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#17

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the signing of his first bill passed by the 1974 legislative session.

The bill, AB 2691 (Chapter 1), authored by Assemblyman Joseph B. Montoya, validates school district bond elections held on January 8, 1974.

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#56

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that the following bills have been signed:

SB 435 - Collier Chapter 2 Validates the results of certain school district elections conducted pursuant to the State School Building Aid Law of 1952.

SB 1511 - Grunsky Chapter 3 Provides that in any election for the first judge or judges of a newly established municipal or justice court, only eligible judges of the courts to be superseded may appear on the ballot and be elected. The bill provides that those judges who are equal in number to the number to be elected and who receive the highest number of votes shall be declared elected.

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#59

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced he has signed the following bills:

AB 926 - Russell
Chapter 6

Makes a clarifying amendment relating to emergency military leave for state employees.

AB 2647 - Mobley
Chapter 7

Enacts the Veterans Bond Act of 1974, authorizing bonds in the amount of \$350 million for Cal-Vet farm, home, and mobilehome loans. The bond act will appear on the June 4 ballot.

SB 792 - Way
Chapter 5

Increases the number of judges in the Visalia Judicial District from one to two.

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#62

SB 295 - Grunsky
Chapter 8

Amends the Vehicle Code provision dealing with the removal, defacing or alteration of identification numbers of vehicles or vehicle parts.

AB 1131 - Beverly
Chapter 9

Amends the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 to provide that heart trouble of certain safety members shall not be attributed to any disease existing prior to development and manifestation. The bill further provides that disability retirement shall be effective on expiration date of disability leave of absence or upon consent prior to such expiration.

AB 1523 -Vasconcellos
Chapter 10

Places Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 76 on the June primary ballot. ACA 76 exempts from civil service the chief administrative officer and fire deputies of the California Postsecondary Education Commission.

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#68

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced he has signed the following bill:

SB 570 - Dymally
Chapter 11

Makes changes in the law relating to the administration of community property on the death of a spouse and its liability at that time for the payment of debts. The bill is applicable to estates of persons dying on or after January 1, 1975.

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McKelvey

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

~~AB 2406~~-Boatwright prohibits the taking of any cross fox, silver fox, Chapter 15 or red fox for profit.

~~SB 144~~ - Alquist Requires the Department of Housing and Community Chapter 13 Development to develop, and the Commission of Housing and Community Development to adopt by July 1, 1975, energy conservation standards for new nonresidential buildings. The bill appropriates \$330,000 to the department to implement its provisions.

~~SB 1023~~ - Way Repeals specific deficiencies in tolerances for Chapter 12 certain fertilizer components and authorizes the Director of Agriculture to establish such tolerances by regulation both for commercial fertilizer and for agricultural minerals. In addition, the bill authorizes the Director to require the registrant of any fertilizer material to provide scientific data to support the efficacy and claim for any such product.

~~SB 1427~~ - Way Exempts from the property tax seed potatoes held by Chapter 14 a grower as personal property on the lien date for subsequent planting in field form if planted during the assessment year. The bill denies exemption to plant nurseries.

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Garcia

Acting Governor James Mills today announced the following bills have been signed:

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| SB 181 - Marler
Chapter 16 | Revises allocations from the State School Fund to all elementary, high, and unified school districts and to county superintendents of schools. |
| SB 1627 - Stull
Chapter 17 | Authorizes any joint powers entity to be a borrower and to have all the other powers, duties, and responsibilities under the California Health Facility Construction Loan Insurance Law that cities, counties, and local hospital districts have. |
| SB 1639 - Grunsky
Chapter 18 | Authorizes an allocation under the Natural Disaster Assistance Law to the San Lorenzo Valley County Water District for restoration of water systems damaged or destroyed by January storms. The bill also authorizes such relief to local agencies suffering public building, street, road, or bridge damage in unspecified amounts. |

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Garcia

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bills have been signed:

AB 2405 - Boatwright
Chapter 25

Makes it unlawful for any person, including state, federal, county, and city officials to authorize, offer, or pay a bounty for any bird or mammal. The bill does not apply to any person with respect to the taking of any bird or mammal on the private property of such person.

AB 2410 - Ingalls
Chapter 26

Requires a valid certificate of compliance that all required pollution control devices are installed and working properly before a vehicle which has been reported dismantled may be registered.

AB 2748 - MacDonald
Chapter 20

Authorizes a tax rate to be levied without an election within a zone of the Ventura County Waterworks District No. 1 to pay interest and redemption charges on zone bonded indebtedness incurred prior to July 1, 1974.

SB 15 - Petris
Chapter 21

Makes the following changes in the Senior Citizens Property Tax Assistance Law: (1) shortens the filing period for claims; (2) allows late filing of claims for reasonable cause; (3) eliminates the proration of assistance on homesteads over one acre; (4) allows the surviving spouse to file where the claimant spouse died within the filing period without filing a claim; (5) shortens the time by which assistance payments are to be made; and (6) eliminates inconsistent operative dates with respect to the payment of assistance to welfare recipients.

SB 607 - Petris
Chapter 22

Amends the Penal Code to require the person in charge of a city or county jail or a judge of a court in the county in which the jail is located to provide a confidential written report to any 72-hour treatment facility to which a prisoner may be taken for treatment or evaluation. The bill further requires the professional person in charge of the treatment facility to provide the judge or person in charge of the jail with a report concerning the condition of the prisoner. Such report is to be provided at the end of each period of confinement.

SB 1163 - Dymally
Chapter 23

Authorizes any city attorney, in addition to the Director of Consumer Affairs, the Attorney General, or any district attorney, to request evidence of facts upon which advertising claims are based and to seek immediate termination or modification of the claim if the advertiser fails to respond within a reasonable time or if there is reason to believe the claim is false.

SB 1235 - Roberti
Chapter 24

Prohibits the use of Federal Emergency Employment Act funds from being used to hire persons for work that would have been done at federal, state or local expense, would result in displacement of classified personnel, or would otherwise impair existing rights of permanent members of the classified service. In the event of layoffs the superintendent of schools must demonstrate through a report that personnel hired under the federal act will not perform the duties of the personnel that were laid off.

SB 1703 - Behr
Chapter 19

Increases the total tonnage of herring which may be taken under permit during any one spawning season until November 30, 1975, in San Francisco, and Tomales Bays, but deletes the exclusion of herring taken for bait from the computation of such amount. The bill specifies the maximum portion of such tonnage which may be for bait.

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has vetoed the following bill:

SB 404 - Schrade

Requires public agency contracts to provide for the assumption of the responsibility for the removal, relocation or protection of existing utilities if they are not identified in the plans and specifications. Contract documents must provide for compensation to the contractor when utilities are not so indicated in the plans and specifications. The bill also removes the requirement that subcontractors be listed by the prime contractor on public contracts involving street lighting or traffic signals.

REASON FOR VETO:

"I have no objections to the provisions of SB 404 relating to the relocation of utility facilities. However, I believe that the amendment to the Subletting and Subcontracting Fair Practices Act eliminating the listing of subcontractors merits further legislative review.

"Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned."

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#119

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

~~AB 531 - Mobley~~
~~Chapter 27~~

Provides for posting of names of candidates for delegate at the presidential primary rather than mailing to voters with the sample ballot.

~~AB 1166 -Vasconcellos~~
~~Chapter 28~~

Increases membership of the Renal Dialysis Review Committee to nine, and requires the Director of Health to appoint at least four physicians, including at least one specializing in kidney transplantation and at least two specializing in pediatric nephrology, one member who represents the University of California, and one who represents a private organization or organizations concerned with kidney disease in California.

~~AB 1305 - Crown~~
~~Chapter 29~~

Requires each sheriff's department and each city police department to establish a procedure to investigate citizens' complaints against the personnel of such departments, and to make a written description of the procedure available to the public.

~~AB 2398 -Vasconcellos~~
~~Chapter 30~~

Transfers from the State Department of Education to the Chancellor of the California Community Colleges, certain responsibilities regarding the acquisition of school sites and the planning and construction of school facilities.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 340 - Beverly
Chapter 31 Exempts property owned and operated by an organization incorporated by an act of Congress to provide specified facilities and services relating to aviation and aerospace from property taxation.
- AB 431 - Badham
Chapter 32 Requires the Department of Transportation to offer to sell, at a price equal to its cost of acquisition, specified parcels of real property to the Cities of Newport Beach and San Clemente and the East Bay Regional Park District for park and recreational purposes. The bill also authorizes the department to reacquire any such parcel at the price at which it was sold, if the department needs the parcel for transportation purposes.
- AB 895 - MacDonald
Chapter 33 Allows the assessment levied in a water conservation district to be increased from 25¢ to 50¢ per \$100 of assessed valuation if such increase is approved by a majority of the district voters.
- AB 1066 - Cullen
Chapter 34 Permits persons who have been practicing lawyers, in jurisdictions where the English common law is not the basis of jurisprudence, to take the general California bar examination and, upon successful passage thereof, be admitted to practice in California.
- AB 1898 - Holoman
Chapter 35 Provides that the provision of the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 relating to member contributions for receipt of credit for prior public service shall not be applicable to counties which have elected specified retirement formulas.
- AB 2438 - Boatwright
Chapter 36 Specifies that it shall be conclusively presumed that a water conduit crossing a highway was in place and lawfully maintained prior to the highway if no written records exist showing that the highway rights-of-way existed prior to the conduit's rights-of-way.
- AB 2479 - MacDonald
Chapter 37 Revises the exemptions from the provisions of law relating to public weighmasters to include certain county sanitation districts' employees and to restate the exemption granted to certain employees of garbage and refuse disposal districts.

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#135

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced he has signed the following bills:

- SB 1415 - Grunsky Chapter 38 Permits unsuccessful applicants to review their bar examination papers at the office of the Committee of Bar Examiners located nearest the place where they took the examination, instead of permitting such review in the city where the examination was given.
- SB 1456 - Biddle Chapter 39 Exempts filing fees for respondent's appearance stipulation, if any, and waiver of rights in actions for dissolution of marriage when the respondent is a member of the armed forces and does not contest the action for dissolution.
- SB 1500 - Berryhill Chapter 40 Authorizes the county committee on school district organization of a county which is exempted from the requirement that all territory be included in a community college district, to elect to exclude affected territory of the county from a community college district within 30 days after the formation of the district under prescribed conditions.
- AB 2070 - Boatwright Chapter 41 Revises various provisions of the Corporations Code and Government Code relating to filing of conveyances with the Secretary of State and to fees for filing specified corporation, partnership, firm, or personal documents.

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#138

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced he has signed the following bills:

SB 1449 - Alquist Chapter 42	Appropriates \$80,000 to the State Department of Health for payment to the City of Santa Clara of the department's share of the cost of improving Lafayette Street from Aldo Avenue to State Highway Route 327.
SB 1617 - Song Chapter 43	Appropriates \$578,636 from the General Fund to the State Controller for transfer to the Judges' Retirement Fund in augmentation of the Budget Act of 1973.
AB 541 - MacDonald Chapter 44	Revises numerous references in the Education Code to reflect the correct name of the California State University and Colleges.
AB 1082 - Dunlap Chapter 45	Permits the Director of General Services with approval of the Public Works Board to sell land for open space purposes to local governments at fair market value or lesser value under specified conditions.
AB 2030 - H. Johnson Chapter 46	Requires notices of specified property liens to contain the name of the property owner of record. The bill also expressly specifies that such liens shall continue for 10 years from the time of recording unless released or otherwise discharged.
AB 2212 - Chacon Chapter 47	Provides that a city by ordinance may designate the appeals board set up under the Community Redevelopment Law to hear appeals from public entities concerning relocation benefits allowed home owners under the Relocation Assistance Act. The bill exempts those state agencies which have an appeals board. It permits any person entitled to relocation assistance to appeal his eligibility for, or amount of, assistance to the public entity or to the appeals board set up under the Community Redevelopment Law. The bill also eliminates any compensation received for relocation from consideration in determining financial ability to support a relative who is on welfare. It eliminates from attachment by the county money received for relocation benefits, and for six months money received for the residence, of a relocated person who is on welfare.

