misrepresentation, or misconduct during and in furtherance of a lockout. The employees would have been entitled to any wages and benefits they would have received had there been no lockout. **SUPPORT/VETOED**
ASSEMBLY: 43-32 ON 5/17/07 **SENATE:** 22-15 ON 8/30/07

10. WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE DATABASE (AB 507 – DE LA TORRE)

This bill would have required employers to provide proof of workers' compensation insurance coverage on the internet in order to provide public access to coverage information. This would help injured workers, medical providers, employers, and state enforcement agencies prevent fraud in the system. **SUPPORT**
ASSEMBLY: 79-0 ON 6/5/07
SENATE: HELD IN SENATE BANKING, FINANCE, AND INSURANCE COMMITTEE

11. BAN OF BUTTER FLAVORING (AB 514 – LIEBER)

This bill would have prohibited the manufacturing, mixing, packaging, or blending of the chemical diacetyl or products that contain diacetyl in the workplace after January 1, 2009. **SUPPORT**
ASSEMBLY: 43-33 ON 6/4/07
SENATE: HELD ON THE SENATE FLOOR

12. FAMILY AND MEDICAL LEAVE
(AB 537 – SWANSON)

This bill would have expanded California’s paid family leave to allow workers to take job-protected leave to care for seriously ill adult children, siblings, grandparents, grandchildren, and parents-in-law. **SUPPORT/VETOED**

ASSEMBLY: 47-32 ON 6/5/07 **SENATE:** 24-15 ON 9/6/07

13. PERB STRIKE INJUNCTIONS (AB 553 – HERNANDEZ)

This bill would have prevented employers from going directly to court to get strike injunction by clarifying that the Public Employment Relations Board (PERB) has exclusive authority to determine whether to seek injunctive relief from a court in a strike involving an employee organization and a public agency. **SUPPORT/ VETOED**

ASSEMBLY: 46-32 ON 6/5/07 **SENATE:** 22-15 ON 8/30/07

14. CHOICE OF LAW FORUM (AB 1043 – SWANSON)

This bill would have protected California workers by voiding employment contracts that remove them from the protections of California labor laws. **SUPPORT/VETOED**

ASSEMBLY: 44-32 ON 5/17/07 **SENATE:** 21-14 ON 9/5/07

15. INDOOR HEAT ILLNESS PROTECTION
(AB 1045 – RICHARDSON)

This bill would have required the Occupational Safety and Health Board to adopt a standard for indoor heat illness prevention, including hazard prevention, workplace monitoring, rest and relief periods, access to drinking water, medical services, and communication availability. **SUPPORT/VETOED**

ASSEMBLY: 45-33 ON 5/21/07 **SENATE:** 21-15 ON 9/4/07

16. CHILD CARE PROVIDER PROTECTION
(AB 1164 – DE LEÓN)

This bill would have improved the quality of child care for all working families by permitting family childcare providers to form, join and participate in “provider organizations” for the purposes of collective bargaining. **SUPPORT/VETOED**

ASSEMBLY: 46-32 ON 6/6/07 **SENATE:** 24-15 ON 9/10/07

17. DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES TRAINING
(AB 1427 – KREKORIAN)

This bill would have improved the quality of care for those with developmental disabilities by establishing a pilot training project to recruit and retain workers. **SUPPORT/VETOED**

ASSEMBLY: 42-32 ON 9/12/07 **SENATE:** 21-14 ON 9/11/07

18. PUBLIC EMPLOYEE RIGHTS (AB 1463 – HERNANDEZ)

This bill would have expanded the definition of public school employer to include joint powers agencies (JPAs), thereby ensuring that JPA workers have all the protections afforded other school employees under the Education Employment Relations Act (EERA). **SUPPORT**

ASSEMBLY: 47-32 ON 6/7/07
SENATE: HELD IN APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

19. RATE REGULATION FOR HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANIES (AB 1554 – JONES)

This bill would have controlled healthcare costs by establishing state oversight over what insurers can charge in premium increases. **SUPPORT**

ASSEMBLY: 42-33
SENATE: FAILED IN SENATE HEALTH COMMITTEE 5-4-3

20. ACCESS TO PERSONNEL RECORDS
(AB 1707 – SWANSON)

This bill would have ensured that workers have meaningful access to personnel files by allowing them to make copies and to bring a representative to review their records.

