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PROPOSED ACTION ON REGULATIONS

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TITLE 2. ARTS COUNCIL

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO AMEND THE CONFLICT-OF-INTEREST CODE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the California Arts Council, pursuant to the authority vested in it by section 87306 of the Government Code, proposes amendment to its conflict-of-interest code. A comment period has been established commencing on August 29, 2025 and closing on October 13, 2025. All inquiries should be directed to the contact listed below.

The **California Arts Council** proposes to amend its conflict-of-interest code to include employee positions that involve the making or participation in the making of decisions that may foreseeably have a material effect on any financial interest, as set forth in subdivision (a) of section 87302 of the Government Code. The amendment carries out the purposes of the law and no other alternative would do so and be less burdensome to affected persons.

Changes to the conflict-of-interest code include:

Designated Positions *Disclosure Categories*

EXECUTIVE OFFICE

Chief Deputy Director 1, 2

SSMIII/ Deputy Director

Administration, Operations 1, 2

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

SSMI/Chief of Administration 1, 2

Associate Governmental Program

Analyst 1, 3

PROGRAMS

SSMII/ Director of Program

Services 1, 3

SSMI/ Arts Program Manager 1

Associate Governmental Program

Analyst — Arts in Corrections

Analyst 1, 3

PUBLIC AFFAIRS

Information Officer II/ Director of

Public Affairs 1

Graphic Designer III 1

EQUITY MEASURE AND EVALUATION

SSMI (Specialist) 1

LEGISLATIVE

SSMI (Specialist) 1

RACE AND EQUITY

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INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Information Technology I Specialist 1, 2

Information Technology Associate 1, 3

Consultants & New Positions *

*Consultants/new positions shall be included in the list of designated positions and shall disclose pursuant to the broadest disclosure category in the code subject to the following limitation: The Director may determine in writing that a particular consultant or new position, although a “designated position,” is hired to perform a range of duties that is limited in scope and thus is not required to comply fully with the disclosure requirements described in this section. Such written determination shall include a description of the consultant’s or new position’s duties and, based upon that description, a statement of the extent of disclosure requirements. The Director’s determination is a public record and shall be retained for public inspection in the same manner and location as this conflict-of-interest code. (Gov. Code Sec. 81008.)

Officials Who Manage Public Investments

The following positions are NOT covered by the conflict-of-interest code because they must file under Government Code Section 87200 and, therefore, are listed for informational purposes only:

Council Members

Director

An individual holding one of the above listed positions may contact the Fair Political Practices Commission for assistance or written advice regarding their filing obligations if they believe that their position has been categorized incorrectly. The Fair Political Practices Commission makes the final determination whether a position is covered by Government Code Section 87200.4

CALIFORNIA ARTS COUNCIL

APPENDIX B

DISCLOSURE CATEGORIES

CATEGORY 1

A designated position in this category must report investments and business positions in business entities and sources of income (including receipt of gifts, loans, and travel payments) if the business entity or source is an arts organizations* or art related business, including non-profit arts organizations.*

CATEGORY 2

A designated position in this category must report investments and business positions in business entities and sources of income (including receipt of gifts, loans, and travel payments) if the business entity or source provides leased facilities, products, equipment, vehicles, machinery or services (including training or consulting services) of the type utilized by the California Arts Council.

CATEGORY 3

A designated position in this category must report investments and business positions in business entities and sources of income (including receipt of gifts, loans and travel payments) if the business entity or source provides leased facilities, products, equipment, vehicles, machinery or services (including training or consulting services) of the type utilized by the position's unit.

*The term "arts organizations" includes, but is not limited to, museums, symphonies, orchestras, ballets, choruses, theaters, galleries, arts education institutes and arts service organizations and also makes other technical changes.

Information on the code amendment is available on the agency's intranet site and/or attached to this email.

Any interested person may submit written comments relating to the proposed amendment by submitting them no later than *October 13, 2025*, or at the conclusion of the public hearing, if requested, whichever comes later. At this time, no public hearing is scheduled. A person may request a hearing no later than *September 26, 2025*.

The **California Arts Council** has determined that the proposed amendments:

1. Impose no mandate on local agencies or school districts.
2. Impose no costs or savings on any state agency.
3. Impose no costs on any local agency or school district that are required to be reimbursed under Part 7 (commencing with Section 17500) of Division 4 of Title 2 of the Government Code.
4. Will not result in any nondiscretionary costs or savings to local agencies.
5. Will not result in any costs or savings in federal funding to the state.
6. Will not have any potential cost impact on private persons, businesses or small businesses.

All inquiries concerning this proposed amendment and any communication required by this notice should be directed to: Gloriela Garcia, Director of Operations, (916) 890-5502 and gloriela.garcia@arts.ca.gov.

TITLE 2. FAIR POLITICAL PRACTICES COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Fair Political Practices Commission, pursuant to the authority vested in it by Sections 82011, 87303, and 87304 of the Government Code to review proposed conflict-of-interest codes, will review the proposed/amended conflict-of-interest codes of the following:

CONFLICT-OF-INTEREST CODES

AMENDMENT

- MULTI-COUNTY:** Los Gatos Saratoga Union High School District
Kingsburg Joint Union High School District
Turlock Unified School District
- STATE AGENCY:** Fiscal Crisis & Management Assistance Team

ADOPTION

- STATE AGENCY:** Office of the Inspector General, California High-Speed Rail

A written comment period has been established commencing on August 29, 2025, and closing on October 13, 2025. Written comments should be directed to the Fair Political Practices Commission, Attention: Andrea Spiller Hernandez, 1102 Q Street, Suite 3050, Sacramento, California 95811.

At the end of the 45-day comment period, the proposed conflict-of-interest codes will be submitted to the Commission's Executive Director for their review, unless any interested person or their duly authorized representative requests, no later than 15 days prior to the close of the written comment period, a public hearing before the full Commission. If a public hearing is requested, the proposed codes will be submitted to the Commission for review.

The Executive Director of the Commission will review the above-referenced conflict-of-interest codes, proposed pursuant to Government Code Section 87300, which designate, pursuant to Government Code Section 87302, employees who must disclose certain investments, interests in real property and income.

The Executive Director of the Commission, upon their own motion or at the request of any interested person, will approve, or revise and approve, or return the proposed codes to the agency for revision and re-submission within 60 days without further notice.

Any interested person may present statements, arguments, or comments, in writing to the Executive

Director of the Commission, relative to review of the proposed conflict-of-interest codes. Any written comments must be received no later than October 13, 2025. If a public hearing is to be held, oral comments may be presented to the Commission at the hearing.

COST TO LOCAL AGENCIES

There shall be no reimbursement for any new or increased costs to local government which may result from compliance with these codes because these are not new programs mandated on local agencies by the codes since the requirements described herein were mandated by the Political Reform Act of 1974. Therefore, they are not “costs mandated by the state” as defined in Government Code Section 17514.

EFFECT ON HOUSING COSTS AND BUSINESSES

Compliance with the codes has no potential effect on housing costs or on private persons, businesses, or small businesses.

AUTHORITY

Government Code Sections 82011, 87303 and 87304 provide that the Fair Political Practices Commission as the code-reviewing body for the above conflict-of-interest codes shall approve codes as submitted, revise the proposed code, and approve it as revised, or return the proposed code for revision and re-submission.