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Garcia

Governor Ronald Reagan announced today he has signed the following bill:

SB 1340 - Moscone
Chapter 48

Revises provisions of the Governmental Conflict of Interests Act relating to conflicts of interest and financial disclosure by certain public officials.

Statement by Governor Reagan:

"I have today signed SB 1340, which amends the Governmental Conflict of Interests Act (Chapter 1166, Stat. 1973), but I feel the legislature has not fully met its responsibilities and that additional legislation is needed--at this session--to remedy a mediocre attempt to clarify the law.

"It has been the concern of many local, county and state officials that the Act's applicability and requirements in many areas were unclear. SB 1340 resolves some of those concerns. However, I share the Assembly Republican Caucus' concern that Senator Moscone has weakened the original Act to the detriment of the public's right to full disclosure.

"For example, Section 3625(a) of the original bill states... 'no official shall have economic interests which are in substantial conflict with the proper exercise of his official duties and powers.' This has been moved from the operative provisions of the Act to the intent language of SB 1340, an obvious weakening of the law. In addition, I believe the exemption of legislators and other full-time elected and appointed officials provided in SB 1340, and in the original Act, should be modified to insure that all outside sources of income be disclosed.

"I am asking the legislature to clear up the ambiguities in the law by approving legislation that will insure that the original intent of the Conflict of Interests Act is preserved.

"Accordingly, we will introduce legislation that would clarify and strengthen what I consider to be a vital protection of the public interest."

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced he has signed the following bills:

- AB 1231-Kapiloff
Chapter 49 Provides that the notice of intention to make assessments required of revenue districts that did not levy assessments in the preceding year be furnished to the State Board of Equalization on or before January 1 preceding the fiscal year for which a levy is to be made. The bill also provides that estimates of state-assessed property in a county shall be subject only to changes transmitted by the State Board of Equalization prior to August 15, rather than immediately after the third Monday in August.
- AB 1401 - Meade
Chapter 50 Requires the Commission of Housing and Community Development to adopt regulations regarding fire safety in existing multi-story residential structures (hotels, motels, apartment houses) which are the same as those contained in certain provisions of the Uniform building Code. These regulations would tighten State Housing Law requirements for enclosed stairwells and other safety measures.
- AB 1476 - Lanterman
Chapter 51 Requires the factfinding commission appointed by the governor to investigate a dispute between the Southern California Rapid Transit District and the employees of the district, where there is a failure to agree to arbitrate the dispute, to submit its report to the governor within 60 days, rather than 30 days, of its creation. The bill requires the commission to deliver a preliminary confidential report to the district and its employees not later than the 51st day, and authorizes the district and its employees to submit their comments on the report by the 54th day for consideration by the commission.
- AB 1662 - Chappie
Chapter 52 Permits the Department of Transportation to place signs to restrict parking in areas within one-half mile of any state parks, where the Director of Conservation has determined that there is an extreme fire hazard; or where the county health officer determines that camping would impose a public health hazard.
- AB 2003 - R. Johnson
Chapter 53 Authorizes the Counties of Sutter and Yuba to expend revenues allocated to them from the Highway Users Tax Account in the Transportation Tax Fund to finance construction on State Highway Route 99 and State Highway Route 70. The bill also authorizes the department, with the consent of the two counties, to expend moneys required to be expended in either county to meet state highway county minimum expenditures requirement on such portions of Routes 70 and 99.
- AB 2086 -Kapiloff
Chapter 54 Updates provisions of the Revenue and Taxation Code relating to the taxation of privately owned railroad cars.
- AB 2138 -McCarthy
Chapter 55 Adds podiatrists to the group of licensed practitioners who may be permitted to practice in the hospitals of local health districts and requires the board of directors to include in the rules of the district hospitals provisions for podiatrists to become part of the organized formal medical staff. This bill also permits staff appointments in these hospitals to be on an annual or biennial basis.
- AB 2338 - Knox
Chapter 56 Authorizes public agencies to file notices with respect to projects not subject to the environmental impact report requirements of the Environmental Quality Act. Any action or proceeding to attack the determination of the public agency that the project is not subject to the Act will have to commence within 35 days after filing of the notice. In the event no notice was filed, action would have to commence within 180 days of the agency's decision to carry out the project.

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#155

Acting Governor Ed Reinecke today announced that he has signed the following bills:

SB 1536 - Harmer
Chapter 57

States that in each county containing 20 or more Assembly districts a Republican and Democratic county central committee shall consist of seven members elected from each Assembly district or portion of Assembly district within the county.

AB 367 - Thurman
Chapter 58

Specifically authorizes the Department of Transportation or local authorities, with respect to highways under their respective jurisdictions, to erect stop signs to require the traffic on a highway to stop before crossing any railroad grade crossing, designated by the agency having jurisdiction of the highway as a major crossing with a demonstrated need for stop signs.

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#160

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has vetoed the following bill:

SB 968 - Roberti

Requires governing boards of school districts which maintain health programs to employ only certified persons who hold health and development credentials or standard designated services credentials with specialization in health in such programs.

REASON FOR VETO:

"SB 968 interferes with local control of schools in that it mandates a program which currently is permitted by law. School districts may already employ properly certified people for the work, and supervisors of health and physical development of pupils already are required to be credentialed; thus, the bill is unnecessary.

"A number of local and county school superintendents have requested that the bill be vetoed. In some rural areas there may be difficulty in finding properly credentialed personnel. Therefore, existing school health programs may have to be eliminated.

"Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned."

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Garcia

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#165

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

SB 521 - Petris
Chapter 59

Permits a county board of supervisors to establish a county heritage and historical commission to foster preservation of historical materials or provide for performance of the functions of such a commission by a county museum commission. The bill requires the Secretary of State to utilize the California Heritage Preservation Commission and the California State Library to advise and coordinate the activities of such county commissions.

AB 198 -Gonsalves
Chapter 60
DELETION

Provides that once the homeowners property tax exemption is granted, it will remain in effect until the property is no longer eligible for the exemption. The bill extends the time period in which 80 percent of the homeowners property tax exemption may be granted. The bill also appropriates \$1.5 million from the Federal Revenue Sharing Fund to the State General Fund for payment of late claims in 1973-74.

REASON FOR DELETION: "I am deleting the \$1,500,000 appropriation contained in Section 14 (a) of Assembly Bill NO. 198.

"Necessary funds to reimburse counties and cities for the 1973-74 fiscal year property tax revenues lost by reason of the operation of this bill will be included in the provisions of AB 3169, now before the legislature.

"With this deletion, I approve Assembly Bill No. 198."

AB 1654 - Chappie
Chapter 61

Permits the Division of Industrial Safety to accept inspection of an aerial passenger tramway used as a ski lift made by a qualified, licensed professional engineer for an insurer in lieu of making its own inspection of such tramway for that year. The bill makes provision for certification by the division of such professional engineers.

AB 2098 - Arnett
Chapter 62

Provides that a physician and surgeon or podiatrist who is working for a community clinic which contracts with or employs individual licensed physicians and surgeons or podiatrists to render medical care shall be exempted from the requirement that a place or establishment be wholly owned or entirely controlled by the applicants and from the requirement that specified designations be used in the name under which the applicant proposes to operate before a permit to use a fictitious name will be issued.

AB 2570 - Nimmo
Chapter 63

Authorizes the Lost Hills Water District as a member unit of the Kern County Water Agency to adopt a plan of water allocation which would exclude designated lands in the district not then receiving water purchased from the agency from any future right to any such water, thus, in effect, reserving such water purchased from the agency for the benefit of the remaining lands in the district. The bill also authorizes the Cawelo Water District to adopt a plan of water allocation to establish limited areas which will receive delivery of surface water supplies.

AB 2578 - L. Greene
Chapter 64

Makes several changes in the law that are intended to insure that owners of record receive adequate notice when their property is to be sold for nonpayment of bonds issued under the Improvement Act of 1911.

AB 2626-MacGillivray Permits a county board of retirement to provide
Chapter 65 specified benefits for eligible surviving spouses
or unmarried surviving children from excess earnings
of the retirement fund.

AB 2629 - Nimmo Provides for transporting potatoes that fail to meet
Chapter 66 specified quality standards, for processing, preserving,
or manufacturing purposes out of the state, under
permit issued by county agricultural commissioners.

AB 2727 - Fenton Increases court form fees for civil cases and
Chapter 67 proceedings in the municipal courts of the City of
Los Angeles and makes such fee increases applicable
to all other municipal courts in Los Angeles County.

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Garcia

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 1031 - Lancaster Revises provisions providing for filling of vacancies on school district governing boards to authorize board, within 30 days of a vacancy or filing or a resignation, to make provisional appointment or call an election.
- AB 1213 - Nimmo Makes available from proceeds of the State School Building Aid Bond Law of 1966, funds for apportionments as loans to school districts maintaining high school dormitories for purposes of reconstructing or replacing existing dormitories.
- SB 1108 - Rodda Qualifies, for purposes of rehabilitation and replacement under the State School Building Aid Law of 1966, school buildings that were originally used to house U.S. Cavalry and later World War II prisoners.
- SB 26 - Nejedly Makes the authority of the general manager of the Bay Area Rapid Transit District specifically subject to the direction and control of the board of directors. The bill also provides that the general manager shall attend meetings of the board as directed by the board rather than that he shall be entitled to participate in the board's deliberations but shall have no vote.
- SB 938 - Biddle Provides for plea bargaining with respect to an accusatory pleading charging a felony rather than an information or indictment. The bill will permit plea bargaining in the municipal courts with respect to complaints charging felony.
- SB 1542 - Nejedly Provides for payment of federal-state extended unemployment insurance commencing on the effective date of the bill up to April 6, 1974.
- AB 765 - Kapiloff Permits the use of the prefix Ms. in voter registration. The bill permits the choice of Miss, Mrs., Ms. or Mr. for all voters. However, the sex of the affiant is required on the affidavit of registration.
- AB 853 - Burton Makes technical corrections and amendments to legislation enacted in 1973 which established an adult aid payment program to supplement the benefits provided under the federal Supplemental Security Income Program.
- AB 1580 - Gonsalves Exempts individuals from making quarterly estimates of state income tax if 80 percent or more of their state income tax is covered by withholding.
- AB 2487 - Russell Requires as a condition of first employment that all new certificated school employees undergo a medical examination and be certified as free from any disabling disease causing unfitness to instruct or associate with children. The bill also permits local district governing boards to require all certificated employees of the district to undergo periodic health examinations.
- AB 2962 - Badham Permits the Orange County Transit District Auditor to contract for services in connection with the annual audit of the district's books and accounts.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 887 - MacGillivray Chapter 82 Requires persons commercially taking fish, mollusks, or crustaceans, except crabs and lobsters as specified, to possess a revocable, non-transferable annual trap permit issued by the Department of Fish and Game.
- AB 2220 - Maddy Chapter 83 Authorizes issuance of a single-subject instruction teaching credential in the subject of agriculture for grades up to, and including, grade 12.
- SB 393 - Roberti Chapter 79 Requires the State Registrar of Vital Statistics to establish a new birth certificate upon receipt of a report of adoption from any court of record in any foreign county which has jurisdiction of the child for any child born in California and whose certificate of birth is on file in the Office of the State Registrar.
- SB 811 - Robbins Chapter 80 Provides for additional remedies for obligees to enforce foreign support orders in this state, including registration of foreign support orders in a court of this state, representation of the obligee by the prosecuting attorney or Attorney General, and enforcement of order by a prosecuting attorney when a foreign support order has been registered as provided.
- SB 1240 - Berryhill Chapter 81 Specifies that amendment of child support orders made prior to March 4, 1972 to increase or decrease the amount of support may be made without terminating support at 18 years of age.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

AB 501 - Boatwright Chapter 85 Permits retired members of the Public Employees' Retirement System to modify the designation of a spouse as a beneficiary under certain optional retirement settlements, in the event of a dissolution or annulment of a marriage or a legal separation. The bill also provides for the payment upon the member's death, of the balance of the member's accumulated contributions to designated beneficiaries or to the estate when there are no beneficiaries.