SUPPORT/VETOED
ASSEMBLY: 47-31 ON 6/6/07 **SENATE:** 21-17 ON 9/5/07

21. US POSTAL SERVICE CONTRACTING OUT BAN
(AJR 27 – SOLORIO)

This resolution urges the United States Postal Service to discontinue the practice of contracting out mail delivery services. **SUPPORT**

ASSEMBLY: 48-31 ON 7/12/07 **SENATE:** 25-15 ON 9/11/07

22. RESPECT ACT (AJR 28 – LENO)

This resolution calls upon the President and Congress to enact the Re-Empowerment of Skilled and Professional Employees and Construction Tradesworkers (RESPECT) Act. That act would reverse a series of recent decisions by the National Labor Relations Board to reclassify workers as supervisors, thereby taking them out of bargaining units. **SUPPORT**

ASSEMBLY: 45-32 ON 7/9/07 **SENATE:** 25-15 ON 9/11/07

Senate

23. ZERO LIFT POLICY FOR NURSES
(SB 171 – PERATA)

This bill would have required general acute care hospitals to establish a patient protection and health care worker back injury prevention plan that included a “zero lift/safe patient handling policy.” **SUPPORT/VETOED**

ASSEMBLY: 46-31 ON 9/6/07 **SENATE:** 23-15 ON 6/4/07

24. TRANSPARENCY AT THE UC
(SB 190 – YEE)

This bill clarifies that the University of California regents and the California State University trustees, and their committees, must discuss and take action on executive pay proposals in open public meetings. **SUPPORT/SIGNED**

ASSEMBLY: 75-0 ON 9/4/07 **SENATE:** 39-0 ON 9/6/07

25. LABOR COMPLIANCE PROGRAMS
(SB 191 – PADILLA)

This bill would have established a procedure for complaints against private third-party labor compliance programs and would have specified the rights of an awarding body, aggrieved employee, or contractor in the event of a complaint. **SUPPORT**

ASSEMBLY: HELD ON THE FLOOR **SENATE:** 21-8 ON 5/29/07

26. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR MISCLASSIFICATION (SB 622 – PADILLA)

This bill would have prohibited employers from willfully misclassifying workers as independent contractors to avoid their employer obligations, like providing workers’ compensation coverage. **SUPPORT/VETOED**

ASSEMBLY: 42-33 ON 9/10/07 **SENATE:** 23-15 ON 6/4/07

27. EXPANDED COVERAGE FOR PAID FAMILY LEAVE (SB 727 – KUEHL)

This bill would have expanded paid family leave to cover workers caring for a seriously ill grandparent, grandchild, sibling, or parent-in-law. **SUPPORT/VETOED**

ASSEMBLY: 47-31 ON 9/5/07 **SENATE:** 22-15 ON 6/7/07

28. FAMILIAL STATUS DISCRIMINATION
(SB 836 – KUEHL)

This bill would have protected workers with family responsibilities by expanding the Fair Employment & Housing Act to prohibit discrimination on the basis of familial status.

SUPPORT/VETOED
ASSEMBLY: 47-31 ON 9/6/07 **SENATE:** 25-14 ON 5/31/07

29. SINGLE PAYER HEALTH CARE (SB 840 – KUEHL)

This bill would have established the California Universal Health Care System, which would have covered every Californian with comprehensive health insurance and given them the ability to choose their own physician. **SUPPORT**

ASSEMBLY: HELD IN ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
SENATE: 23-15 ON 6/6/07

30. PERMANENT DISABILITY BENEFITS INCREASE
(SB 936 – PERATA)

This bill would have begun to address the dramatic 50 percent reduction in permanent disability (PD) benefits to the most severely disabled workers by doubling the number of weeks the worker receives paid benefits over a three-year period.