REFERENCE

Government Code Sections 87300 and 87306 provide that agencies shall adopt and promulgate conflict-of-interest codes pursuant to the Political Reform Act and amend their codes when change is necessitated by changed circumstances.

CONTACT

Any inquiries concerning the proposed conflict-of-interest codes should be made to Andrea Spiller Hernandez, Fair Political Practices Commission, 1102 Q Street, Suite 3050, Sacramento, California 95811, or email aspiller-hernandez@fppc.ca.gov.

AVAILABILITY OF PROPOSED CONFLICT-OF-INTEREST CODES

Copies of the proposed conflict-of-interest codes may be obtained from the Commission offices or the respective agency. Requests for copies from the Commission should be made to Andrea Spiller Hernandez,

Fair Political Practices Commission, 1102 Q Street, Suite 3050, Sacramento, California 95811, or email aspiller-hernandez@fppc.ca.gov.

TITLE 11. COMMISSION ON PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING

COMMISSION REGULATIONS 1005, 1007, 1008, AND 1059; TRAINING AND TESTING SPECIFICATIONS FOR PEACE OFFICER BASIC COURSES AND ADOPTION OF LEARNING DOMAIN 44 — ACTIVE SHOOTER

Notice is hereby given that the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) proposes to amend regulations in Division 2 of Title 11 of the California Code of Regulations as described below in the Informative Digest. A public hearing is not scheduled. Pursuant to Government Code (GC) section 11346.8, any interested person, or their duly authorized representative, may request a public hearing. POST must receive the written request no later than 15 days prior to the close of the public comment period.

PUBLIC COMMENTS DUE BY OCTOBER 13, 2025

Notice is also given that any interested person, or authorized representative, may submit written comment(s) relevant to the proposed regulatory action by fax at (916) 404-5619, by email to Brandon Kiely, brandon.kiely@post.ca.gov or by letter to:

Commission on POST
Attention: Rulemaking
860 Stillwater Road, Suite 100
West Sacramento, CA 95605-1630

AUTHORITY AND REFERENCE

This proposal is made pursuant to the authority vested by Penal Code (PC) section 13503 (authority of POST), PC § 13506 (POST authority to adopt regulations). This proposal is intended to interpret, implement, and make specific PC § 13503(e), which authorizes POST to develop and implement programs to increase the effectiveness of law enforcement, including programs involving training and education courses.

INFORMATIVE DIGEST/POLICY STATEMENT OVERVIEW

POST staff facilitated a discussion with Academy Directors and Coordinators at the March 2023 Basic

Course Consortium about the need for active shooter training in basic courses. Those in attendance agreed the topic should be incorporated due to the likelihood of active shooter/assailant events occurring. By providing training and foundational knowledge in the basic course, peace officer candidates will be better prepared to respond to these events when they first enter the field. Following the Consortium, POST staff facilitated two workshops (October 2023 and January 2024) with subject matter experts (SMEs) representing eight basic course presenters. After reviewing active shooter related content within existing learning domains, the SMEs determined Active Shooter training should be a stand-alone Learning Domain. The SMEs developed the curriculum for *Learning Domain 44 — Active Shooter* for future implementation into the Basic Course curriculum.

At the March 7, 2024, POST Commission Meeting, the Commission approved a proposed program to pilot *LD 44 — Active Shooter* at several basic academies throughout the state based upon the proposed Training and Testing Specifications that were developed by the SMEs during the two workshops mentioned above. The pilot program started in May 2024 and concluded in December 2024. There were seven Basic Course presenters located throughout California that participated in the pilot program and presented the content in the proposed Training and Testing Specifications (TTS) for the Regular Basic Course (RBC), Modular Format — Module I, and Module Format — Module II courses. At the June 4, 2025 POST Commission meeting, the Commission approved adopting the Training and Testing Specifications for *Learning Domain 44 — Active Shooter* into the Basic Course curriculum.

This rulemaking action clarifies and makes specific the addition of *Learning Domain 44 — Active Shooter* into the Basic Course curriculum. *Learning Domain 44 — Active Shooter* will focus on rapid response tactics and using a direct to stimulus response (direct to threat) for an active shooter event.

The proposed changes in this rulemaking action will incorporate the document, *Training and Testing Specifications for Peace Officer Basic Courses*, by reference effective April 1, 2026, in Commission Regulations 1005, 1007, 1008 and 1059.

Anticipated Benefits of the Proposed Amendments:

The benefits anticipated by the proposed amendments to the regulation will incorporate *Learning Domain 44 — Active Shooter* into the basic course curriculum for peace officer candidates. *Learning Domain 44 — Active Shooter* will deliver training that specifically addresses a peace officer’s response when a person or persons are actively engaged in carrying out a life-threatening assault that could result in multiple deaths or serious bodily injury, which will increase the efficiency of the state of California in delivering

services to stakeholders. Thus, the law enforcement standards are maintained and effective in preserving peace, protection of public health, safety, and welfare of California. The proposed amendments will have no impact on worker safety or the state’s environment.

Evaluation of Inconsistency/Incompatibility with Existing State Regulations:

POST has determined that these proposed amendments are not inconsistent nor incompatible with existing regulations. After conducting a review for any regulations that would relate to or affect this area, POST has concluded that these are the only regulations that concern processes and procedures for peace officer eligibility in the state.

DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

Training and Testing Specifications for *Learning Domain 44 — Active Shooter*, April 1, 2026.

Minimum Content and Hourly Requirements Regular Basic Course (RBC) — Standard Format, April 1, 2026.

Minimum Content and Hourly Requirements Regular Basic Course (RBC) — Modular Format — Module I, April 1, 2026.

Minimum Content and Hourly Requirements Regular Basic Course (RBC) — Modular Format — Module II, April 1, 2026.

DISCLOSURES REGARDING THE PROPOSED ACTION

POST has made the following initial determinations:

Mandate on local agencies or school districts: None.

Cost or savings to any state agency: None.

Costs to any local agency or school district which must be reimbursed in accordance with GC §§ 17500 through 17630: None.

Other non-discretionary costs or savings imposed on local agencies: None.

Costs or savings in federal funding to the state: None.

Cost impacts on a representative private persons or business: POST is not aware of any cost impacts that a representative private person or business would necessarily incur in reasonable compliance with the proposed action.

Significant, statewide adverse economic impact directly affecting California businesses: POST has determined that the proposed regulations will not have a significant, statewide adverse economic impact directly affecting businesses, including the ability of California businesses to compete with businesses in other states.

Significant effect on housing costs: None.

Small Business Determination: POST has determined that the proposed regulations will not affect small businesses because the regulations only affect state agencies that are adopting, amending or repealing regulations. Additionally, the Commission’s main function to select and maintain training standards for law enforcement has no effect financially on small businesses.

**RESULTS OF ECONOMIC IMPACT
ANALYSIS/ASSESSMENT**

POST concludes that it is (1) unlikely the proposal will create or eliminate jobs in the state of California, (2) unlikely that the proposal will create new businesses or eliminate any existing businesses, and (3) unlikely that the proposed regulations will result in the expansion of businesses currently doing business within the state.