AB 1477 - Lanterman Chapter 86 Provides that a metropolitan water district which has a contract for State Water Project water together with an additional source of water shall serve as large an area as reasonable and practicable with a blend including state water and that the objective shall be to furnish at least 50 percent state water in the blend if this is determined by the district to be reasonable and practicable.

AB 2592 - Bee Chapter 87 Permits a park and recreation district board to increase the maximum sum it may pay board members from \$25 to \$50 per meeting. Board members receive compensation for each meeting attended, not exceeding two meetings in any calendar month.

AB 2702 - Karabian Chapter 88 Appropriates \$373,500 to the Department of Justice to settle the claims of Linda L. Dyer, Francis H. Dyer, Jonathan D. Dyer, Florence Mehan, and Susan M. Mehan, against the State of California.

SB 528 - Petris Chapter 84 Allows the payment of property tax assistance under the Senior Citizens Property Tax Assistance Law to claimants who have not paid their property taxes if the failure is justified by reasonable cause and if the claimant promises under penalty of perjury to use the assistance payment to promptly pay delinquent property taxes.

Garcia

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 1188 - Briggs Chapter 90 Requires the Department of Transportation to offer to sell, at a price equal to its cost of acquisition, specified land to the County of Orange for park purposes. It authorizes the department to dispose of the parcels in the normal manner, if the county has not accepted the offer prior to June 1, 1974. The bill also requires the county to develop the parcels, except for such portion set aside for archaeological excavations, for park purposes within five years of their acquisition. Reverts title of any parcel not so developed to the department.
- AB 2089 - Kapiloff Chapter 91 Revises provisions of the Civil Code relating to the performance of notarial acts by officers on active duty in the armed forces.
- SB 647 - Harmer Chapter 89 Provides that unused sick leave shall be credited toward the retirement of members of the State Teachers' Retirement System.

Garcia

Governor Ronald Reagan announced today he has signed the following bill:

AB 1304 - Russell
Chapter 93

Allows California to join the Multistate Tax Commission as a regular member. California is presently an associate member of the commission.

STATEMENT:

"I realize this is an extremely controversial bill and that both sides have put forth convincing arguments for their points of view. However, I feel that by signing the bill into law, California will maintain its position of leadership in formulating interstate taxation policy and will continue to have the opportunity to protect its interests. In addition, this action will forestall preemption of this vital policy-making area by the federal government. I believe the states, who have a better understanding of their particular problems involving taxation, are in a better position to determine policy in taxing multi-state taxpayers."

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

AB 14 -R. Johnson Chapter 95	Increases various fees of the Butte County Superior Court.
AB 1120 - Knox Chapter 92	Deletes the requirement that a surviving husband of a Public Employees' Retirement System member be dependent to receive certain survivor's benefits.
AB 1595 - Duffy Chapter 96	Requires the Board of Medical Examiners to prepare and issue, at least every two years, a report concerning specified information relative to persons licensed by the board.
AB 2546 - Seeley Chapter 97	Authorizes the Director of Food and Agriculture or county agricultural commissioners to prohibit the harvest of crops that carry spray residue in excess of permissible tolerances.
AB 2642 - Bannai Chapter 98	Increases the maximum amount a coroner can collect for embalming a body from \$50 to \$100. The bill also changes from \$75 to \$150 the maximum amount available for burial of a person to make embalming a county charge.
SB 1472 - Stiern Chapter 94	Extends the date by which documents relating to boundary changes of county water districts must be filed with government agencies for assessment and tax purposes during the 1974-75 fiscal year.

Governor Reagan also announced that he has vetoed the following bill:

AB 468 - Maddy	Extends to all school districts, rather than those with over 250 average daily attendance applicability of provisions regarding mandatory permanent tenure for certificated employees after three complete consecutive school years of service..
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REASON FOR VETO: "This bill would require small school districts with less than 250 average daily attendance to grant permanent status to certificated employees who have served three consecutive school years, commencing with the 1974-75 school year. Current law permits such districts to grant permanent status to certificated employees.

"In most cases, small school districts have only one school, a few teachers, and no full-time administrative staff. They do not have the resources, for example, to cope with the intricate procedures involved in dismissing a tenured teacher. Since they can grant tenure to teachers if they desire, I know of no compelling reason for the state to impose this requirement.

"Accordingly, I am returning this bill unsigned."

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Garcia

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced he has signed the following bills:

- AB 124 - Deddeh
Chapter 103 Provides that possession of a dirk, dagger, knife or unguarded razor on a public school campus, with specified exceptions, is a misdemeanor. The bill also authorizes school employees to seize these weapons.
- AB 1118 - Ingalls
Chapter 104 Increases the permissible annual standby charge in any improvement district within the Eastern Municipal Water District and the Western Municipal Water District of Riverside County from \$10 to \$20 per acre or parcels less than an acre. The bill requires the proceeds from any such charge in excess of \$10 to only be used for the purposes of the improvement district.
- AB 1313 - Maddy
Chapter 105 Affords the parties in disciplinary hearings involving community college contract and regular certificated employees, conducted by both arbitrators and state administrative hearing officers, the rights and duties of discovery of any party in a civil action brought in a superior court. The bill requires discovery to be completed prior to one week before the date set for hearing.
- AB 1830 - Badham
Chapter 106 Authorizes harbor improvement districts to acquire, develop, operate or maintain public beaches or inland parks and recreation areas without holding the hearings and making the findings generally required by law if there is compliance with the local agency impact report requirements of the Environmental Quality Act of 1970 and provisions regarding conformity with city or county general plans. The bill also provides that the board of supervisors of the county holds at least one public hearing prior to approval of any such project.
- AB 2365 - Lewis
Chapter 107 Authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation to exchange any real property acquired by the state for Heart Bar State Park for real property owned by the United States which is needed for the Silverwood State Recreation Area or transfer any real property acquired for Heart Bar State Park to the Department of Water Resources for the purpose of an exchange for real property owned by the United States which is needed for Silverwood State Recreation Area or for water conservation, flood control, or power features at, or near, Silverwood State Recreation Area.
- AB 2559 - Bee
Chapter 108 Makes the refusal to rent or lease housing accommodations to visually handicapped or physically disabled persons on the basis that such person is dependent upon his spouse's income, if the spouse is a party to the lease or rental agreement, a denial of equal access to housing accommodations.
- AB 2728 - Cullen
Chapter 109 Removes the requirement that the ballot designation be identical to the designation in the candidate's affidavit of registration. The bill also modifies the Election Code provision relating to informing voters of certain absentee ballot information.
- AB 2790 - Dixon
Chapter 110 Permits members of the State Teachers' Retirement System to receive up to four years credit for time excused from performance of duties and served as full-time elected officers of educational organizations upon payment of specified contributions.
- AB 2818 - Chacon
Chapter 111 Authorizes the governing boards of school districts and community college districts and county superintendents of schools to perform all acts necessary to implement nutrition programs for the elderly.

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- ~~AB 2947 - Lanterman~~ Chapter 112 Appropriates \$2,750,000 for support of the development centers for handicapped children. \$440,000 is appropriated for fiscal year 1973-74, and \$2,310,000 for 1974-75. The appropriation made by this bill will be sufficient to serve 400 additional pupils for the remainder of this fiscal year. The \$2 million appropriation for 1974-75 will provide help for 600 additional pupils.
- ~~SB 880 - Song~~ Chapter 99 Adds a provision to the Cosmetology Act permitting the Board of Cosmetology to take disciplinary action against a licensee who fails to comply with the Board's regulations.
- ~~SB 1019 -Berryhill~~ Chapter 100 Amends the County Water District Law, the California Water District Law and the Mojave Water Agency Law relative to repayment of promissory notes.
- ~~SB 1397 - Grunsky~~ Chapter 101 Revises the interest and mortality assumptions used for valuing contingent, future or life estates for inheritance and gift tax purposes.
- ~~SB 1425 -Beilenson~~ Chapter 102 Authorizes local authorities, whenever they determine upon the basis of an engineering and traffic survey that the speed limit of 25 miles per hour when passing a school building or ground is more than is reasonable or safe, to declare a speed limit of 20 or 15 miles per hour.
- ~~AB 1756 - Crown~~ Chapter 114 Authorizes the Attorney General to provide, by contract, the services of the Department of Justice's laboratory facilities, personnel and technical experts to public defenders.
- ~~AB 2060 - Ingalls~~ Chapter 115 Specifies that each prepaid health plan shall provide for the services of an optometrist or ophthalmologist when the prepaid health plan contract requires such services.
- ~~SB 1589 - Marler~~ Chapter 113 Authorizes the State Allocation Board to make additional appointments from the State School Building Aid Fund two years after the original approval without requiring district rebonding.

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Acting Governor Ed Reinecke today announced he has signed the following bills:

AB 404 - Beverly
Chapter 116

Requires library district elections in unincorporated towns and villages to be held at the same time as school district elections. The bill provides for implementing changes in dates of election and in the dates of the commencement and termination of the term of office of such library district trustees.

AB 536 - Chappie
Chapter 117

Changes the salaries, benefits, and employment conditions of court reporters in the counties of El Dorado and Nevada and provides for specified filing fees in the two counties.

AB 2148 - Bagley
Chapter 118

Revises the definition of nonambulatory persons with respect to the fire protection law to exclude persons who depend upon canes and totally blind persons from such definition.

AB 2305 - Wood
Chapter 119

Changes the number and compensation of various personnel in the Monterey, Carmel, and Salinas Municipal Courts and creates new positions in the Salinas Municipal Court.

AB 2413 - Alatorre
Chapter 120

Conditions a plaintiff's right to a default judgment in small claims courts upon presentation of evidence proving the claim.

AB 2622 - Thurman
Chapter 121

Includes Stanislaus and San Mateo Counties within those counties in which a person is eligible to be elected or appointed a judge of the municipal court of a judicial district if he is a resident eligible to vote for a specified period in the county in which the judicial district is situated.

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

AB 497 - Meade
Chapter 124

Provides that where a local ordinance so provides any interested person adversely affected by a decision of the advisory agency or appeals board in relation to the approval of a tentative subdivision map may file a complaint with the legislative body. The bill authorizes the legislative body to hold a hearing on such complaint.

AB 1326 - Ralph
Chapter 125

Revises the Food and Agricultural Code provision which establishes the requirement for a hearing by a trial board to determine neglect of duty, incompetence, or misconduct of a county agricultural commissioner. Present law requires the convening of a trial board upon the petition presented to the Director of Food and Agriculture by 25 resident freeholders or upon the presentation of satisfactory evidence of such neglect of duty, incompetence or misconduct. This bill deletes the provision relating to resident agricultural freeholders. The intended purpose of the deletion is to eliminate the exclusive right of agricultural freeholders to bring such charges and to continue to leave the present provisions where any person or group may present evidence to the Director of such neglective duty or misconduct.

AB 1346 - Knox
Chapter 126

Increases from 70 days to 90 days the time in which a hearing on a proposed local agency formation must be held after filing with, and acceptance of, such proposal with the executive officer of the local agency formation commission. The bill also provides that the proceedings on such proposals shall not be initiated until an application for formation is accepted for filing by the executive officer.

AB 1347 - Knox
Chapter 127

Provides that disincorporation of an existing city which is proposed as a part of a plan of reorganization may also be conducted in accordance with the procedures for reorganization set forth in the District Reorganization Act unless the affected city objects thereto. The bill also changes the time in which the executive officer of a local agency formation commission must submit his impartial analysis of ballot propositions to the commission for approval. It also makes changes with respect to the time that the commission must submit the analysis to those officials conducting the election.