SUPPORT/VETOED
ASSEMBLY: 46-31 ON 9/10/07 **SENATE:** 24-14 ON 6/4/07

31. RETURN TO WORK FOR PERMANENTLY DISABLED WORKERS (SB 942 – MIGDEN)

This bill would have helped permanently disabled workers get the education and training they need to return to the workforce. **SUPPORT/VETOED**

ASSEMBLY: 47-31 ON 9/10/07 **SENATE:** 23-15 ON 5/37/07

Tribal Gaming Compacts

These compacts constitute the greatest expansion of gambling in United States history. Unlike the gaming compacts negotiated in 2004, these compacts failed to provide an enforceable right to organize for low-wage casino workers. This is among the fastest growing sector in California and casino workers must have a real right to organize in order to improve their lives. **California Labor Federation** opposed SB 174, SB 175, SB 903, and SB 957, and asked for a NO vote.

32. MORONGO GAMING COMPACT
(SB 174 – DUCHENY) **OPPOSED/SIGNED**
ASSEMBLY: 50-13 ON 6/28/07 **SENATE:** 23-10 ON 4/19/07

33. SYCUAN GAMING COMPACT (SB 175 – DUCHENY)
OPPOSED/SIGNED
ASSEMBLY: 61-9 ON 6/28/07 **SENATE:** 22-10 ON 4/19/07

34. PECHANGA GAMING COMPACT (SB 903 – PADILLA)
OPPOSED/SIGNED
ASSEMBLY: 61-9 ON 6/28/07 **SENATE:** 23-8 ON 4/19/07

35. AGUA CALIENTE GAMING COMPACT
(SB 957 – TORLAKSON) **OPPOSED/SIGNED**
ASSEMBLY: 52-11 ON 6/28/07 **SENATE:** 23-9 ON 4/19/07

Committee Votes

Assembly Labor and Employment Committee

36. REPEAL OF THE EIGHT-HOUR DAY (AB 510 – BENOIT)
This bill would have eliminated the eight-hour day, and required workers to work up to 10 hours per day without overtime pay. **OPPOSE**

ASSEMBLY: DEFEATED IN ASSEMBLY LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE

37. WORKPLACE POSTINGS (AB 613 – TRAN)

This bill would have created a working group to review all workplace posters to ensure that they are written in plain language. Changing words can alter meanings within the law and diminish critical worker protections. **OPPOSE**

ASSEMBLY: DEFEATED IN ASSEMBLY LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE

Assembly Utilities and Commerce Committee

38. PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION MEMBER ELECTION (AB 1157 – RUSKIN)

This bill would have allowed the Public Utilities Commission (PUC) to elect its president instead of by governor appointment. The bill would have encouraged public participation in PUC proceedings by expanding the list of groups authorized to receive funding for expenses incurred during the PUC hearing process. **SUPPORT**