Benefits of the Proposed Action: As stated above under the Informative Digest/Policy Statement Overview, the benefits of the regulation will increase the efficiency of the state of California in delivering services to stakeholders by including training in the Basic Course curriculum that specifically addresses a peace officer’s response when a person or persons are actively engaged in life-threatening assault that could result in multiple deaths or serious bodily injury. Thus, the law enforcement standards are maintained and effective in preserving peace, protection of public health, safety, and welfare in California. There would be no impact that would affect worker safety or the state’s environment.

CONSIDERATION OF ALTERNATIVES

In accordance with GC § 11346.5, subdivision (a)(13), POST must determine that no reasonable alternative it considered, or that has otherwise identified and brought to its attention, would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the action is proposed, or would be as effective as and less burdensome to affected private persons than the proposed action, or would be more cost-effective to affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy or other provision of law than the proposed action.

CONTACT PERSONS

Questions regarding this proposed regulatory action may be directed to Brandon Kiely, Commission on POST, 860 Stillwater Road, Suite 100, West Sacramento, CA 95605–1630, at (916) 227–6498. General questions regarding the regulatory process may be directed to Chandler Knapp at (916) 227–6882.

TEXT OF PROPOSAL

Individuals may request copies of the proposed text (the “express terms”) of the regulations, the initial statement of reasons, the modified text of the regulations, if any, or other information upon which the rulemaking is based to, the Commission on POST at 860 Stillwater Road, Suite 100, West Sacramento, CA 95605–1630. These documents are also located on the POST Website at <https://post.ca.gov/Regulatory-Actions>.

**ADOPTION OF PROPOSED REGULATIONS/
AVAILABILITY OF CHANGED OR
MODIFIED TEXT**

Following the public comment period, the Commission may adopt the proposal substantially as set forth without further notice, or the Commission may modify the proposal if such modifications remain sufficiently related to the text as described in the Informative Digest. If the Commission makes changes to the language before the date of adoption, the text of any modified language, clearly indicated, will be made available at least 15 days before adoption to all persons whose comments were received by POST during the public comment period and to all persons who request notification from POST of the availability of such changes. A request for the modified text should be addressed to the agency official designated in this notice. The Commission will accept written comments on the modified text for 15 days after the date that the revised text is made available.

**AVAILABILITY AND LOCATION OF THE
RULEMAKING FILE AND THE FINAL
STATEMENT OF REASONS**

The rulemaking file contains all information upon which POST is basing this proposal and is available for public inspection by contacting the person(s) named above. As of the date this notice is published in the Notice Register, the rulemaking file consists of this notice, the proposed text of the regulations and the initial statement of reasons.

To request a copy of the Final Statement of Reasons once it has been approved, submit a written request to the contact person(s) named above.

TITLE 13. DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES

MINIMAL ADJUSTMENT OF FEES

The Department of Motor Vehicles (department) proposes to amend Section 423.00 in Article 6, Chapter 1, Division 1, Title 13 of the California Code of Regulations, related to the annual adjustment of fees.

PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing regarding this proposed regulatory action is not scheduled. However, a public hearing will be held if any interested person or his or her duly authorized representative requests a public hearing to be held relevant to the proposed action by submitting a written request to the contact person identified in this notice no later than fifteen (15) days prior to the close of the written comment period.

DEADLINE FOR WRITTEN COMMENTS

Any interested party or his or her duly authorized representative may submit written comments relevant to the proposed regulations to the contact person identified in this notice. All written comments must be received at the department no later than **October 13, 2025**, the final day of the written comment period, for them to be considered by the department before it adopts the proposed regulation.

AUTHORITY AND REFERENCE

The department proposes to adopt/amend/peel these regulations under the authority granted by Vehicle Code sections 1651 and 1678, to implement, interpret, or make specific Vehicle Code sections 1678, 1685, 4604, 5014, 5036, 6700.25, 9102.5, 9250, 9250.6, 9250.8, 9250.13, 9252, 9254, 9258, 9261, 9265, 9702, 11515, 11515.2, 14900, 14900.1, 14901, 14902, 15255.1, 15255.2, 38121, 38225.4, 38225.5, 38232, 38255, 38260 and 38265; Code of Civil Procedure section 488.385; and Revenue and Taxation Code sections 10902 and 11052.

INFORMATIVE DIGEST/POLICY STATEMENT OVERVIEW

Vehicle Code section 1678 requires the department to annually review and adjust a variety of department fees. The fees are to be adjusted in an amount equal to the increase in the California Consumer Price Index for the prior year, as calculated by the Department of Finance. The department adjusts its fees only when

the calculated amount equals or is greater than \$0.50, rounded to the next highest whole dollar.

The department is proposing to amend Section 423.00 to identify the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (CPI-U), based on the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. Not only does the CPI-U represent over 90% of the total population, but the department has also been using the CPI-U for its fee adjustment calculations since it began adjusting fees in regulation in 2005.

BENEFITS OF THE PROPOSED REGULATION

The department anticipates this action will benefit California residents by providing transparency in the method by which fees are calculated.

CONSISTENCY AND COMPATIBILITY WITH STATE REGULATIONS

The department has conducted a review of other state regulations and has determined there are no other regulations related to either the fees charged by the department or the method by which the fees are calculated. Therefore, this action is neither inconsistent nor incompatible with other existing state regulations.

COMPARABLE FEDERAL STATUTES OR REGULATIONS

The department has determined there are no comparable federal statutes or regulations related to the method by which the department calculates its fee increases.

DOCUMENTS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

There are no documents incorporated by reference.

ECONOMIC AND FISCAL IMPACT DETERMINATIONS

The department has made the following initial determinations concerning the proposed regulatory action:

- Cost or Savings to Any State Agency: None.
- Other Non-Discretionary Cost or Savings to Local Agencies: None.
- Costs or Savings in Federal Funding to the State: None.
- Effects on Housing Costs: None.
- Cost to any local agency or school district requiring reimbursement pursuant to Gov. Code section 17500 et seq.: None.

- **Cost Impact on Representative Private Persons or Businesses:** This proposed action will not have a cost impact on representative private persons or businesses. The amendment identifies the CPI database used to calculate annual fee adjustments. This action does not increase any fees.
- **Small Business Impact:** This action will not have an impact on small businesses. The amendment only codifies the CPI database used to calculate past and future fee increases.
- **Local Agency/School District Mandate:** The proposed regulatory action will not impose a mandate on local agencies or school districts, or a mandate that requires reimbursement pursuant to Part 7 (commencing with Section 17500) of Division 4 of the Government Code.
- **Significant statewide adverse economic impact directly affecting businesses, including the ability of California businesses to compete with businesses in other states:** The department has made the initial determination that this action will not have a statewide adverse economic impact directly affecting businesses or the ability of California businesses to compete with businesses in other states. The amendment is limited to identifying the CPI database used to calculate fee increase. This action, however, does not increase any fees.

**RESULTS OF THE ECONOMIC
IMPACT STATEMENT**

The department has made the initial determination that this action will not impact, 1) the creation or elimination of jobs within the State of California, 2) the creation of new businesses or elimination of existing businesses within the State of California, 3) the expansion of businesses currently doing business within the State of California, 4) worker safety or the state’s environment and health because it is unrelated to health issues.

This action may benefit the welfare of California residents by identifying the CPI database used when calculating whether an annual fee increase is required. The amendment will ensure transparency related to the methodology used when increasing fees.