AB 1455 - Duffy
Chapter 128

Creates within the jurisdiction of the Board of Dental Examiners a nine-member Committee on Dental Auxiliaries appointed by the governor. It establishes a program for certification in the categories of dental assistant and dental assistant in extended functions and for licensure in the categories of dental hygienist and dental hygienist in extended functions. The bill authorizes the Committee to make recommendations to the Board concerning the implementation of the program, including recommendations concerning the range of permissible functions of each category. The Board is required to establish such ranges and certify and license applicants who meet prescribed educational, experience, and examination requirements.

AB 1859 - Seeley
Chapter 129

Changes the scope of the Factory-Built Housing Law to include elements such as building components and systems. It requires all factory-built housing manufacturers to have the Department of Housing and Community Development plan approval and to bear insignia. The bill provides for optional inspection within factories by local building departments when certified by the State, otherwise the Department of Housing and Community Development inspects.

AB 2370 - Nimmo
Chapter 130

Permits persons who were in employ of the State of California on or after September 16, 1940 and prior to eligibility for membership and before December 21, 1945, entered the armed service directly from State service without intervening private employment and returned to state employment within six months of discharge to receive credit for military service upon payment of employee contributions.

AB 2523 - Dixon
Chapter 131

Amends the County Employees' Retirement Law of 1937 to provide that the marshal and assistant marshal shall become safety members on the first day of the calendar month following their appointment regardless of age. The bill also provides that under certain specified conditions a person over 35 years of age and involved in active law enforcement may elect to become a safety member if the county board of supervisors adopt this provision.

AB 2664-McAlister
Chapter 132

Changes the executor's or administrator's annual maximum surety bond allowance from \$10 for bonds in the amount of \$2,000 or less, to \$20 for bonds in the amount of \$4,000 or less.

AB 3170 - Badham
Chapter 133

Appropriates \$13,700,000 from the General Fund to the State Controller for reimbursement of local taxing authorities in augmentation of Item 82, Budget Act of 1973. Item 82 of the Budget Act of 1973 appropriated \$208 million from the General Fund to the Controller for payment to local taxing authorities for the property tax revenue loss resulting from the Personal Property Tax Relief Program.

SB 1407 - Collier
Chapter 123

Requires that portion of Route 3 from Route 299 near Weaverville to Montague to be via Main Street in Yreka.

Governor Reagan also signed the following bill with a reduction in appropriation:

AB 276 - Burton
Chapter 122

Appropriates \$5 million from the General Fund to Employment Development Department to administer a program to reimburse private employers 50 percent for up to 18 months for salaries and wages of Vietnam veterans employed by employers if specified conditions are met by the employer.

REASON FOR REDUCTION: "I am reducing the appropriation contained in Section 2 of Assembly Bill No. 276 from \$5,000,000 to \$1,000,000.

"The reduced appropriation of \$1,000,000 should be adequate to demonstrate the effectiveness of the employment training program proposed by this bill.

"Additional funding can be made available in future budgets if there is a showing that this program promotes meaningful job training opportunities for California's Vietnam veterans.

"With this reduction, I approve Assembly Bill #276."

Governor Reagan also vetoed the following bill:

AB 2041 - Knox

Provides that if the disability of certain local safety employees continues beyond one year, they shall be entitled to disability indemnity under the workmen's compensation law for a period not to exceed 240 weeks within five years, rather than until the effective date of retirement under the Public Employees' Retirement System. The bill limits the total amount of disability pension and workmen's compensation indemnity payments in such cases to an amount not in excess of full salary.

REASON FOR VETO: "I share the concern of the League of California Cities and the County Supervisors Association that AB 2041 will mandate potentially significant costs on local government and thus would violate the letter and the spirit of Section 2231 of the Revenue and Taxation Code.

"Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned."

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

AB 772 - Hayden
Chapter 150

Requires that the Commission of Housing and Community Development adopt regulations for garage door springs for installation in buildings subject to the State Housing Law. The bill prohibits the selling, offering for sale or installing of noncomplying garage door springs after the effective date of the regulations.

AB 1132 - Wood
Chapter 138

Increases the maximum state employee merit award from \$150 to \$1,000 in cases in which a larger award has not been approved by the legislature.

AB 1808 - Brown
Chapter 154

Deletes limitations on expenditure of funds during the 1973-74 fiscal year for the Medi-Cal management prototype system set forth in the Budget Act of 1973 and provides instead that the Department of Health shall by June 30, 1974, enter into a contract calling for implementation and operation of a statewide claims processing and information retrieval system. The bill further provides that such contract shall not be entered into unless an award has been made in accordance with the request for proposal for a statewide Medi-Cal intermediary.

AB 2324 - Wood
Chapter 139

Allows taxpayers filing income tax returns on a fiscal year basis to claim a credit for the income tax withheld in their return for the fiscal year in which the tax was withheld.

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AB 2348 - Nimmo
Chapter 140

Confers a water right to owners of dams or other impoundment structures constructed prior to January 1, 1969, with capacities not in excess of 10 acre-feet provided there existed no water rights litigation between private parties as a matter of record prior to January 1, 1974, notwithstanding nonconformance with the existing application and permit procedures. The bill also exempts such owners from requirements for filing a statement of diversion and use with the State Water Resources Control Board.

AB 2571 - Papan
Chapter 141

Specifies, with certain exceptions, that the manufacture, importation, keeping or offering or exposing for sale, giving, lending or possessing of a specifically described instrument or weapon commonly known as nunchaku, or specifically described metal plate instrument, is a felony and provides for destruction of such weapons as nuisances.

AB 2643 - Cullen
Chapter 142

Requires that notice of proposed actions regarding administrative regulations shall be delivered to the Office of Administrative Hearings for publication in the next issue of the California Administrative Register. The bill requires that a copy of each issue of the California Administrative Register and any supplement thereto be furnished to each standing committee of both houses of the legislature. The bill further requires notice of such action to be accompanied by a cost estimate prepared by the Department of Finance.

AB 2672 - Wood
Chapter 143

Revises procedure under which charges of neglect of duty, incompetence, or misconduct against county agricultural commissioners are made and heard.

AB 2704 - Z'Berg
Chapter 152

Requires the Division of Exposition and State Fair, Department of Parks and Recreation, to administer the California Exposition and State Fair under the direction of an exposition and fair administrator in the governor's office. The bill appropriates \$50,000 to the Department of Parks and Recreation for purposes of carrying out the provisions of the act. The bill will remain in effect until AB 2703 is enacted and becomes operative. AB 2703 is in enrollment and will become operative on July 1, 1975.

AB 2749 - MacDonald
Chapter 153

Provides for the San Antonio Water Conservation District to be governed under the Water Conservation Law of 1931 rather than the Water Conservation Act of 1927. The bill also authorizes the San Antonio Water Conservation District to change its name to the Ojai Water Conservation District.

AB 3184 - Lanterman
Chapter 144

Supplements the Budget Act of 1973 by including the state's share of costs for in-home supportive services in the appropriation to the Department of Benefit Payments, and by requiring that the transfer of any unencumbered funds so appropriated shall not exceed \$3,800,000 and, after June 1, 1974, shall be transferred to augment Item 280 (County welfare administration).

SB 852 - Marler
Chapter 145

Requires school districts, not having adequate development center facilities for the education of mentally retarded and physically handicapped pupils where the education of such pupils is provided in development centers, or not having adequate special education facilities for the education of mentally retarded and physically and educationally handicapped minors being cared for in licensed children's institutions or foster homes, to apply for construction funds under the state School Building Aid Law. The bill provides that the State Allocation Board may make apportionments under the state School Building Aid Law of 1952 for the construction of the additional required development centers and special education facilities. The bill further provides authority to the governing board of the Chaffey Community College to lease, for a three-year period, a building which is used exclusively for voluntary adult vocational education programs, and exempts such building from Field Act requirements.

SB 1445 - Song
Chapter 136

Revises the Banking Law with respect to adverse claims to contents of rented safety deposit boxes and revises the Savings and Loan Association Law with respect to adverse claims to savings accounts.

SB 1489 - Grunsky
Chapter 146

Authorizes the San Luis Obispo County Flood Control and Water Conservation District to issue revenue bonds under the Revenue Bond Law of 1941 for the benefit of a zone or zones within the district.

SB 1494 - Grunsky
Chapter 137

Increases the borrowing limitation of the Monterey Peninsula Airport District from a fixed maximum rate of 5 percent to a fixed maximum rate of 7 percent. The bill also increases the total amount the district may borrow under prescribed provisions from \$250,000 to \$1,000,000.

SB 1530 - Collier
Chapter 147

Authorizes the payment of the claim of the original contractor awarded a contract by a public entity which fails to file a payment bond, where such failure is the result of inadvertence or excusable neglect.

SB 1541 - Collier
Chapter 148

Extends the date by which the statement and map or plat of fire protection districts created during the 1973-74 fiscal year before the effective date of this bill are required to be filed for assessment and taxation purposes for the 1974-75 fiscal year from January 1, 1974 to March 1, 1974.

SB 1609 - Walsh
Chapter 135

Defines "tire chains" as devices which are designed for use on tires to improve stopping, traction, and cornering ability upon snow or ice-covered surfaces and are of a type which comply with regulations adopted by the Commissioner of the California Highway Patrol. The bill specifies that it is an infraction to sell, offer to sell, lease, install, or replace on a vehicle for use on a highway, any tire chains not complying with regulations of the commissioner.

SB 1626 - Biddle
Chapter 134

Authorizes the state Department of Health to extend for two years, rather than one year, the dates relating to substantial progress and for completion of construction for specified hospital facilities when the delay results from the death of the original applicant.

SB 1686 - Song
Chapter 149

Deletes the Government Code provision prohibiting receipt of compensation for services by members and masters of the Commission on Judicial Qualifications. The bill also provides that retired judges shall receive compensation while acting as a master, as well as a referee, before the Supreme Court or any court of appeal or before the Commission on Judicial Qualifications.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bills have been signed:

AB 2151 - Bagley
Chapter 156

Exempts from sales and use taxes the sales of hot prepared foods by caterers or other vendors to air carriers engaged in interstate or foreign commerce for consumption by passengers. The bill also adds a provision expressing legislative intent expressed in legislation enacted in 1971 to exempt from sales and use taxes the sales of hot prepared foods to passengers by an air carrier engaged in interstate commerce.

SB 1499 - Berryhill
Chapter 157

Defines turf grass cultivated and harvested for sale and transplanting as a growing crop exempt from property taxation. The bill provides for claims by county auditors for reimbursement for property tax revenues lost by reason of this act. The bill is operative until the end of the fifth fiscal year after its effective date.

SB 1576 - Marks
Chapter 154

Provides that whenever a special election, or a special primary election, to fill a vacancy in Congress or the state legislature is consolidated with a statewide election, the candidates to fill the vacancy shall appear on the consolidated ballot immediately preceding the candidates for that same seat at the statewide election or the clerk at his option may print a separate and distinct ballot. The bill also increases membership of the Democratic and Republican county central committees in a city and county from six to eight and specifies that in an Assembly district that lies only partially within a city and county, the eight members shall be elected from that portion of the Assembly district contained within the city and county.

SB 1878 - Nejedly
Chapter 155

Provides for payment in California of federal-state extended unemployment insurance benefits commencing on effective date of bill up to July 6, 1974.

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* Governor Reagan has signed into law the following bill:

AB 3191 - Keysor
Chapter 158

Provides for a warning on the ballot and related election materials when two or more candidates with identical names file for the same office. Requires each candidate's name to bear an identifying mark if any such candidate requests such a mark. The bill specifies that a proposition may be submitted, at the June 4, 1974, direct primary election, as proposed by Proposition 5 of that election, to authorize the use of motor vehicle revenues for public mass transit guideway purposes in county or counties, or specified area thereof.

* The governor signed this bill Friday, April 5, too late to release that day. On Monday, April 8, the governor's office duplicating machines were dismantled as part of a move by some office personnel. So, although the bill was signed April 5 we were unable to issue a release to you until today (April 9).