ASSEMBLY: UTILITIES AND COMMERCE COMMITTEE 7-4 ON 4/23/07
HELD IN ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

SENATE: NO VOTE

State Senate Voting Record Summary

KEY	BLANKS = LEGISLATOR DID NOT SERVE ON SCORED COMMITTEES							
	2007 COMMITTEE VOTES			2007 FLOOR VOTES			LIFETIME	
	Votes with Labor	Votes against Labor	Cmte %	Votes with Labor	Votes against Labor	Floor %	Cmte %	Floor %
AANESTAD, SAM (R - GRASS VALLEY)	0	2	0%	1	29	3%	4%	8%
ACKERMAN, DICK (R - TUSTIN)	–	–	–	2	28	7%	0%	5%
ALQUIST, ELAINE (D - SANTA CLARA)	2	0	100%	26	4	87%	100%	96%
ASHBURN, ROY (R - BAKERSFIELD)	–	–	–	6	24	20%	2%	9%
BATTIN, JIM (R - PALM DESERT)	–	–	–	2	18	10%	3%	6%
CALDERON, RON (D - MONTEBELLO)	–	–	–	27	3	90%	68%	89%
CEDILLO, GIL (D - LOS ANGELES)	2	0	100%	29	1	97%	98%	93%
COGDILL, DAVE (R - FRESNO)	–	–	–	6	24	20%	0%	8%
CORBETT, ELLEN (D - SAN LEANDRO)	–	–	–	28	0	100%	100%	98%
CORREA, LOU (D - SANTA ANA)	–	–	–	16	14	53%	79%	82%
COX, DAVE (R - FAIR OAKS)	0	2	0%	2	28	7%	0%	7%
DENHAM, JEFFREY (R - MERCED)	–	–	–	3	27	10%	0%	11%
DUCHENY, DENISE MORENO (D - SAN DIEGO)	–	–	–	23	7	77%	100%	92%
DUTTON, BOB (R - INLAND EMPIRE)	–	–	–	4	26	13%	9%	7%
FLOREZ, DEAN (D - SHAFTER)	–	–	–	25	5	83%	100%	81%
HARMAN, TOM (R - ORANGE)	–	–	–	2	28	7%	25%	6%
HOLLINGSWORTH, DENNIS (R - MURRIETA)	–	–	–	2	28	7%	0%	4%
KEHOE, CHRISTINE (D - SAN DIEGO)	–	–	–	26	0	100%	100%	99%
KUEHL, SHEILA (D - SANTA MONICA)	2	0	100%	29	1	97%	99%	98%
LOWENTHAL, ALAN (D - LONG BEACH)	–	–	–	29	1	97%	100%	98%
MACHADO, MIKE (D - LINDEN)	–	–	–	16	14	53%	80%	71%
MALDONADO, ABEL (R - SANTA MARIA)	0	2	0%	3	27	10%	4%	19%
MARGETT, BOB (R - GLENDORA)	–	–	–	2	28	7%	9%	7%
MCCLINTOCK, TOM (R - THOUSAND OAKS)	–	–	–	1	29	3%	10%	6%
MIGDEN, CAROLE (D - SAN FRANCISCO)	–	–	–	30	0	100%	100%	98%
NEGRETE-MCLEOD, GLORIA (D - CHINO)	0	2	0%	23	3	88%	93%	93%
OROPEZA, JENNY (D - LONG BEACH)	–	–	–	25	5	83%	95%	94%
PADILLA, ALEX (D - PACOIMA)	–	–	–	26	4	87%	–	87%
PERATA, DON (D - OAKLAND)	–	–	–	22	8	73%	95%	89%
RIDLEY-THOMAS, MARK (D - LOS ANGELES)	2	0	100%	24	6	80%	100%	96%
ROMERO, GLORIA (D - LOS ANGELES)	–	–	–	29	1	97%	99%	99%

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RUNNER, GEORGE (R - ANTELOPE VALLEY)	–	–	–	2	28	7%	0%	8%
SCOTT, JACK (D - PASADENA)	–	–	–	28	2	93%	96%	88%
SIMITIAN, JOE (D - PALO ALTO)	–	–	–	23	7	77%	100%	93%
STEINBERG, DARRELL (D - SACRAMENTO)	2	0	100%	30	0	100%	100%	99%
TORLAKSON, TOM (D - ANTIOCH)	–	–	–	26	4	87%	100%	95%
VINCENT, EDWARD (D - LOS ANGELES)	–	–	–	21	1	95%	86%	89%
WIGGINS, PATRICIA (D - SANTA ROSA)	–	–	–	30	0	100%	100%	97%
WYLAND, MARK (R - ESCONDIDO)	0	2	0%	3	27	10%	7%	5%
YEE, LELAND (D - SAN FRANCISCO/SAN MATEO)	1	1	50%	30	0	100%	97%	98%

State Assembly Voting Record Summary								
	2007 COMMITTEE VOTES			2007 FLOOR VOTES			LIFETIME	
	Votes with Labor	Votes against Labor	Cmte %	Votes with Labor	Votes against Labor	Floor %	Cmte %	Floor %
ADAMS, ANTHONY (R - HESPERIA)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	12%
AGHAZARIAN, GREG (R - STOCKTON)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	0%	7%
ANDERSON, JOEL (R - LA MESA)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	12%
ARAMBULA, JUAN (D - FRESNO)	–	–	–	25	8	76%	–	81%
BASS, KAREN (D - LOS ANGELES)	3	0	100%	28	5	85%	100%	94%
BEALL, JIM (D - SAN JOSE)	–	–	–	29	4	88%	–	88%
BENOIT, JOHN (R - PALM DESERT)	0	3	0%	4	29	12%	14%	6%
BERG, PATTY (D - EUREKA)	5	0	100%	31	2	94%	97%	96%
BERRYHILL, TOM (R - MODESTO)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	12%
BLAKESLEE, SAM (R - SAN LUIS OBISPO)	0	1	0%	4	29	12%	0%	9%
BROWNLEY, JULIA (D - SANTA MONICA)	–	–	–	33	0	100%	–	100%
CABALLERO, ANNA (D - SALINAS)	–	–	–	28	5	85%	–	85%
CALDERON, CHARLES (D - WHITTIER)	1	2	33%	26	7	79%	88%	89%
CARTER, WILMER AMINA (D - RIALTO)	3	0	100%	29	4	88%	100%	88%
COOK, PAUL (R - YUCAIPA)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	12%
COTO, JOE (D - SAN JOSE)	3	0	100%	29	4	88%	100%	95%
DAVIS, MIKE (D - LOS ANGELES)	1	0	100%	28	5	85%	100%	85%
DE LA TORRE, HECTOR (D - SOUTH GATE)	2	0	100%	31	2	94%	100%	98%