**PUBLIC DISCUSSIONS OF
PROPOSED REGULATIONS**

A pre–notice workshop, pursuant to Government Code section 11346.45, is not required because the issues addressed in the proposal are not so complex or large in number that they cannot easily be reviewed during the comment period.

ALTERNATIVES CONSIDERED

The department must determine that no reasonable alternative considered by the department or that has otherwise been identified and brought to the attention of the department would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the action is proposed, or would be effective as and less burdensome to affected private persons than the proposed action, or would be more cost–effective to affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy or other provisions of law.

CONTACT PERSON

Any inquiries or comments concerning the proposed rulemaking action may be addressed to:

Randi Calkins, Regulations Specialist
Department of Motor Vehicles
Legal Affairs Division
P.O. Box 932382, MS C–244
Sacramento, CA 94232–3820

Any inquiries or comments concerning the proposed rulemaking action requiring more immediate response may use:

Telephone: (916) 282–7294
Facsimile: (916) 657–6243
Email: LADRegulations@dmv.ca.gov

In the event the contact person is unavailable, inquiries should be directed to the following back–up person:

Peggy Gibson, Attorney IV
Department of Motor Vehicles
Telephone: (916) 657–6469

**AVAILABILITY OF STATEMENT OF
REASONS AND TEXT OF
PROPOSED REGULATIONS**

The department has prepared an Initial Statement of Reasons for the proposed regulatory action and has available all the information upon which the proposal is based. The contact person identified in this notice shall make available to the public upon request the Express Terms of the proposed regulatory action using underline or italics to indicate additions to, and strike-out to indicate deletions from the California Code of Regulations.

The contact person identified in this notice shall also make available to the public, upon request, the Final Statement of Reasons and the location of public records, including reports, documentation and other materials related to the pro-

posed action. In addition, the above-cited materials (the Notice of Proposed Regulatory Action, the Initial Statement of Reasons, and Express Terms) may be accessed at <https://www.dmv.ca.gov/portal/about-the-california-department-of-motor-vehicles/california-dmv-rulemaking-actions/>.

AVAILABILITY OF MODIFIED TEXT

Following the written comment period, and the hearing if one is held, the department may adopt the proposed regulations substantially as described in this notice. If modifications are made which are sufficiently related to the originally proposed text, the fully modified text, with changes clearly indicated, shall be made available to the public for at least 15 days prior to the date on which the department adopts the resulting regulations. Requests for copies of any modified regulations should be addressed to the department contact person identified in this notice. The department will accept written comments on the modified regulations for 15 days after the date on which they are first made available to the public.

TITLE 14. DIVISION OF BOATING AND WATERWAYS

FIRE EXTINGUISHER REGULATIONS

The California Department of Parks and Recreation, Division of Boating and Waterways (“Division” or DBW) proposes to adopt the regulations described below after considering all comments, objections, and recommendations regarding the proposed action.

PUBLIC HEARING

No public hearing on this matter has been scheduled. Anyone wishing a public hearing must submit a request in writing, pursuant to Section 11346.8 of the Government Code, to the Department at least 15 days before the end of the written comment period. Such request should be addressed to the department contact person identified in this Notice below and should specify the regulations for which the hearing is being requested.

WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD

Any interested person or his or her authorized representative may submit written comments, relevant to the proposed regulatory action before the public comment period closes: the deadline to submit comments is **October 15, 2025**. (45-day Notice).

Comments must satisfy the following requirements:

- Comment must be in writing, which includes email.
- Comment must identify the proposed regulatory action being addressed.
- Comments must be sent to the rulemaking agency’s contact person for the proposed regulatory action.

Submit comments to:

Charley Hesse, Regulations Analyst

California State Parks

Division of Boating and Waterways

P.O. Box 942896, Floor 12

Sacramento, CA 94296

Email: charley.hesse@parks.ca.gov

Phone: 916–204–0639

Back-up to Charley Hesse:

Jedidiah Anderson, Supervisor

Email: jedidiah.anderson@parks.ca.gov

Phone: 916–708–7948

AUTHORITY AND REFERENCE

Harbors and Navigation Code, Division 3, Chapter 5, Article 1, Section 652 authorizes the Division to adopt these proposed regulations. The proposed regulation changes align Cal. Code Regs. Title 14, §§ 6570, 6571, 6572, 6573 and definitions found in § 6552 with 86 FR 58560 issued on October 22, 2021, and 16790/AUX-PL-006(A) BSX Policy Letter 20-01, published by the United States Coast Guard (USCG) in June 2020.

INFORMATIVE DIGEST/POLICY STATEMENT OVERVIEW

On April 6, 2023, the United States Coast Guard Boating Safety Division (CG-BSX-2) completed a compliance review of the Division’s Recreational Boating Safety (RBS) grant program. This compliance review is used to monitor if a state is in compliance with specific elements of applicable federal laws and regulations, including Title 46 U.S.C. Chapter 131 which specifies requirements for the State’s RBS grant program. As a result of the April 6, 2023 review, it was identified that terminology found in Title 14 CCR §§ 6570, 6571, 6572, 6573 and definitions found in § 6552 was out of compliance with Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), found at 33 CFR 175, Chapter 1, Sub-Chapter S which addresses the fire extinguishing equipment required on recreational vessels 65 feet or less in length, effective April 20, 2022.

Additionally, on June 3, 2020, CG–BSX–2 issued Policy Letter 20–01 (Policy Letter). The purpose of the letter was to provide additional guidance to Vessel Examiners on portable fire extinguisher requirements for recreational vessels. Specifically, the Coast Guard now uses a performance–based classification system that will impact recreational vessels constructed after August 22, 2016. The Policy Letter identifies Ref: VESSEL SAFETY CHECK — PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHER GUIDANCE (a) Auxiliary Vessel Safety Check Manual, COMDTINST M16796.8 (series). Section 3.B.5. of reference (a) identifies portable fire extinguisher requirements on recreational vessels. These requirements changed for such vessels constructed after August 22, 2016. Although this guidance is policy–based, the respective federal regulations reference these changes. See 33 CFR 175, Chapter 1, Sub–Chapter S, published April 20, 2022.

Most extinguishers already have Coast Guard approval and UL rating classification. Moving from B–II to 20–B and B–1 to 5–B, aligns fire protection standards with updated testing criteria, enhancing safety, and improving the clarity of fire safety equipment requirements. Fire extinguisher ratings are updated to align with national and international standards, such as those from the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) or Underwriters Laboratories (UL). The change from B–II to 20–B and B–1 to 5–B reflects an updated system for assessing fire extinguisher performance. The numeric ratings (20–B and 5–B) are based on newer, more specific testing methods and provide clearer guidance on the type of fire the extinguisher can effectively combat. This applies to all approved fire extinguishers installed on vessels constructed prior to August 22, 2016. These extinguishers can remain on recreational vessels if they are still serviceable. The new classification system requires portable and semi–portable extinguishers to be marked with a combined number and letter designation. The letter designates the general class of fire for which the extinguisher is suitable, and the number indicates the relative extinguishing potential of the device. The new requirements apply to vessels built after August 22, 2016, and focuses on requiring 5–B portable fire extinguishers in lieu of B–1 portable fire extinguishers (essentially 5 times the relative extinguishing potential). Additionally, ratings that include higher numbers or more letters are acceptable; one 20–B extinguisher may be carried to replace two required 5–B extinguishers, and there are special rules for vessels built prior to 1952.