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Acting Governor Ed Reinecke today announced that he has signed the following bill:

AB 2726 - Arnett
Chapter 159

Provides that school districts may choose one or two options in treating interdistrict average daily attendance for purposes of both the State Foundation Program apportionments and local revenue limits. It provides that tuition charged pursuant to interdistrict attendance shall be limited to actual cost for the grade level or program, rather than to the district of attendance revenue limit. The bill also requires a district of residence to increase or decrease its revenue limit in the amount of any shortage or excess that exists between the district's revenue limit and the tuition paid to districts of attendance.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

AB 1142 - Garcia Chapter 164 Requires the Department of Parks and Recreation to offer to the City of Los Angeles an operating agreement or lease for El Pueblo de Los Angeles State Historic Park for a term of three years which provides for the maintenance of Olvera Street in its present condition except as necessary to meet building code seismic requirements and to cancel the joint powers agreement for this unit dated December 1, 1955. The bill also appropriates \$700,000 for the restoration of the Pico-Garnier Block in this unit and declares the bill an urgency statute.

AB 2080 -Kapiloff Chapter 166 Eliminates exceptions to the general requirement that the county tax collector collect all property taxes. The bill also repeals the provision authorizing a county board of supervisors to require either the assessor or tax collector to collect taxes on the unsecured property

AB 2764 - Mobley Chapter 167 Provides for the addition of a voted increase in the maximum tax rate, to be effective commencing with 1973-74 fiscal year, which has a termination date and whose sole purpose was providing construction funds, to the maximum general purpose tax rate otherwise applicable to school districts.

SB 628 - Stull Chapter 160 Requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to allocate funds to the Department of Education from prescribed state school fund allocation schedule for purposes of research, program development, and evaluation in the education of the handicapped or gifted pupils rather than special education. The bill deletes the requirement that prescribed amounts of such funds be utilized for research through contractual agreements with California Universities. The bill also requires the State Board of Education to adopt prescribed rules and regulations, and to annually review problems and issues in the education of the handicapped and gifted pupils.

SB 1106 - Collier Chapter 161 Requires the Department of Finance to sell all interests of the state in the real property and appurtenances of the Los Guilucos School facility to Sonoma County for \$1,250,000.

SB 1178 - Short Chapter 162 Permits the applicant for an apprentice barber certificate who fails his first examination to take a second examination within 90 days without completing the presently required 250 hour further course of study. The bill makes the requirement of further study applicable only if the second examination is not taken within the 90-day period or, if so taken, is failed. The bill also eliminates the present limitation of two apprentices per shop and the requirement that an applicant work under the "immediate personal" supervision of a registered barber.

SB 1844 - Marks Chapter 163 Deletes the requirement that administrative advisers (legal) employed by any school district be employed under the same time-in-position conditions as prescribed for obtaining permanent status under the tenure system for certificated positions.

Governor Reagan also signed AB 1841 with the following deletion:

AB 1841 - Duffy Chapter 165 Allows an unlicensed person to perform acupuncture for the primary purpose of scientific investigation as a function of a formal program under jurisdiction and affiliation of an approved medical school. The Board of Medical Examiners is required to provide grants for this purpose from a \$150,000 General Fund Appropriation.

DELETION: "I am deleting the \$150,000 appropriation contained in Assembly Bill No. 1841.

"Necessary funds for medical school research into the therapeutic value of acupuncture can be best handled through the budgetary process which is the established method of funding medical research. With this deletion, I approve Assembly Bill No. 1841."

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 2190 - Maddy Chapter 171 Defines classes of persons who must be given notice in trust proceedings. The bill prescribes the circumstances in which a court may require additional notice or appoint a guardian of a beneficiary or beneficiary class.
- AB 2670 -Lanterman Chapter 172 Revises provisions of the Health and Safety Code governing the conduct of hearings and notices concerning granting of variances from air pollution control regulations; and specifies procedures to be followed by hearing boards in these matters.
- AB 2671 - Wood Chapter 173 Appropriates \$500,000 from proceeds of the State School Building Aid Bond Law of 1966 as a state loan for the construction or purchase of facilities for a regional occupational center or program in Monterey County.
- AB 2695 - Badham Chapter 174 Specifies that prescribed maximum amounts of compensation to members of school district city boards of education or governing boards is applicable to members of newly organized or reorganized school districts. The bill authorizes the governing board of any school district unified during the 1973-74 fiscal year but not effective until July 1, 1974, to exercise until that date, all powers necessary to meet and confer with a certificated employee council, adopt a merit system, and appoint a personnel commission. It further validates all such acts and proceedings taken prior to effective date of this act which would otherwise have complied with such provisions.
- SB 1405 - Alquist Chapter 168 Authorizes the recording in the county recorder's office of certifications issued by an agency of the federal government to authenticate the birth or death of a United States citizen abroad. The bill also authorizes the county recorder of the county of last permanent residence to record an authentication of birth of a child born to a United States citizen outside of the United States.
- SB 1574 - Mills Chapter 170 Authorizes the Department of Health, upon approval of the Director of Finance, to approve a county appropriation in excess of the two-tenths mill of assessed valuation limit for crippled children services if the county expresses an intent to appropriate additional funds and the State is able to match the county appropriation within the current state appropriation for such purpose.
- SB 1604² - Song Chapter 169 States that the obligations of a distributor or retail seller of used goods sold in this state under the Song-Beverly Consumer Warranty Act extend to sales of all used goods regardless of when such goods may have been manufactured.
- AB 3100 - Fenton Chapter 175 Makes clarifying amendments to provision relating to home solicitation contracts.

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Garcia

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

AB 2099 - Arnett
Chapter 178

Authorizes San Mateo County to adopt a comprehensive water resources management plan.

SB 491 - Nejedly
Chapter 176

Requires the responsible state agency to consult with, and obtain comments from, the State Air Resources Board in preparing an environmental impact report on a highway or freeway project, as to the air pollution impact of the potential vehicular use of such highway or freeway.

SB 1231 - Zenovich
Chapter 177

Revises the definition of "commercial loan" as used in the Personal Property Brokers Law.

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Garcia

Governor Ronald Reagan today signed the following bills:

- AB 690 - Dunlap Chapter 183 Adopts and authorizes the Fairfield Streams Project, in accordance with similar federal action, for acquisition of lands, easements, and rights-of-ways and relocation of roads, bridges, and utilities. The bill further provides that the appropriation amount for state participation shall be made upon the recommendation and advice of the Reclamation Board and that no state funds shall be appropriated until federal advanced engineering and design funds are available.
- AB 1674 -Russell Chapter 185 Establishes a time limits for the sale of surplus state property to public agencies.
- AB 2075 -Kapiloff Chapter 186 Requires the State Board of Equalization to prescribe procedures and forms for the free public libraries, free museums and public schools property tax exemptions. The bill requires persons claiming such exemptions to make an annual filing with the assessor. School districts are exempted from such requirement.
- AB 2083 -Kapiloff Chapter 187 Defines "comparable lands" and "representative sales information" for purposes of assessment of land under an enforceable use restriction. The bill makes other technical changes relating to Board of Equalization appraisals.
- AB 2087 -Kapiloff Chapter 188 Authorizes the State Board of Equalization to impose escape assessments on state assessed (utility) property. The bill imposes a 25 percent penalty assessment on utilities which willfully or fraudulently fail to report or fail to report such information accurately.
- AB 2528 - Burton Chapter 189 Directs the governor to proclaim March 7 as "Arbor Day." The bill does not create an additional state holiday. The governor is presently required to proclaim September 28 as "Cabrillo Day."
- AB 2615 -L.Greene Chapter 190 Permits school buildings not conforming to the Field Act structural safety standards to be utilized after June 30, 1975 provided that the State Allocation Board authorizes such use, and repair, reconstruction or replacement of inadequate facilities has commenced. The bill requires the school district governing board requesting such authorizations to adopt a resolution declaring the board's intention to continue use of the building. It further requires that school districts seek approval from the State Allocation Board prior to the 1974-75 fiscal year in order to levy the ten cent (\$0.10) restricted permissive tax rate allowed for increasing Field Act construction funds.
- AB 2782 - Chappie Chapter 191 Extends from July 1, 1975, to July 1, 1979, the authority of both the Tahoe City Public Utility District and the South Tahoe Public Utility District to fix, for each fiscal year, an increased water standby or immediate availability charge, with any funds derived from such increase to be used only for acquisition of nonpublic domestic water supply systems. The bill includes the North Tahoe Public Utility District in such authority.
- AB 2800 - Duffy Chapter 192 Authorizes the Director of the Department of Food and Agriculture, upon the recommendation of the Cotton Pest Control Board, to expend \$152,000 from the Agriculture Fund to supplement the research by the University of California on the male confusion technique for pink bollworm control.

- AB 3237 - McAlister Revises the prescribed wording of a ballot measure
Chapter 193 for an increase or decrease in the revenue limit
per unit of average daily attendance of a school
district or community college district. It also
validates elections and proceedings which substantially
complied with prior law or with the law as changed by
this act.
- SB 747 - Stiern Makes procedural changes relating to equalization of
Chapter 180 assessments for property taxation purposes.
- SB 1309 - Robbins Requires that one department at each of the four
Chapter 181 branches of Los Angeles Municipal Court District
handling the largest volume of traffic arraignments
remain open and in session at night for trial or other
disposition of infractions. The bill requires the
Judicial Council to study the operation and effect of
such night sessions, and authorizes such a study of
other night sessions conducted in the state.
- SB 1466 - Moscone States policy of the state regarding conducting
Chapter 182 elementary, secondary and community college classes
and courses without regard to the sex of the enrolled
students. The bill prohibits specified discriminatory
acts by school districts on the basis of sex of the
pupil, with specified exceptions.
- SB 1717 - Nejedly Requires the board of directors of the San Francisco
Chapter 184 Bay Area Rapid Transit District to submit, not later
than May 1, 1974, to the legislature the boundaries
of the nine election districts within the District
from which the members of the board are to be elected,
if the proposition requiring that the board be elected
is adopted by the district voters at a special
election to be held on June 4, 1974. The bill
specifies that the boundaries of the election districts
are to be as established by the board unless the
legislature enacts a statute which becomes effective
on or before May 20, 1974, that establishes and defines
such boundaries.
- SB 1895 - Dills Authorizes the Los Angeles County Superintendent
Chapter 179 of Schools to make an emergency loan to the Compton
Unified School District from the County School Services
Fund. The bill also requires the County Superintendent
of Schools with the cooperation of the Superintendent
of Public Instruction to review the financial manage-
ment of the district.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

AB 319 - Knox
Chapter 196

Provides that forms adopted by the State Department of Health authorizing the release of an infant from a health facility to persons other than those entitled to custody of the child and authorizing such person to obtain medical care for the child shall contain designated statements with regard to adoption. The bill also prohibits the release of a minor under 16 from a health facility unless authorized by a parent or person having legal custody.

AB 1383 - Keysor
Chapter 197

Adds two members to the Board of Administration of the Public Employees' Retirement System, one to be elected by and from the retired members of the system and an elected official of local government to be appointed by the governor.

AB 2823 - Craven
Chapter 198

Permits retired employees of a public agency, other than a school district, on approval of the governing board of such agency, to authorize deductions from retirement allowances for dues in an association of retired employees.

SB 371 - Alquist
Chapter 194

This bill requires the Public Utilities Commission to disallow, for ratesetting purposes, advertising expenses by any electrical, gas, or heat corporation, every utility owned by a municipal corporation, municipal utility district, and public utility district furnishing light, heat, or power when such advertising encourages increased consumption of the services or commodities furnished by such corporation. SB 371 revises the provisions requiring designated public utilities to furnish notice of pending rate increases to provide that the notice may, rather than shall, be included with the regular bill for charges, and that the customer be informed where he may request notice of the date, time, and place of the hearing, rather than requiring the notice to so state.

SB 1566 - Grunsky
Chapter 195

Would permit individual contracting agencies under the Public Employees' Retirement System to elect the highest single year of compensation rather than the highest three year average as the basis for payment of retirement benefits for local safety and local miscellaneous members.