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	2007 COMMITTEE VOTES			2007 FLOOR VOTES			LIFETIME	
	Votes with Labor	Votes against Labor	Cmte %	Votes with Labor	Votes against Labor	Floor %	Cmte %	Floor %
DE LEÓN, KEVIN (D - LOS ANGELES)	5	0	100%	31	2	94%	100%	94%
DESAULNIER, MARK (D - MARTINEZ)	5	0	100%	33	0	100%	100%	100%
DEVORE, CHUCK (R - IRVINE)	–	–	–	3	30	9%	–	6%
DUVALL, MICHAEL (R - BREA)	1	2	33%	4	29	12%	33%	12%
DYMALLY, MERVYN (D - LOS ANGELES)	2	0	100%	32	1	97%	88%	99%
EMMERSON, BILL (R - REDLANDS)	0	2	0%	4	29	12%	0%	8%
ENG, MIKE (D - MONTEREY PARK)	–	–	–	33	0	100%	–	100%
EVANS, NOREEN (D - SANTA ROSA)	–	–	–	30	3	91%	–	95%
FEUER, MIKE (D - LOS ANGELES)	–	–	–	31	2	94%	–	94%
♦FUENTES, FELIPE (D - ARLETA)	–	–	–	24	5	83%	–	83%
FULLER, JEAN (R - BAKERSFIELD)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	12%
GAINES, TED (R - ROSEVILLE)	0	7	0%	7	26	21%	0%	21%
GALGIANI, CATHLEEN (D - TRACY)	0	5	0%	20	13	61%	0%	61%
GARCIA, BONNIE (R - CATHEDRAL CITY)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	11%
GARRICK, MARTIN (R - CARLSBAD)	1	2	33%	4	29	12%	33%	12%
HANCOCK, LONI (D - BERKELEY)	2	0	100%	31	2	94%	100%	96%
HAYASHI, MARY (D - HAYWARD)	2	0	100%	29	4	88%	100%	88%
HERNANDEZ, EDWARD (D - BALDWIN PARK)	2	0	100%	33	0	100%	100%	100%
HORTON, SHIRLEY (R - SAN DIEGO)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	4%	11%
HOUSTON, GUY (R - SAN RAMON)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	0%	6%
HUFF, BOB (R - DIAMOND BAR)	0	2	0%	4	29	12%	0%	8%
HUFFMAN, JARED (D - SAN RAFAEL)	1	0	100%	32	1	97%	100%	97%
JEFFRIES, KEVIN (R - RIVERSIDE)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	12%
JONES, DAVE (D - SACRAMENTO)	3	0	100%	33	0	100%	100%	100%
KARNETTE, BETTY (D - LONG BEACH)	–	–	–	30	3	91%	96%	96%
KEENE, RICK (R - CHICO)	0	1	0%	4	29	12%	0%	6%
KREKORIAN, PAUL (D - BURBANK)	1	0	100%	31	2	94%	100%	94%
LA MALFA, DOUG (R - BIGGS)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	6%
LAIRD, JOHN (D - SANTA CRUZ)	5	0	100%	31	2	94%	100%	99%
LENO, MARK (D - SAN FRANCISCO)	5	0	100%	33	0	100%	93%	100%
LEVINE, LLOYD (D - VAN NUYS)	1	0	100%	32	1	97%	89%	99%