Further, pursuant to 33 CFR 175, Chapter 1, Sub–Chapter S, published April 20, 2022, if a disposable (non–rechargeable) fire extinguisher has a date of manufacture stamped on the bottle, and it is older than

12 years, the extinguisher is considered expired and must be removed from service.

DBW must update Title 14 CCR §§ 6570, 6571, 6572, 6573 and definitions found in § 6552 to align with current federal regulations. This will ensure consistency with the labeling standards already being used by manufacturers and encourage the safety of the boating public.

ANTICIPATED BENEFITS OF THE PROPOSED REGULATION

By updating the fire extinguishing equipment regulations required on recreational vessels 65 feet or less in length, the Division can ensure that Title 14 CCR §§ 6570, 6571, 6572, and 6573, along with the definitions found in § 6552, remain aligned with federal requirements. This update will also help ensure consistency with the labeling standards already used by fire extinguisher manufacturers, thereby eliminating confusion and increasing the safety of the boating public who rely on fire extinguishing equipment on their recreational vessel.

DETERMINATION OF INCONSISTENCY/ INCOMPATIBILITY WITH EXISTING STATE REGULATIONS

The Division has determined that this proposed regulation is not inconsistent or incompatible with existing regulations. After conducting a review for any regulations that would relate to or affect this area, the Division has concluded that these are the only regulations that concern the fire extinguishing equipment required on recreational vessels 65 feet or less in length.

DISCLOSURES REGARDING THE PROPOSED ACTION

The Division has made the following initial determinations:

Mandate on local agencies and school districts: The Division does not believe that any vessels owned or operated by a state, County or City municipality would qualify as a recreational vessel. All vessels required to carry a fire extinguisher are still required to do so under this new regulation. There is no change to the quantity of extinguishers required. Recreational vessels older than model year 2017 may carry a B–I or B–II rated fire extinguisher but must replace them with a 5–B or 20–B when they are no longer in good and serviceable condition. All recreational vessels of model year 2018 and newer must carry 5–B or 20–B rated fire extinguishers that are date stamped. Vessels older than model year 2018 may carry either 5–B or 20–B rated fire extinguishers that are less the 12 years

old or B-I or B-II rated fire extinguishers that are in good and serviceable condition.

Cost or savings to any state agency: All vessels required to carry a fire extinguisher are still required to do so under this new regulation. There is no change to the quantity of extinguishers required. Recreational vessels older than model year 2017, may carry a B-I or B-II rated fire extinguisher, but must replace them with a 5-B or 20-B when they are no longer in good and serviceable condition. All recreational vessels of model year 2018 and newer must carry 5-B or 20-B rated fire extinguishers that are date stamped. Vessels older than model year 2018 may carry either 5-B or 20-B rated fire extinguishers that are less the 12 years old or B-I or B-II rated fire extinguishers that are in good and serviceable condition.

Cost to any local agency or school district which must be reimbursed in accordance with Government Code sections 17500-17630:

Other non-discretionary cost or savings imposed on local agencies: None.

Cost or savings in federal funding to the state: None.

Cost impacts on a representative private person or businesses: All vessels required to carry a fire extinguisher are still required to do so under this new regulation. There is no change to the quantity of extinguishers required. Recreational vessels older than model year 2017, may carry a B-I or B-II rated fire extinguisher, but must replace them with a 5-B or 20-B when they are no longer in good and serviceable condition. All recreational vessels of model year 2018 and newer must carry 5-B or 20-B rated fire extinguishers that are date stamped. Vessels older than model year 2018 may carry either 5-B or 20-B rated fire extinguishers that are less the 12 years old or B-I or B-II rated fire extinguishers that are in good and serviceable condition.

Significant, statewide adverse economic impact directly affecting businesses, including the ability of California businesses to compete with businesses in other states: None.

Significant effect on housing costs: None.

RESULTS OF THE ECONOMIC IMPACT ANALYSIS/ASSESSMENT

The Division concludes that it is: (1) unlikely the proposed action will eliminate any jobs, (2) unlikely the proposed action may create an unknown number of jobs, (3) unlikely the proposal will create new businesses, and (4) unlikely that the proposal will eliminate any existing businesses.

Benefits of the Proposed Action: By updating Title 14 CCR §§ 6570, 6571, 6572, 6573, and definitions found in § 6552, California law will be aligned with federal requirements found in 33 CFR 175, Chapter 1,

Sub-Chapter S and 86 FR 58560 issued by USCG in 2021. This update will also help ensure consistency with the labeling standards already used by fire extinguisher manufacturers, thereby eliminating confusion and increasing the safety of the boating public who rely on fire extinguishing equipment on their recreational vessel. Therefore, the proposed regulations will have benefits to the health and welfare of California residents and worker safety. The proposed regulations are not expected to affect the state's environment.

SMALL BUSINESS DETERMINATION

All vessels required to carry a fire extinguisher are still required to do so under this new regulation. There is no change to the quantity of extinguishers required. Recreational vessels older than model year 2017, may carry a B-I or B-II rated fire extinguisher, but must replace them with a 5-B or 20-B when they are no longer in good and serviceable condition. All recreational vessels of model year 2018 and newer must carry 5-B or 20-B rated fire extinguishers that are date stamped. Vessels older than model year 2018 may carry either 5-B or 20-B rated fire extinguishers that are less the 12 years old or B-I or B-II rated fire extinguishers that are in good and serviceable condition.

It is unlikely the proposed regulations will adversely affect small businesses. Any small business who owns 1 or several recreational vessels would need to check and see that any vessel model year 2018 or newer has 5-B or 20-B rated fire extinguishers that are date stamped.

CONSIDERATION OF ALTERNATIVES

In accordance with Government Code § 11346.5, subdivision (a)(13), the Division must determine that no reasonable alternative considered by the agency or that has otherwise been identified and brought to the attention of the agency would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the action is proposed or would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the proposed action, or would be more cost-effective to affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy or other provision of law.

There are no alternatives to aligning the proposed regulations with federal requirements.

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Please direct requests for copies of the Proposed Text (the “express terms”) of the regulations, the Initial Statement of Reasons, the modified text of the regulations, if any, or other information upon which the rulemaking is based, to Charley Hesse at the above address.

AVAILABILITY OF STATEMENT
 OF REASONS, TEXT OF PROPOSED
 REGULATIONS, AND RULEMAKING FILE

The Division will have the entire rulemaking file available for inspection and copying throughout the rulemaking process at its office at 715 P Street, 12th Floor, Sacramento, CA 95814. As of the date this notice is published in the Notice Register, the rulemaking file consists of this Notice, the Proposed Text of the Regulations, the Economic and Fiscal Impact Statement (STD 399) and the Initial Statement of Reasons. Copies may be obtained by contacting Charley Hess at the address or phone number listed above.

AVAILABILITY OF CHANGED
 OR MODIFIED TEXT

After holding the hearing and considering all timely and relevant comments received, the Division may adopt the proposed regulations substantially as described in this notice. If the Division makes modifications which are sufficiently related to the originally proposed text, it will make the modified text (with the changes clearly indicated) available to the public for at least 15 days before the Division adopts the regulations as revised. Please send requests for copies of any modified regulations to the attention of Charley Hess at the address indicated above. The Division will accept written comments on the modified regulations for 15 days after the date on which they are made available.

