



STATE LEGISLATION
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LEGISLATIVE BILLS

AB 1652 (Waldron-R) Charter Schools: Renewal Period

This bill would increase subsequent renewal periods for charter schools to up to 15 years, after a charter has been established and renewed twice.

Status: Assembly Education Committee, Hearing date pending

Assembly Appropriations Committee, Hearing date pending

AB 2459 (McCarty-D) Firearms Dealers – Conduct of Business

This bill is intended to prevent illegal gun sales in California by requiring gun dealers to videotape all gun sales, prohibiting gun sales in homes, and giving the Department of Justice the authority to impose fines for violation of the bill. This measure is sponsored by the California Chapters of the Brady Campaign to Prevent Gun Violence and the Law Center to Prevent Gun Violence.

Status: Assembly Privacy & Consumer Protection, Heard on April 19, another Hearing date pending

AB 2067 (Harper/Bates-R) California New Motor Voter Program

This bill provides that a person can be registered to vote under the California New Motor Voter Program only if the Department of Motor Vehicles has a record of being provided a document that proves that the person is a citizen. Specifically, this bill requires the DMV to electronically provide to the Secretary of State (SOS) records of each person who submits an application for a driver's license or state identification card, or a change of address, if the proof that the person is required to submit to prove that his or her presence in the United States is authorized under federal law, also establishes that the person is a citizen of the United States, instead of requiring the DMV to electronically provide to the SOS records of each person who submits an application for a driver's license or state identification card, or a change of address, and who attests that he or she meets all voter eligibility requirements, as specified.

Status: Assembly Elections & Redistricting Committee, Hearing date pending

“Just read that 4,153,237 people got married last year. Not to cause any trouble, but shouldn't that be an even number?” -anonymous

“America is a country which produces citizens who will cross the ocean to fight for democracy but won't cross the street to vote.” -anonymous