

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 2193**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Maddox**

February 20, 2002

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An act to amend Section 818.6 of the Government Code, relating to public entity liability.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2193, as introduced, Maddox. Public entity liability.

Existing law provides that a public entity is not liable for injury caused by its failure to make an inspection, or by reason of making an inadequate or negligent inspection, of any property, other than as specified, for the purpose of determining whether the property complies with or violates any enactment or contains or constitutes a hazard to health or safety.

This bill would specify that this provision also applies to an agent of the public entity.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. Section 818.6 of the Government Code is  
2 amended to read:  
3 818.6. A public entity, *or agent thereof*, is not liable for injury  
4 caused by its failure to make an inspection, or by reason of making  
5 an inadequate or negligent inspection, of any property, other than  
6 its property ~~(as, as defined in subdivision (c) of Section 830); 830,~~  
7 for the purpose of determining whether the property complies with

- 1 or violates any enactment or contains or constitutes a hazard to
- 2 health or safety.

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