Walthall

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bills have been signed:

AB 1320 - Ralph
Chapter 201

Requires the Labor Commissioner to hold hearings to determine the validity of claims against cash deposits of defaulting contractors for the payment of wages and fringe benefits. The bill requires the Registrar of Contractors to pay the amounts as verified by the Labor Commissioner from the contractor's cash deposit.

AB 2364 - Vasconcellos
Chapter 202

Requires a court finding, that a defendant has failed to appear, or violated conditions of release, or that new facts are known, or that circumstances have changed revealing increased risk of nonappearance, before an own recognizance release can be revoked and bail required.

AB 2584 - Gonsalves
Chapter 203

Requires sanitization of wiping rags and specifies that any local governing body may adopt ordinances containing requirements more restrictive than those contained in the Department of Health regulations adopted pursuant to this act. The bill provides for regulation and a method of recovery of costs by the local health departments through a permit system.

AB 2623 - Bannai
Chapter 204

Requires a coroner to take urine, as well as blood samples from all persons 15 years of age and older, killed while driving, riding, or being struck by a motor vehicle in order to make the proper tests to determine the presence or absence of alcohol and barbituric acid in the samples. The bill also permits the test for the presence of amphetamine derivatives.

AB 2767 - Mobley
Chapter 205

Makes a special exception to the 95 percent of bonded capacity requirements for a school building aid apportionment where the deficiency was \$85,000 or less, and the school district has no unsold bond authorization and has called an election for March 5, 1974, to authorize the issuance of \$9,500,000 in school bonds.

AB 2781 - Lancaster
Chapter 206

Authorizes the governing board of a school district to use prescribed revenue after July 1, 1975, to complete corrective structural repair, reconstruction or replacement of specified school buildings if the buildings were under repair, reconstruction, or replacement prior to July 1, 1975.

AB 2785 - Chappie
Chapter 207

Specifies that any public agency which leases land for waste disposal purposes to another public agency, or to a public utility regulated by the Public Utilities Commission shall not be required to file any waste discharge report for the subject waste disposal, and that a regional water quality control board and the State Water Resources Control Board shall not prescribe waste discharge requirements for the lessor public agency as to such land. The bill provides that the lease shall not contain restrictions which would unreasonably limit the ability of the lessee to comply with the waste discharge requirements pertinent to the leased property.

AB 2792 - Knox
Chapter 208

Requires the board of directors of various special districts to furnish, no later than August 1 of each year, certain tax information to the board of supervisors and the county auditor.

AB 2793 - Knox
Chapter 209

Permits a county to pay city taxes collected by the county to the city, rather than to the city treasurer, and deletes the requirement that such taxes be paid by warrant of the county auditor.

AB 2826 - Knox
Chapter 210

Permits a county board of supervisors, by ordinance, to provide for the filing of vacancies on assessment appeals boards by its own appointment, rather than by nominating persons who are selected by lot by the presiding judge of the superior court.

AB 2829 - McAlister
Chapter 211

Revises the law relating to enforcement of sister state money judgments.

AB 2834 - Davis
Chapter 212

Authorizes the Trinity County Board of Supervisors, if it determines that all or any part of the county has ceased to be devoted chiefly to grazing, to provide, by ordinance, that estray animals may thereafter be taken up on unenclosed property in the county or part of the county.

SB 1492 - Grunsky
Chapter 199

Permits notice of the proposed letting of a contract for harbor district work exceeding \$3,500 in cost to be published once a week for two successive weeks, as an alternative to advertisement for a period of two weeks.

SB 1549 - Collier
Chapter 200

Prescribes a maximum outside width of 100 inches for that portion of a vehicle load consisting of plywood, particle board, hardboard, gypsum board, similar types of wallboard, or any combination thereof, rather than prescribing such maximum outside width for a vehicle load composed solely of such items.

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McKelvey

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 1283 - Montoya
Chapter 222 Requires vehicle dealers to return to the purchaser any amount collected in excess of the actual fees due for licensing or transfer of title.
- AB 1948 - Wilson
Chapter 223 Makes the provisions which pertain to the status, retention, disposition, and destruction of reporters' notes in the superior court also applicable to reporters' notes in the municipal court. The bill also provides that juvenile court records may be destroyed at any time within the years after court jurisdiction over the minor is terminated if such records are reproduced.
- AB 2613 - Montoya
Chapter 224 Modifies the procedures to be followed in transfers of territory from one school district to another.
- AB 2665 - Chappie
Chapter 225 Requires the Department of the California Highway Patrol to regulate the safe operation of oversized mobilehomes on state highways.
- AB 2725 - Fenton
Chapter 226 Makes technical correction to legislation enacted in 1973, relating to minimum weekly workmen's compensation rates. The bill also extends the life of the Workmen's Compensation Advisory Committee for one year.
- AB 2828-McAlister
Chapter 227 Provides that the disclosure of privileged information is coerced where the privilege is properly claimed but the disclosure is erroneously ordered by the trial judge or other presiding officer.
- AB 2918 - Seeley
Chapter 228 Provides that negotiable promissory notes issued by the Desert Water Agency shall be payable from revenues and taxes legally derived pursuant to any maximum property tax rate procedure, rather than general obligations of the agency payable from revenues and taxes in the same manner as bonds of the agency. The bill also specifies the maximum compensation to be received by members of sanitary district boards and by directors of the Desert Water Agency.
- SB 222 - Grunsky
Chapter 213 Adds registered process servers to the list of persons who may serve a judgment debtor with an order to appear and answer concerning his property. It specifies that an order to appear and answer must contain a statement that failure to appear may subject the party served to arrest and punishment for contempt of court. The bill also provides that any person who willfully makes an improper service of an order directed to a judgment debtor to appear and answer concerning his property which subsequently results in his arrest is guilty of a misdemeanor.
- SB 223 - Grunsky
Chapter 214 Adds registered process servers to the list of persons who may serve a person or corporation holding property of, or owing more than \$50 to, a judgment debtor with an order to appear and answer concerning such property. The bill specifies that an order to appear and answer must contain a statement that failure to appear may subject the party served to arrest and punishment for contempt of court. It further provides that any person who makes an improper service of an order to appear and answer which results in the arrest of the person to whom the order is directed is guilty of a misdemeanor.

- SB 1119 - Cusanovich
Chapter 215 Permits school districts to award contracts for school construction under the State School Building Aid Law for replacement of structurally inadequate school buildings, if the cost exceeds the State Allocations Board's cost standard by not more than two percent.
- SB 1487 - Collier
Chapter 216 Authorizes rural unified school districts, under specified conditions to rent permanent buildings for temporary periods for continuation education program. The bill also authorizes the State Allocation Board to make an apportionment to any school district for the cost of leasing portable classrooms during period of construction of previously approved construction project, provided the district meets specified requirements.
- SB 1559 - Way
Chapter 217 Exempts a farm trailer having a gross weight of 6,000 pounds or less from equipment and device requirements as if registered.
- SB 1569 - Collier
Chapter 218 Establishes a procedure for establishment of separate governing boards of elementary and high school districts, or reorganization of such districts, which are presently governed by a single city board of education. This procedure is only to be undertaken in the event that a presently pending court decision is adverse to the continuation of such single city boards.
- SB 1570 - Mills
Chapter 219 Requires the clerk of the municipal court to enter in the judgment book all judgments, instead of requiring him to enter only civil judgments. The bill eliminates the requirement that the clerk certify and file a copy of each civil judgment in the files of the action and subscribe a condensed statement of the judgment in the register of actions.
- SB 1629 - Bradley
Chapter 220 Provides for a \$6.00 filing fee for recording release of lien by the state or local government if the original lien was filed without fee.
- SB 1647 - Way
Chapter 221 Clarifies the expiration date for the Fish and Game Code provision making Soda Springs Lake a fish refuge.

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#286

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

~~AB 269~~ - Chappie
Chapter 232

Amends and supplements the Budget Act of 1973 to appropriate \$220,000, payable from the Recreation and Fish and Wildlife Enhancement Fund, to the Department of Parks and Recreation for the development of Antelope Reservoir.

~~AB 483~~ - Keene
Chapter 233

Repeals existing Elections Code provisions relating to the required contents of petitions to recall state officers and the required period of circulation of such petitions. The bill establishes a procedure for the recall of state officers including requirements for the circulation of recall petitions, the contents and form of petitions, the certification of petitions, the contents of the recall ballot, and the nomination of persons seeking the office of the officer sought to be recalled. The bill also permits cities and counties to reimburse an officer not recalled for his recall election expenses. The bill will take effect if Assembly Constitutional Amendment 29 is approved by the voters in November.

~~AB 2379~~ - Keysor
Chapter 234

Extends existing fee and parking exemptions to include vehicles not registered to a disabled person, but used primarily for the transportation of such person.

~~AB 2667~~ - Berman
Chapter 235

Prohibits the use of electronic listening or recording device by any person in any elementary or secondary school classroom without the prior consent of the teacher and principal. The bill makes willful violation of the prohibition by any person, other than a pupil, a misdemeanor. It makes a pupil's violation a cause for appropriate disciplinary action. The bill further specifies that it shall not affect powers, rights, and liabilities otherwise provided for by law.

~~AB 2933~~ - Russell
Chapter 236

Reorders preferences for Cal-Vet loans. The bill gives former prisoners of war, unremarried spouses of eligible veterans killed in action and unremarried spouses of those missing in action second priority.

~~AB 3004~~ - Chappie
Chapter 237

Appropriates \$9,680 from General Fund to the Board of Control for payment of the claim of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wolsey against the State of California upon verification by the board of the losses sustained.

~~SB 1429~~ - Holmdahl
Chapter 229

Makes any standard of the Public Utilities Commission relating to water quality inapplicable to any water corporation which is required to comply with specified regulations and standards of the State Department of Health. The bill also defines "to properly and adequately serve with water" for the purposes of requiring any person, firm, or private corporation having a franchise to use the streets of a city to adequately serve with water the inhabitants of the territory covered by its franchise, as including furnishing water of a quality meeting or exceeding specified standards of the State Department of Health.

~~SB 1610~~ - Kennick
Chapter 230

Provides that the last two full weeks in April and the last two full weeks in September shall be known as "high school voter weeks," during which time deputy registrars of voters shall be allowed to register students and school personnel in any high school campus in areas as designated by the school administration, which are accessible to all students.

~~SB 1611~~ - Kennick
Chapter 231

Revises the definition of "dangerous fireworks" in the State Fireworks Law.

Governor Ronald Reagan today signed the following bill:

AB 475 - Brown
Chapter 238

Disallows certain personal income tax or bank and corporation tax deductions to owners of substandard rental housing. The bill requires local regulatory agencies to notify the taxpayers, provide for appeal, and notify the Franchise Tax Board of the taxpayer's noncompliance. It is operative for income and taxable years 1975 through 1978. The bill also appropriates \$53,200 for local mandated costs.

Governor Reagan also vetoed the following bill today:

AB 819 - Kapiloff

Provides that cities and counties shall not require or request a safety employee to work overtime, other than emergency overtime, at a rate of pay less than 1½ the normal pay scale or paid time off at the rate of 1½ hours for every hour of overtime unless there exists an overtime policy negotiated between and agreed upon by the local agency and the employees through their official employees' association.

REASON FOR VETO:

"I am sponsoring SB 2133 by Senator Collier which will strengthen present local government employer-employee relations. It would be improper to statutorily impose additional employee benefits at this time. Employee organizations now have the opportunity to meet and confer with their public employers, and this process will be strengthened under the Collier bill.

"AB 819 would mandate a substantial additional financial burden on local government which they could not recover from the State because of the SB 90 disclaimer contained in the bill. As such, many local agencies would be required to seek higher local taxes or they would have to reduce the level of services which their safety employees now provide. Neither of these alternatives is in the taxpayers' best interests.

"Accordingly, I am returning this bill unsigned."