♦Felipe Fuentes, elected in May 2007, special election

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	Votes with Labor	Votes against Labor	Cmte %	Votes with Labor	Votes against Labor	Floor %	Cmte %	Floor %
LIEBER, SALLY (D - MOUNTAIN VIEW)	5	0	100%	29	4	88%	100%	97%
LIEU, TED (D - TORRANCE)	–	–	–	29	4	88%	–	91%
MA, FIONA (D - SAN FRANCISCO)	2	0	100%	33	0	100%	100%	100%
MAZE, BILL (R - VISALIA)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	0%	5%
MENDOZA, TONY (D - ARTESIA)	–	–	–	29	4	88%	–	88%
MULLIN, GENE (D - SO SAN FRANCISCO)	–	–	–	30	3	91%	100%	96%
NAKANISHI, ALAN (R - LODI)	0	2	0%	4	29	12%	3%	7%
NAVA, PEDRO (D - SANTA BARBARA)	–	–	–	30	3	91%	–	97%
NIELLO, ROGER (R - SACRAMENTO)	–	–	–	3	30	9%	–	8%
NÚÑEZ, FABIAN (D - LOS ANGELES)	–	–	–	29	4	88%	100%	97%
PARRA, NICOLE (D - HANFORD)	3	0	100%	22	11	67%	100%	70%
PLESCIA, GEORGE (R - SAN DIEGO)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	0%	8%
PORTANTINO, ANTHONY (D - PASADENA)	–	–	–	32	1	97%	–	97%
PRICE, CURREN (D - INGLEWOOD)	–	–	–	30	3	91%	–	91%
♦♦RICHARDSON, LAURA (D - LONG BEACH)	–	–	–	16	1	94%	–	94%
RUNNER, SHARON (R - LANCASTER)	–	–	–	3	30	9%	0%	6%
RUSKIN, IRA (D - REDWOOD CITY)	5	0	100%	31	0	100%	100%	99%
SALAS, MARY (D - CHULA VISTA)	1	1	50%	27	6	82%	50%	82%
SALDAÑA, LORI (D - SAN DIEGO)	–	–	–	33	0	100%	100%	100%
SILVA, JIM (R - HUNTINGTON BEACH	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	12%
SMYTH, CAMERON (R - SANTA CLARITA)	0	1	0%	3	29	9%	0%	9%
SOLORIO, JOSE (D - SANTA ANA)	0	1	0%	28	5	85%	0%	85%
SOTO, NELL (D - POMONA)	–	–	–	12	4	75%	95%	94%
SPITZER, TODD (R - ORANGE)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	7%
STRICKLAND, AUDRA (R - CAMARILLO)	0	7	0%	2	21	9%	0%	5%
SWANSON, SANDRÉ (D - OAKLAND)	6	0	100%	32	0	100%	100%	100%
TORRICO, ALBERTO (D - FREMONT)	–	–	–	28	5	85%	–	92%
TRAN, VAN (R - COSTA MESA)	0	1	0%	4	29	12%	0%	9%
VILLINES, MICHAEL (R - CLOVIS)	–	–	–	4	29	12%	–	7%
WALTERS, MIMI (R - LAGUNA NIGUEL)	–	–	–	3	30	9%	0%	7%
WOLK, LOIS (D - DAVIS)	–	–	–	32	1	97%	67%	89%

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◆◆ Laura Richardson elected to Congress 8/21/07

Assembly Committee Votes

KEY		✓ VOTES WITH LABOR	— VOTES AGAINST LABOR	# OPPOSED LABOR (ABSTAINED)	NV NOT VOTING/ EXCUSED ABSENCE
Assembly Health Committee	AB 1554: Rate Regulation for Health Insurance Companies SB 840: Single Payer Health Care	TOTALS			
KEY FOR BILLS, SEE PAGES 3-5 FOR DESCRIPTION	19	29	✓	—	%
BASS, KAREN (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
BERG, PATTY (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
DE LA TORRE, HECTOR (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
DE LEÓN, KEVIN (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
DYMALLY, MERVYN (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
EMMERSON, BILL (R)	—	—	0	2	0%
GAINES, TED (R)	✓	✓	0	2	0%
HANCOCK, LONI (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
HAYASHI, MARY (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
HERNANDEZ, EDWARD (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
HUFF, BOB (R)	—	—	0	2	0%
JONES, DAVE (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
LIEBER, SALLY (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
MA, FIONA (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%
NAKANISHI, ALAN (R)	—	—	0	2	0%
SALAS, MARY (D)	#	✓	1	1	50%
STRICKLAND, AUDRA (R)	—	—	0	2	0%