AVAILABILITY OF THE FINAL
 STATEMENT OF REASONS

Upon its completion, copies of the Final Statement of Reasons may be obtained by contacting Charley Hess at the above address.

AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS
 ON THE INTERNET

Copies of the Notice of Proposed Action, the Initial Statement of Reasons, and the text of the regulations in underline and strikethrough can be accessed through our website at www.dbw.ca.gov.

GENERAL PUBLIC INTEREST

**DEPARTMENT OF
 FISH AND WILDLIFE**

HABITAT RESTORATION AND
 ENHANCEMENT ACT CONSISTENCY
 DETERMINATION NUMBER
 1653-2025-171-001-R3

Project: Butano Canyon Habitat and
 Streambank Restoration Project

Location: San Mateo County

Applicant: John Maloney

Background

Project Location: The Butano Canyon Habitat and Streambank Restoration Project (Project) is located at is located at 301 Redwood Avenue, Pescadero, California 94060, at a property owned by John Maloney; Assessor Parcel Number (APN) 089042060, 089042040, 089042050, and 089042999; latitude 37.2331408 and longitude -122.3236256; and affects Butano Creek, a tributary to Pescadero Creek. Butano Creek supports populations of Central California Coast (CCC) steelhead (*Oncorhynchus mykiss*), CCC coho salmon (*Oncorhynchus kisutch*), marbled murrelet (*Brachyramphus marmoratus*), Pacific lamprey (*Entosphenus tridentatus*), California giant salamander (*Dicamptodon ensatus*), California red-legged frog (*Rana draytonii*), Santa Cruz black salamander (*Aneides niger*), western pond turtle (*Actinemys marmorata*), and nesting birds.

Project Description: John Maloney (Applicant) proposes to enhance or restore habitat within Butano Creek to provide a net conservation benefit for CCC steelhead and CCC coho salmon. To address bank erosion, the Project will include bank stabilization of the east bank, and excavation/re-shaping of the west bank along Butano Creek. Bank stabilization will occur along an approximately 100-foot stretch of Butano Creek, using a combination of rock armoring and bioengineering, which will include rock slope protection, riparian plantings, and the installation of three log/rootwad structures at the toe of the slope. Adjacent to the bank stabilization, portions of the west bank will be excavated and re-shaped to a gentler

and more stable 2:1 slope, increasing the width of the stream channel, expanding the area of floodplain, and increasing the frequency with which this land is inundated by stream flows. Additionally, one 12–inch diameter at breast height alder will be removed along the west bank, which if possible will be salvaged for re–planting within the Project site. Revegetation efforts will to the greatest extent possible include native plants sourced from the property. To complete the proposed in–channel work, a 242–linear–foot diversion and dewatering system will be implemented.

In part due to historic land use, significant erosion of the streambank has occurred upstream and within the Project site, with the stream vertically incising up to 13 feet over the past few decades. This erosion is contributing additional sediment to Butano Creek downstream of the Project site, impacting the stream habitat. Completion of the Project will result in improved habitat for native fish species in Butano Creek through the addition of large woody debris and cover, improving velocity refuge for juvenile salmonids during high flows and promoting gravel sorting and rearing habitat formation; increased quality and quantity of riparian and floodplain habitat throughout the Project site; and reduced erosion of the streambanks within the Project site, reducing downstream impacts to spawning habitat, water quality, and public infrastructure.

Project Size: The total area of ground disturbance associated with the Project is approximately 0.157 acres and 242 linear feet (0.09 acres and 125 linear feet to riparian habitat; and 0.067 acres and 242 linear feet to stream habitat). The proposed Project complies with the General 401 Certification for Small Habitat Restoration Projects and associated categorical exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA; Cal. Code Regs., title 14, § 15333).

Project Associated Discharge: Discharge of materials into Waters of the State, as defined by Water Code section 13050 subdivision (e), resulting from the Project include those associated with the following: (1) 526.7 cubic yards (cy) of soil; (2) 499.1 cy of rock rip rap (planted); (3) 37.6 cy of large wood/anchor boulders; (4) 73.2 cy of dewatering system; (5) 28.26 cy of boulders; and (6) 50.8 cy of rock filter layer.

Project Timeframes:

- Start date: September 2025
- Completion date: December 2025
- Work window: September 15–October 31
(Construction)
- November 1–December 31 (Planting)

Water Quality Certification Background: Because the Project’s primary purpose is habitat restoration intended to improve the quality of waters in California, reduce erosion of the streambanks in the Project site, and improve habitat for native fish species, the San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control

Board (Regional Water Board) issued a Notice of Applicability (NOA) for Coverage under the State Water Resources Control Board General 401 Water Quality Certification Order for Small Habitat Restoration Projects SBI2006GN (Order) (Waste Discharge Identification (WDID) Number 2 CW461665, RM Number 461665, Place ID 902010) for the Project. The NOA describes the Project and requires the Applicant to comply with terms of the Order. Additionally, the Applicant has provided a supplemental document that sets forth measures to avoid and minimize impacts to special–status plants, wildlife, CCC steelhead, CCC coho salmon, Pacific lamprey, California giant salamander, Santa Cruz black salamander, California red–legged frog, northwestern pond turtle, marbled murrelet, nesting migratory birds, and sensitive habitats.

Receiving Water: Butano Creek, tributary to Pescadero Creek

Filled or Excavated Area: Permanent area impacted: none

Temporary area impacted: 0.09 acres of riparian habitat

0.06 acres of stream habitat

Length permanently impacted: 0 linear feet

Length temporarily impacted: 125 linear feet of riparian habitat

242 linear feet of stream habitat

Dredge Volume: None.

Discharge Volume: 526.7 cubic yards (cy) of soil, 499.1 cy of rock rip rap (planted), 37.6 cy of large wood/anchor boulders, 73.2 cy of dewatering system, 28.26 cy of boulders, and 50.8 cy of rock filter layer.

Project Location: Latitude 37.2331408. and Longitude –122.3236256, (NAD 83); APN: 089042060, 089042040, 089042050, and 089042999.

Regional Water Board staff determined that the Project may proceed under the Order. Additionally, Regional Water Board staff determined that the Project, as described in the Notice of Intent (NOI) complies with CEQA (Pub. Resources Code, § 21000 et seq.).

On July 29, 2025, the Director of the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) received a notice from the Applicant requesting a determination pursuant to Fish and Game Code Section 1653 that the NOA, NOI, and related species protection measures are consistent with the Habitat Restoration and Enhancement Act (HREA) with respect to the Project.

Pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 1653 subdivision (c), CDFW filed an initial notice with the Office of Administrative Law on July 29, 2025, for publishing in the General Public Interest section of the California Regulatory Notice Register (Cal. Reg. Notice File Number Z–2025–0729–03) on August 8, 2025.

Upon approval, CDFW will file a final notice pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 1653 subdivision (f).

Canyon Habitat and Streambank Restoration Project Monitoring and Reporting Plan, dated April 14, 2025.

DETERMINATION

CDFW has determined that the NOA, NOI, and related species protection measures are consistent with HREA as to the Project and meets the conditions set forth in Fish and Game Code section 1653 for authorizing the Project.