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 286 - Garcia
Chapter 245 Requires that a notary public when advertising that he is a notario publico post a specified notice in English and Spanish relating to legal advice and the fees he may charge. The bill also requires the Secretary of State to suspend the commission of a notary public who fails to post such notice and provides that he shall revoke the commission on the third offense.
- AB 1211 - Boatwright
Chapter 246 Revises the circumstances when a child can be adopted without parental consent. It revises provisions with respect to proceedings relating to declaration of freedom from parental custody and control as to appointment of counsel to represent parents or minor when they are unable to afford counsel. The bill also provides that the citation directing a person having custody or control of a minor, to appear with the minor in a proceeding for declaration of freedom from parental custody and control shall be issued only on order of court, after necessity is shown, if the minor is under the age of 12.
- AB 2498 - Montoya
Chapter 247 Makes a clarifying amendment to a Civil Code provision relating to the filing of small claims actions.
- AB 2863 - Knox
Chapter 248 Requires the California Highway Commission to program for the improvement to freeway standards of Route 17 from the Richmond-San Rafael Bridge to Route 80. The Department of Transportation is required to proceed with all necessary steps so that initial phases of the project may be advertised for bids during the 1977-78 fiscal year.
- AB 2870 - Boatwright
Chapter 249 Amends the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 to provide for the recalculation of retirement and death allowance granted in any county prior to the effective date of the provisions authorizing the use of a single year's highest salary for determining final retirement compensation. The change made by the bill is not operative until adopted by the affected board of supervisors.
- AB 2908 - Z'berg
Chapter 250 Adds the guardian or conservator of the person or estate of an adult person to the class of persons who may authorize release of medical records by certain medical professionals or hospital to an attorney.
- AB 2971 - Duffy
Chapter 251 Revises requirements for obtaining a physician and surgeon certificate for a United States Citizen who completes specified requirements in a medical school in a foreign country. The bill also authorizes the State Scholarship and Loan Commission, from funds appropriated by the legislature, to make grants of up to \$10,000 to medical schools for each United States citizen enrolled in a program of supervised clinical training.
- AB 3029 - Kapiloff
Chapter 252 Requires an acknowledgment of satisfaction of judgment to show the full name of the judgment debtor being released and to identify the judgment debtor as such.
- AB 3157 - Thurman
Chapter 239 Requires the Office of Aging to provide appropriate flu vaccines, at minimal cost, at accessible locations, to all persons 65 years or older through local governmental or private nonprofit agencies. It appropriates \$420,000 to the Office on Aging for expenditure without regard to fiscal year for purchase of flu vaccine for carrying out the act.

- ~~SB 1408~~ - Holmdahl Chapter 240 Provides that members of the Committee on Executive Salaries shall be appointed for one-year period, rather than be appointed biennially beginning January 30, 1970, for a period of one year.
- ~~SB 1583~~ - Berryhill Chapter 241 Establishes alternative criteria for qualification as a "newspaper of general circulation" for purposes of the law relating to publication of official advertising
- ~~SB 1607~~ - Biddle Chapter 242 Revises the amounts of compensation which may be received by directors of the Crestline-Lake Arrowhead Water Agency.
- ~~SB 1608~~ - Biddle Chapter 243 Provides that promissory notes issued by Crestline-Lake Arrowhead Water Agency shall be payable from revenues and taxes derived pursuant to any maximum property tax rate procedure. The bill raises the maximum interest rate on such notes from 6 percent to 7 percent and extends the maximum maturity period from three to five years.
- ~~SB 1903~~ - Alquist Chapter 244 Redefines the term "hospital building" for purposes of statutory provisions requiring seismic structural safety of hospitals. Such definition permits the exclusion of facilities for mentally impaired or incompetent persons which are to be licensed as community care facilities, and buildings which are not physically attached to a health facility and in which only outpatient services are provided.

Governor Reagan also announced that he has vetoed the following bill:

- ~~AB 570~~ - Alatorre Prohibits a notary public from publicizing himself as a "notario publico" or any other term which might suggest to a person speaking a foreign language that the notary is an attorney.

REASON FOR VETO: "AB 570 is in direct conflict with AB 286, which is also before me. AB 286 requires that a notary public when advertising in Spanish that he is a notario publico post a notice in both English and Spanish that a notary public who is not an active member of the State Bar of California cannot give legal advice, and the fees set by statute which a notary may charge.

"I have no objections to AB 570. However, I believe that AB 286 may provide a more effective means of eliminating the deceptive and fraudulent practices of some notaries who serve the Spanish-speaking residents of this state.

"Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned."

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 1350 - Powers
Chapter 256 Changes the number, positions, and salary ranges of various court attaches of the Sacramento Municipal Court District.
- AB 2769 - Dixon
Chapter 257 Permits an attendance supervisor, peace officer, or school administrator to arrest or assume temporary custody of a truant minor student and report the matter to school authorities and the minor's parents or guardian.
- AB 2846 - Lanterman
Chapter 258 Validates organization, boundaries, acts, proceedings, and bonds of counties, cities, and specified districts, agencies and entities. First validating Act of 1974.
- SB 1488 - Collier
Chapter 253 Provides that property, except land subject to a wildlife habitat contract, shall be assessed as open-space lands for the 1974-75 fiscal year if such property satisfies the requirements therefor by May 15, 1974, rather than March 1, 1974. The bill also provides that commencing with assessments for the 1975-76 fiscal year, no land shall be valued as open-space land unless an instrument is recorded on or before the lien date for the fiscal year to which the valuation would apply, and the land was included in a submitted proposal to establish an agricultural preserve or the matter of accepting an open-space easement or scenic restriction was referred to the planning commission or department on or before December 15 preceding such lien date.
- SB 1580 - Berryhill
Chapter 254 Provides that county superintendents of schools operate under the direction of county boards of education relative to the requirement that county superintendents of schools establish and maintain special programs for certain physically handicapped pupils and mentally retarded pupils.
- SB 1658 - Collier
Chapter 255 Authorizes an emergency vehicle used by the California Highway Patrol or any sheriff's or municipal police department used in the performance of its duties to display a blue warning light, as approved by the Department of California Highway Patrol.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

~~AB 2766~~ - Mobley
Chapter 261

Updates and revises the Bee Registration Law. It eliminates the requirement for movement notice for bees except in connection with notification for pesticide use or bee diseases. The bill requires complete inspection if American Foulbrood Disease is found. It also eliminates registered brand number for identification number and eliminates requirement for the issuance of apiary identification number. The bill also increases the fee for the issuance of a serial number brand for apiary equipment from \$2 to \$25.

~~AB 2963~~ - Badham
Chapter 262

Revises the provisions of the Orange County Transit District Act of 1965 relating to composition and appointment of the board of directors.

~~AB 2996~~ - Mobley
Chapter 263

Extends the deadline for filing required property tax reports to the State Controller by local agencies from October 15 to May 15 for the 1973-74 fiscal year.

~~AB 3555~~ - Knox
Chapter 264

Makes the Tax Preparers Act operative immediately rather than on June 1, 1974. The bill makes it unlawful as of January 1, 1975, rather than July 1, 1974, for any person not registered under the Tax Preparers Act to be a tax preparer.

~~SB 437~~ - Coombs
Chapter 259

Makes clarifying amendments to legislation enacted in 1973 relating to an exemption from the one percent increase in the state sales and use tax rate for receipts from the sale, use or other consumption of materials, fixtures and supplies obligated under a fixed price engineering or building construction contract entered into prior to the effective date of such legislation.

~~SB 1661~~ - Gregorio
Chapter 260

Provides that governing boards of any school district having jurisdiction over any elementary, intermediate or junior high school may provide time and facilities to any local law enforcement agency having jurisdiction over the schools of the district for bicycle safety instruction.

McKelvey

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

AB 892 - Seeley
Chapter 267

Generally requires recordation of discharge of mortgage by a mortgagee upon his execution of a certificate of discharge. The bill makes similar provision for recordation of full conveyance by a trustee with respect to deed of trust upon his execution of full reconveyance. The bill provides for a \$300 penalty for the mortgagee's or trustee's failure to comply with such requirements. The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.

AB 900 - Duffy
Chapter 268

Authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation to accept a gift of title to the Chinese Taoist Temple in Hanford, Kings County, for the state park system in the event such gift of title is offered to the department. The bill requires the department, before such title is offered and accepted, to enter into an agreement with either a local governmental entity or with a nonprofit organization for the operation of the temple. The agreement is to provide that all operating and maintenance costs associated with the temple shall be at no cost to the state. The bill also appropriates \$75,000 from the Bagley Conservation Fund for the reconstruction of the Old Eagle Theater in Old Sacramento State Historic Park.

AB 1575 - Warren
Chapter 276

Enacts the Warren-Alquist State Energy Resources Conservation and Development Act.

AB 2038 - Knox
Chapter 261

Provides that any person who obliterates or alters any identification mark on any firearm is subject to imprisonment from one to five years. Current law makes it a crime for any person to alter identifying marks on pistols and revolvers, and makes such activity a misdemeanor.

AB 2534 - Ralph
Chapter 270

Delineates circumstances in which a licensee authorized to sell beer to a retailer may accept return of the beer from the retailer. The changes made by the bill are effective on January 1, 1975.

AB 2715 - MacGillivray
Chapter 271

Includes towing service operators in the Vehicle Code provisions relating to reports of stored vehicles. The bill requires a written record of every vehicle stored for more than 12 hours. It requires that such records be kept for one year from the commencement of storage. The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.

AB 2720 - Lancaster
Chapter 272

Revises the amount which school districts operating a joint powers regional occupational center or program must contribute per unit of average daily attendance. The changes made by the bill take effect immediately.

AB 2909 - Z'berg
Chapter 273

Allows a court in its discretion to award attorneys fees to an attorney who interpleads in an action on his own behalf and performs his own legal services.

AB 2943-MacGillivray
Chapter 274

Includes, as additional grounds for automatic cancellation of a vehicle dealer's license and special plates, his failure to maintain an adequate bond and the suspension or cancellation of his corporate charter. The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.

AB 2974 - Foran
Chapter 275

Permits a vehicle to be driven in a designated two-way left-turn lane when preparing for or making a U-turn when otherwise permitted by law. The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.

SB 420 - Collier
Chapter 265

Authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation to provide hostel facilities in state park system units, and to acquire lands for, develop, and maintain recreational trails to and between units. The bill requires the department to prepare and submit to the legislature not later than February 1, 1975, a preliminary plan for the development of hostel facilities and the establishment of recreational trails. The bill also appropriates \$2,150,000 from the Abandoned Vehicle Trust Fund to the Department of Parks and Recreation for such purposes. It requires that an amount equal to that expended for hostel facilities be repaid to the Abandoned Vehicle Trust Fund from hostel facilities use fees.

SB 1683 - Deukmejian
Chapter 266

Augments the Budget Act of 1973 by appropriating \$4,884,507 for support of the Department of Corrections and \$2,910,520 for support of the Department of Youth Authority.

Governor Reagan also vetoed the following bill:

AB 2558 - Bee

Permits school districts to set aside two days of the school year for parent-teacher conferences. These days are counted for purposes of average daily attendance if a student was in attendance on the day before and the day after his conference. The bill further requires school districts to schedule conferences on evenings or weekends for parents who cannot attend conferences during regular school hours. The act becomes inoperative after July 1, 1978.

REASON FOR VETO:

"I am vetoing this bill upon the recommendation of the Department of Education. While I agree that parent-teacher conferences are an important part of the educational process, I share the department's concern that the loss of up to two days from the school year authorized by this bill may not be in the best interest of the needs of the affected students. I do not believe that the school year should be reduced except for the most compelling reasons.

"The legislature should explore feasible alternatives to AB 2558 that would equitably serve the interests of both parents and students without reducing the school year.

"Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned."