Assembly Insurance Committee	AB 507: Workers' Compensation Coverage Database SB 727: Expanded Coverage for Paid Family Leave SB 936: Permanent Disability Benefits Increase	TOTALS				
KEY FOR BILLS, SEE PAGES 3-5 FOR DESCRIPTION	10	27	30	✓	—	%
BENOIT, JOHN (R)	#	—	—	0	3	0%
BERG, PATTY (D)	✓	✓	✓	3	0	100%
CALDERON, CHARLES (D)	✓	#	#	1	2	33%
CARTER, WILMER (D)	✓	✓	✓	3	0	100%
COTO, JOE (D)	✓	✓	✓	3	0	100%
DE LEÓN, KEVIN (D)	✓	✓	✓	3	0	100%
DUVALL, MICHAEL (R)	✓	#	#	1	2	33%
GARRICK, MARTIN (R)	✓	#	#	1	2	33%
LIEBER, SALLY (D)	✓	✓	✓	3	0	100%
PARRA, NICOLE (D)	✓	✓	✓	3	0	100%

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Assembly Labor and Employment Committee						Assembly Utilities and Commerce Committee																	
AB 377: Farm Labor Contractors						AB 1157: Public Utilities Commission Member Election																	
AB 504: Employee Lockout Protections																							
AB 537: Family and Medical Leave																							
AB 510: Repeal of the Eight-Hour Day																							
AB 613: Workplace Postings																							
TOTALS						TOTALS																	
KEY FOR BILLS, SEE PAGES 3-5 FOR DESCRIPTION						7	9	12	36	37	✓	—	%	KEY FOR BILLS, SEE PAGES 3-5 FOR DESCRIPTION						38	✓	—	%
DESAULNIER, MARK (D)						✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	5	0	100%	BASS, KAREN (D)						✓	1	0	100%
GAINES, TED (R)						—	—	—	—	—	0	5	0%	BLAKESLEE, SAM (R)						—	0	1	0%
GALGIANI, CATHLEEN (D)						—	#	#	—	—	0	5	0%	DAVIS, MIKE (D)						✓	1	0	100%
LAIRD, JOHN (D)						✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	5	0	100%	HUFFMAN, JARED (D)						✓	1	0	100%
LENO, MARK (D)						✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	5	0	100%	JONES, DAVE (D)						✓	1	0	100%
RUSKIN, IRA (D)						✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	5	0	100%	KEENE, RICK (R)						—	0	1	0%
STRICKLAND, AUDRA (R)						—	—	—	—	—	0	5	0%	KREKORIAN, PAUL (D)						✓	1	0	100%
SWANSON, SANDRÉ (D)						✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	5	0	100%	LEVINE, LLOYD (D)						✓	1	0	100%
												SMYTH, CAMERON (R)						—	0	1	0%		
												SOLORIO, JOSE (D)						#	0	1	0%		
												SWANSON, SANDRÉ (D)						✓	1	0	100%		
												TRAN, VAN (R)						—	0	1	0%		

Senate Committee Votes

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Senate Health Committee	AB 1554: Rate Regulation for Health Insurance Companies		SB 840: Single Payer Health Care				
			TOTALS				
KEY FOR BILLS, SEE PAGES 3–5 FOR DESCRIPTION	19	29	✓	—	%		
AANESTAD, SAM (R)	—	—	0	2	0%		
ALQUIST, ELAINE (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%		
CEDILLO, GIL (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%		
COX, DAVE (R)	—	—	0	2	0%		
KUEHL, SHEILA (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%		
MALDONADO, ABEL (R)	—	—	0	2	0%		
NEGRETE-MCLEOD, GLORIA (D)	#	#	0	2	0%		
RIDLEY-THOMAS, MARK (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%		
STEINBERG, DARRELL (D)	✓	✓	2	0	100%		
WYLAND, MARK (R)	—	—	0	2	0%		
YEE, LELAND (D)	#	✓	1	1	50%		

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