Specifically, CDFW finds that: (1) The Project purpose is voluntary habitat restoration and the Project is not required as mitigation; (2) the Project is not part of a regulatory permit for a non-habitat restoration or enhancement construction activity, a regulatory settlement, a regulatory enforcement action, or a court order; and (3) the Project meets the eligibility requirements of the State Water Resources Control Board’s Order for Clean Water Act Section 401 General Water Quality Certification for Small Habitat Restoration Projects.

**AVOIDANCE AND
MINIMIZATION MEASURES**

The avoidance and minimization measures for Project, as required by Fish and Game Code section 1653, subdivision (b)(4), were included in an attachment to the NOI, which contains the following categories: (1) BIO–1: Measure for Special–Status Plants; (2) BIO–2: General Wildlife Measures; (3) BIO–3: Measures for CCC Steelhead, CCC Coho Salmon, and Pacific Lamprey; (4) BIO–4: Measures for California Giant Salamander and Santa Cruz Black Salamander; (5) BIO–5: Measures for California Red–Legged Frog; (6) BIO–6: Measures for Northwestern Pond Turtle; (7) BIO–7: Measures for Marbled Murrelet; (8) BIO–8: Measures for Nesting Migratory Birds; (9) BIO–9: Measures for Sensitive Habitat; and (10) Addendum to the Biotic Assessment. The specific avoidance and minimization requirements are found in an attachment to the NOI, *Biological Resources Assessment for the Butano Canyon Habitat and Streambank Restoration Project*, prepared by Camara Environmental Consulting, dated February 11, 2025; and *Addendum to the Biotic Assessment*.

MONITORING AND REPORTING

As required by Fish and Game Code section 1653, subdivision (g), the Applicant included a copy of the monitoring and reporting plan. The Applicant’s Monitoring and Reporting Plan provides a timeline for restoration, performance standards, and monitoring parameters and protocols. Specific requirements of the plan are found in an attachment to the NOI, *Butano*

NOTICE OF COMPLETION

Coverage under the State Water Resources Control Board General 401 Water Quality Certification Order for Small Habitat Restoration Projects requires the Applicant to submit a Notice of Completion (NOC) no later than 30 days after the project has been completed. A complete NOC includes at a minimum:

- photographs with a descriptive title;
- date the photograph was taken;
- name of the photographic site;
- WDID number, RM Number, and Place ID indicated above;
- success criteria for the Project.

The NOC shall demonstrate that the Applicant has carried out the Project in accordance with the Project description as provided in the Applicant’s NOI. Applicant shall include the project name, WDID number, RM Number, and Place ID with all future inquiries and document submittals. Pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 1653, subdivision (g), the Applicant shall submit the monitoring plan, monitoring report, and notice of completion to CDFW as required by the General Order. Applicant shall submit documents electronically to: Michael.Stuhldreher@wildlife.ca.gov.

PROJECT AUTHORIZATION

Pursuant to Fish and Game Code section 1654, CDFW’s approval of a habitat restoration or enhancement project pursuant to section 1652 or 1653 shall be in lieu of any other permit, agreement, license, or other approval issued by the department, including, but not limited to, those issued pursuant to Chapter 6 (commencing with section 1600) and Chapter 10 (commencing with section 1900) of this Division and Chapter 1.5 (commencing with section 2050) of Division 3. Additionally, Applicant must adhere to all measures contained in the approved NOA and comply with other conditions described in the NOI.

If there are any substantive changes to the Project or if the Water Board amends or replaces the NOA, the Applicant shall be required to obtain a new consistency determination from CDFW. (See generally Fish & Game Code, § 1654, subdivision (c).)

PROPOSITION 65

**OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL
HEALTH HAZARD ASSESSMENT**

SAFE DRINKING WATER AND
TOXIC ENFORCEMENT ACT OF 1986
(PROPOSITION 65)

ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE CARCINOGEN
IDENTIFICATION COMMITTEE MEETING
SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 18, 2025

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY OF HAZARD
IDENTIFICATION MATERIALS FOR
N-METHYL-N-FORMYLHYDRAZINE

The California Environmental Protection Agency’s Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment (OEHHA) will convene a meeting of the Carcinogen Identification Committee (CIC). At this meeting the CIC will consider the possible listing of N-methyl-N-formylhydrazine under the Safe Drinking Water and Toxic Enforcement Act of 1986, codified at Health and Safety Code section 25249.5 et seq. (Proposition 65). OEHHA is also opening a 45-day public comment period on the hazard identification document entitled “Evidence on the Carcinogenicity of N-Methyl-N-Formylhydrazine.” **The public comment period will end on Monday, October 13, 2025**, and instructions about how to submit a comment are included below. A copy of the document is available on OEHHA’s website at oehha.ca.gov/proposition-65.

BACKGROUND

OEHHA is the lead agency for implementation of Proposition 65. The CIC advises and assists OEHHA in compiling the list of chemicals known to the state to cause cancer within the meaning of the Act, as required by Proposition 65 (Health and Safety Code section 25249.8). The CIC serves as the state’s qualified experts for determining whether a chemical has been clearly shown through scientifically valid testing according to generally accepted principles to cause cancer within the meaning of the Act (Health and Safety Code section 25249.8(b), Cal. Code Regs. title 27 section 25305(a)).

A request for relevant information on the potential carcinogenicity of this chemical opened on November

29, 2024, and closed on January 10, 2025. No submissions were received.

**PUBLIC MEETING AND PUBLIC
COMMENT PERIOD**

N-Methyl-N-formylhydrazine will be considered for possible listing under Proposition 65 as causing cancer at a public meeting scheduled for **Tuesday, November 18, 2025**. This meeting will be held in Sacramento and online, with the option of participating in person or via the internet. Participate in person at Sierra Hearing Room 1001 I Street, Sacramento, CA or *register online to participate via a Zoom webinar*. The meeting will begin at 10:00 am and last until all business is conducted or until 5:00 pm.

The meeting agenda and detailed instructions for providing oral comment will be provided in a future public notice published in advance of the meeting.

Persons who do not wish to attend a hearing in a location that is public and therefore open to anyone are encouraged to attend electronically and/or to submit written comments.

All written comments must be submitted to OEHHA by electronic submission, mail, or in person hand-delivery, by **Monday, October 13, 2025**. OEHHA strongly recommends that comments be submitted electronically through our website at <https://oehha.ca.gov/comments> rather than in paper form. Alternatively, comments can be submitted in paper form, either by mail or delivered in person.

Comments may be submitted anonymously and will be considered by OEHHA to the same extent as other comments, although OEHHA encourages commenters to include their name and affiliation when possible.

Mailed submission via United States Postal Service:

Attention: Tina Cox
Office of Environmental Health Hazard
Assessment
P.O. Box 4010
Sacramento, California 95812-4010

In-person delivery submission:

Attention: Tina Cox
Office of Environmental Health Hazard
Assessment
1001 I Street
Sacramento, California 95814

OEHHA encourages all commenters to submit their comments in a format compliant with Section 508 of the federal Rehabilitation Act, Web Content Accessibility Guidelines 2.1 (<https://www.w3.org/WAI/standards-guidelines/wcag>) and California Government Code sections 7405

and 11135, so that they can be read using screen reader technology.

All timely filed public comments will be provided to CIC members in advance of the meeting and will be posted on the OEHHA website at the close of the comment period.