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 610 - Kapiloff
Chapter 284 Makes technical amendments to provisions of the Revenue and Taxation Code relating to property taxation. The changes made by this bill become effective on January 1, 1975.
- AB 2815 - Berman
Chapter 285 Permits revenues from specified taxes levied by school districts maintaining children's centers to be used to purchase or lease-purchase real property and fixtures, furniture, apparatus, or equipment, and to make alterations or additions to, children's center facilities maintained by the district. The changes made by the bill take effect immediately.
- AB 3048 - Thomas
Chapter 286 Allows the City of Avalon to establish noise limits and speed limits which are different from those prescribed by law. The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.
- AB 3169 - Badham
Chapter 287 Appropriates \$10,026,000 from the General Fund to the State Controller for reimbursement of local taxing authorities in augmentation of Item 84 (homeowners' property tax relief) of the Budget Act of 1973. The bill takes effect immediately.
- SB 1219 - Carpenter
Chapter 277 Clarifies existing law by expressly specifying that a claimant for unemployment insurance benefits on his second successive claim cannot use twice the amount of certain statutory benefits such as workmen's compensation or disability benefits to increase the maximum total amount of unemployment insurance benefits he can draw. The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.
- SB 1544 - Biddle
Chapter 278 Requires the Attorney General to be a party to any action brought pursuant to the Uniform Management of Institutional Funds Act by the governing board if the institution which seeks release of a restriction imposed on a gift by a donor who cannot consent to such release because of death, disability, unavailability, or impossibility of identification, rather than merely requiring him to be given notice and an opportunity to be heard. It eliminates the provision giving the institution conclusive power to determine "historic dollar value," as defined, for purposes of the Act. The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.
- SB 1638 - Zenovich
Chapter 279 Authorizes the governing board of a necessary small community college district to elect to be exempted from the general nonresident tuition fee requirements until January 1, 1980, if the district has constructed and is operating student dormitories financed with district funds as well as under provisions of the Community College Revenue Bond Act of 1961. The bill permits school districts to charge non-residents a fee equal to the statewide average of the current cost of education. The changes made by the bill take effect immediately.
- SB 1665 - Stiern
Chapter 280 Modifies capital construction plans to be submitted to the chancellor by the community college district governing boards to reflect five-year periods after January 1, 1975 instead of ten-year periods, starting with the next proposed year of funding. The changes made by this bill become effective on January 1, 1975.

- ~~SB 1680 - Grunsky~~ Revises the law with respect to the time within
~~Chapter 281~~ which an adverse party may exercise a right or
perform an act where service of notice or other
paper is made by mail.
- ~~SB 1694 - Grunsky~~ Modifies provisions of the Code of Civil Procedure
~~Chapter 282~~ relating to mailed notices or other papers.
- ~~SB 1736 - Whetmore~~ Allows formation of county service areas on January
~~Chapter 283~~ 30, 1974, and consolidation of resources conservatio:
districts prior to February 26, 1974, to be effective
for the 1974-75 fiscal year if properly filed on or
before March 1, 1974. The bill allows reorganization
of county service areas completed on May 15, 1974
to be effective for assessment and taxation purposes
for the 1974-75 fiscal year if filing requirements
are completed on or before June 15, 1974. The bill
becomes effective immediately.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 723 - Dunlap
Chapter 298 Provides that "final compensation" in the State Teachers' Retirement System means the highest average annual salary earned during any three years of membership by a member whose salary is reduced after age 58 because of reduction in school funds if the member so elects. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 2658 - Deddeh
Chapter 299 Requires the governing body of any city or county, including charter city, changing the zoning, variance or conditional use permit respecting any property to notify the county assessor of such change within 30 days. The bill requires the assessor receiving such notice during the assessment year to reassess the property as of the next succeeding lien date. Becomes effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 2716 - MacGillivray
Chapter 300 Authorizes the Arroyo Grande Cemetery District to construct, and maintain a private mausoleum. Prohibits the use of any district funds to construct, or maintain the private mausoleum. Becomes effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 2891 - Chappie
Chapter 301 Extends the life of the California-Nevada Interstate Compact Commission. Becomes effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 2939 - Papan
Chapter 302 Increases certain filing fees in the municipal and superior courts of San Mateo County from \$9.50 to \$11.50. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.
- AB 2995 - Z'berg
Chapter 303 Specifies that no vote shall be required to establish a maximum property tax rate upon the formation of the North Delta Water Agency, the South Delta Water Agency, and the Central Delta Water Agency and that the maximum rate shall be the statutory rate allowed by law. The bill becomes effective immediately.
- AB 3137 - Chappie
Chapter 304 Requires that when territory of high school or unified school district is made part of community college district, the reorganized community college district is liable for taxation for any outstanding bonded indebtedness of the community college district. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.
- AB 3234 - Mobley
Chapter 305 Raises the monetary limit for construction projects which may be constructed, with approval of the Department of Finance, without complying with all the provisions of the State University and College Contract Law from \$65,000 to \$100,000. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.
- AB 3238 - Bee
Chapter 306 Provides for the use of veterans' memorial buildings by persons or organizations other than veterans when such use will not unduly interfere with the reasonable use of such facilities by veterans' associations. Becomes effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 3315 - Craven
Chapter 307 Permits a county board of supervisors to designate a county officer to be in charge of naming county highways, rather than the board itself. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.
- AB 3509 - Bannai
Chapter 308 Modifies the form of the notice concerning the right to cure a default and reinstate a mortgage or deed of trust. Becomes effective immediately.

SB 1314 - Dymally
Chapter 292

Includes institutions which are candidates for accreditation, as well as those which are accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges, among the institutions, attendance at which, may qualify a recipient for a scholarship or loan guarantee awarded by State Scholarship and Loan Commission. The bill also includes representatives from institutions which are candidates for accreditation among those who may serve on the advisory committee to the State Scholarship and Loan Commission. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.

SB 1366 - Robbins
Chapter 288

Requires insurers, under certain circumstances, to pay insurance proceeds directly to the contractor for repairs made to real property. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.

SB 1448 - Holmdahl
Chapter 289

Reduces from 90 to 60 days the period which the State Department of Health must wait after notification that the quality of domestic water fails to comply with standards or requirements of the department before bringing an action to establish whether such standards or requirements have been violated or whether the supplier of such water has a reasonable plan for achieving compliance. The bill requires, rather than authorizes, the department to bring such action after providing such notification if the person who supplies or furnishes the water fails to bring the system and water into compliance or to have a reasonable plan for compliance. Effective 1-1-75.

SB 1614 - Way
Chapter 290

Places administration of the Natural Disaster Assistance Act with the Director of the Office of Emergency Services and permits the Director to make allocations from available funds to various state agencies for investigations, estimates and reports required by the Act. The bill provides that the Department of Finance shall allocate funds to local agencies for repair or restoration of real public property damaged by natural disasters. The bill also appropriates \$13,305 from the General Fund to the Office of Emergency Services for the purpose of administering the Act during the last half of fiscal year 1974-75. Becomes effective immediately.

SB 1631 - Alquist
Chapter 291

Authorizes the Santa Clara Valley Water District to borrow money to provide funds to pay the cost of any work or improvement in the district or in any zone or zones thereof by the issuance of revenue bonds pursuant to the Revenue Bond Law of 1941. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.

SB 1669 - Biddle
Chapter 293

Amends the Uniform District Election Law to provide that a candidate who files for an office may withdraw his petition for that office prior to the deadline for filing, rather than no later than 10 days after such deadline. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.

SB 1708 - Berryhill
Chapter 294

Changes from 30 to 40 days the time within which the board of directors of a municipal utility district is required to hold a public hearing on a report of the general manager recommending fixing or changing the rates and changes for commodities or service furnished by the district. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.

SB 1774 - Stull
Chapter 295

Permits governing boards of school districts, under specified conditions, to terminate or interrupt a vacation leave for permanent classified school employees so that another type of paid leave might begin without an actual return to active service. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.

SB 1794 - Way
Chapter 296

Amends the Agricultural Code to make a permanent change in the procedure for determining maturity and quality for canning tomatoes as reflected by color. Effective immediately.

SB 2023 - Grunsky
Chapter 297

Specifies that repayment of funds for a regional occupational center or program facility in Santa Cruz County shall be reimbursed by the Santa Cruz County Superintendent of Schools from proceeds of a specified tax, and excludes such tax from computation of certain tax limitations. The bill also makes the results of an election regarding repayment of specified funds explicitly contingent upon the results in the affected territory, rather than individual school districts. Effective immediately.

AB 870 -Gonsalves
Chapter 311

Brings related statutory provisions into conformity with changes in Article XIII of the California Constitution proposed by Assembly Constitutional Amendment 32. The bill becomes operative only if ACA 32 is approved by the voters.

AB 1470 - Dunlap
Chapter 315

Gives county employees a right to inspect and review any county personnel record relating to his performance as an employee or a grievance concerning him which is kept by his county employer. This right does not extend to records concerning an investigation of a possible criminal offense. Becomes effective January 1, 1975.

AB 2085 - Kapiloff
Chapter 312

Requires the State Board of Equalization to assess all state-assessed property on August 7th of each year instead of the first Monday in August, and revises requirements for notification of assessees of such property of allocation of assessed values of such property. The bill makes several other related changes. Becomes effective January 1, 1975.

AB 2784 - Chappie
Chapter 318

Increases from \$1,000,000 to \$1,500,000 the maximum amount that may be allocated annually to counties for their reimbursable snow removal costs. Becomes effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3129 - Lancaster
Chapter 317

Authorizes the establishment of crossing guard maintenance districts. Becomes effective immediately.

AB 3256 -McAlister
Chapter 313

Excludes certain school districts which have entered into cooperative adult education interdistrict attendance agreements from being subject to provisions requiring that the interdistrict tuition charged pursuant to such agreements be limited to the actual cost for the program or grade level. Becomes effective immediately.

AB 3459 - Brown
Chapter 316

Eliminates as a qualification for admission to practice law the requirement that a person, who has not completed two years of college before beginning the study of law, be at least 23 years of age before beginning the study of law. Effective immediately.

SB 354 - Dymally
Chapter 309

Establishes the Office of Child Abuse Prevention in the State Department of Health. It provides for the establishment of pilot projects with regard to child abuse in conjunction with designated agencies. The bill also establishes the State Advisory Committee on Child Abuse to advise the Office of Child Abuse Prevention and the State Child Health Board concerning child abuse. The bill becomes operative during such times as federal funds are made available for such purposes. It remains in effect until December 31, 1979.

SB 1632 - Alquist
Chapter 314

Permits the Office of Emergency Services, under certain circumstances, to waive the requirement for an inundation map required of specified dam owners. The bill also provides that in designating areas within which death or personal injury would result from dam failure, the Office of Emergency Services may, under certain circumstances, base such designation on a specified onsite inspection. Becomes effective immediately.

SB 1874 - Stull
Chapter 310

Permits governing boards of school districts in which a continuous school program is in operation and in which the salary schedule becomes effective on a date other than July 1st to adjust salaries of certificated employees participating in the continuous school program so that salaries payable to such employees do not differ from salaries which would have been payable over a school year if they were not participating in the program. Becomes effective on January 1, 1975.

Governor Reagan also vetoed the following bill::

AB 2645 - Gonzales Reclassifies Red Rock Canyon State Recreation Area as a state park with designated routes of travel.

REASON FOR VETO: "I seriously question the approach taken by this bill. The State Park and Recreation Commission is charged with the responsibility of classifying units of the State Park System into one of several categories. AB 2645 would place into law recommendations prepared by a nonstatutory advisory committee and thus unnecessarily supersede the authority placed in the State Park and Land Commission,

"The Commission, after an all day hearing last year, established Red Rock Canyon as a State Recreation Area and instructed the Department of Parks and Recreation to prepare a report recommending natural preserves for the purpose of protecting the ecological geological, and scenic values contained in Red Rock Canyon.

"The natural preserve report will be presented to the Commission at its July meeting in Los Angeles. I am confident that the Commission will act promptly to insure that the natural beauty of Red Rock Canyon will be preserved for all time.

"Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned."