OEHHA is subject to the California Public Records Act and other laws that require the release of certain information upon request. If you provide comments, please be aware that your name and comment may be available to third parties and that OEHHA posts comments on its website.

If you would like to request a copy of the hazard identification document, or have any other questions regarding this announcement, please contact Tina Cox at Tina.Cox@oehha.ca.gov or 916-327-7338.

**SUMMARY OF
REGULATORY ACTIONS**

**REGULATIONS FILED WITH THE
SECRETARY OF STATE**

This Summary of Regulatory Actions lists regulations filed with the Secretary of State on the dates indicated. Copies of the regulations may be obtained by contacting the agency or from the Secretary of State, Archives, 1020 O Street, Sacramento, CA 95814, (916) 653-7715. Please have the agency name and the date filed (see below) when making a request.

State Controller's Office
File # 2025-0717-01
Conflict-of-Interest Code

This is a Conflict-of-Interest code that has been approved by the Fair Political Commission and is being submitted for filing with Secretary of State and printing only.

Title 02
Amend: 1142
Filed 08/14/2025
Effective 09/13/2025
Agency Contact: Ryan Seeley (916) 327-1361

California Coastal Commission
File # 2025-0707-01
Annual Increases Tt Permit Fees and Major Public Works Threshold

This action by the California Coastal Commission adjusts the threshold amount to qualify as a major public works or energy project and the fees for permit applications and other filings.

Title 14
Amend: 13012, 13055
Filed 08/15/2025
Agency Contact: Claire Wilkens (415) 729-1227

California Health Facilities Financing Authority
File # 2025-0701-01
Lifeline Grant Program

This nonsubstantive action by the California Health Facilities Financing Authority ("CHFFA") repeals the Lifeline Grant Program regulations contained in chapter 6 (commencing with section 7213) of division 10 of title 4 of the California Code of Regulations ("CCR"). The Lifeline Grant Program regulations implemented the Clinic Lifeline Act of 2017 enacted through Government Code section 15438.11, which has since been repealed as of January 1, 2023.

Title 14
Repeal: 7213, 7214, 7215, 7216, 7218, 7219, 7220, 7221, 7222, 7223, 7224, 7225, 7227, 7228, 7229
Filed 08/13/2025
Agency Contact: Joan Regeleski (916) 653-3390

Department of Developmental Services
File # 2025-0716-01
Repeal Monthly Parental Fee per Welfare and Institutions Code 4784 Repeal

This nonsubstantive action seeks to repeal regulations pertaining to the Parental Fee Program to align with the statutory repeal of the program by way of Assembly Bill Number 143 (Chapter 12, Statutes of 2025).

Title 17
Repeal: 50201, 50203, 50205, 50207, 50209, 50211, 50213, 50215, 50221, 50223, 50225, 50227, 50229, 50230, 50231, 50233, 50235, 50237, 50239, 50241
Filed 08/14/2025
Agency Contact:
Annie Drinkwater-Wright (916) 651-1209

Board of Behavioral Sciences
File # 2025-0708-01
Telehealth

This regular rulemaking action by the Board of Behavioral Sciences amends the standards of practice for telehealth provision of psychotherapy services.

Title 16
Amend: 1815.5
Filed 08/19/2025
Effective 01/01/2026
Agency Contact: Christy Berger (916) 574-7995

Bureau of Automotive Repair

File # 2025-0709-01

Mobile and Referral Automobile Repair Dealers

In this regular rulemaking action, the Bureau of Automotive Repair (“BAR”) seeks to amend regulations applying to automotive repair dealers and mobile automotive repair. An automotive repair dealer now includes those collecting compensation for services referred or sublet. BAR also adopts advertising requirements for all automotive repair businesses.

Title 16

Adopt: 3371.2

Amend: 3351, 3351.7.1, 3351.7.2, 3351.7.3, 3371.1

Filed 08/19/2025

Effective 10/01/2025

Agency Contact: Holly Helsing (916) 403-8600

Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training

File # 2025-0702-02

Amend Comm. Reg. 1005, 1007, 1008, 1059/TTS-LD 32

This action by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training removes the body composition measurement from the existing Learning Domain #32 — Lifetime Fitness Training and Testing Specifications in the document Training and Testing Specifications for Peace Officer Basic Courses.

Title 11

Amend: 1005,1007, 1008, 1059

Filed 08/14/2025

Effective 10/01/2025

Agency Contact: Anita Finner (916) 227-3901

Delta Stewardship Council

File # 2025-0708-02

Council Meetings

This action adopts procedures related to council meetings, including among other things, regulations governing (1) a council quorum; (2) electing and serving as chair and vice chair; (3) public comments; (4) the chief counsel or designee attendance at council meetings as parliamentarian; and (5) closed session meeting minutes.

Title 23

Adopt: 5000.10, 5000.11, 5000.12, 5000.13,

5000.14, 5000.15, 5000.16, 5000.17

Filed 08/19/2025

Effective 10/01/2025

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Department of Pesticide Regulation

File # 2025-0716-02

Addition of Chitosan to List of Active Ingredients Allowed in Exempted Minimum Risk Pesticides

In this action, the Department of Pesticide Regulation adds chitosan to the list of active ingredients permitted in exempted pesticide products.

Title 03

Amend: 6147

Filed 08/13/2025

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Fish and Game Commission

File # 2025-0702-01

Commercial Harvest of Kelp, Including Sea Palm and Other Aquatic Plants

This action by the Fish and Game Commission amends regulations governing commercial harvesting of kelp and other aquatic plants to: (1) specify sea palm harvest methods, (2) adjust the kelp harvesters license fee for 2025 in accordance with Fish and Game section 713, (3) repeal the 2023 Kelp Harvesting License and Drying Application, which is incorporated by reference, and relocate application requirements to the body of the regulation, and (4) update the incorporated commercial kelp harvester’s monthly reporting forms, DFW 113 and 113A.

Title 14

Amend: 165, 705.1

Filed 08/14/2025

Effective 01/01/2026

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Fish and Game Commission

File # 2025-0701-03

Wildlife Rehabilitation

In this rulemaking action, the Commission updates its regulations related to wildlife rehabilitation. It repeals its existing regulation for possession of wildlife and wildlife rehabilitation and adopts a series of new sections. The adoptions address transportation and confinement of live wildlife, issuance and revocation of permits for wildlife rehabilitation, facility and enclosure standards, humane care standards, release of rehabilitation animals to the wild, and inspection of facilities. The adoptions also address the seizure, transfer, euthanasia or release of wildlife rehabilitation animals.

Title 14
Adopt: 679.1, 679.2, 679.3, 679.4, 679.5, 679.6,
679.7, 679.8, 679.9
Amend: 679, 703
Filed 08/13/2025
Effective 08/13/2025
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State Water Resources Control Board

File # 2025-0703-02

R4 Dominguez Channel and Greater Harbor Waters
TMDL Revision

This action conducted pursuant to Government Code section 11353 amends the Water Quality Control Plan for the Los Angeles Region. On October 13, 2022, the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board adopted Resolution Number R22-005 to revise the Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) for toxic pollutants in the Dominguez Channel and Greater Los Angeles and Long Beach Harbor waters. The State Water Resources Control Board approved the amendment under Resolution Number 2024-0005 on January 17, 2024.

Title 23
Amend: 3939.44
Filed 08/15/2025
Effective 08/15/2025
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