

AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY JULY 2, 2002

AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY JUNE 20, 2002

**SENATE BILL**

**No. 1384**

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**Introduced by Senator Costa**

February 12, 2002

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An act relating to water, ~~and~~ making an appropriation therefor, *and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.*

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1384, as amended, Costa. Water Omnibus Act of 2002.

The California Safe Drinking Water Bond Law of 1988 permits bond proceeds in the California Safe Drinking Water Fund to be used for a grant program to public agency supplies, subject to specific approval of the Legislature.

This bill would make an appropriation by authorizing the Department of Water Resources to make grants from the fund to 4 specified school districts in specified amounts for the purposes of financing domestic water system improvement projects to meet state and federal drinking water standards.

*This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute.*

Vote: ~~majority~~  $\frac{2}{3}$ . Appropriation: yes. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as The
- 2 Water Omnibus Act of 2002.

1 SEC. 2. (a) Pursuant to Sections 14011 and 14012 of the  
2 Water Code, the Department of Water Resources may make grants  
3 from the California Safe Drinking Water Fund in accordance with  
4 the California Safe Drinking Water Bond Law of 1988 (Chapter  
5 16 (commencing with Section 14000) of Division 7 of the Water  
6 Code) to the following entities in the following accounts for the  
7 purpose of financing domestic water system improvement projects  
8 to meet state and federal drinking water standards:

9 (1) The Weaver Union School District in Merced County in the  
10 amount of sixty-five thousand dollars (\$65,000).

11 (2) The La Honda Elementary School District in San Mateo  
12 County in the amount of three hundred sixty thousand dollars  
13 (\$360,000).

14 (3) The Spring Valley School District in Butte County in the  
15 amount of four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000).

16 (4) The Mountain Union School District in Shasta County in  
17 the amount of three hundred seventy thousand dollars (\$370,000).

18 (b) The Department of Water Resources shall determine  
19 eligibility for any grant authorized in subdivision (a) in accordance  
20 with the California Safe Drinking Water Bond Law of 1988  
21 (Chapter 16 (commencing with Section 14000) of Division 7 of  
22 the Water Code), and may make those grants in accordance with  
23 that bond law.

24 SEC. 3. *This act is an urgency statute necessary for the*  
25 *immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety*  
26 *within the meaning of Article IV of the Constitution and shall go*  
27 *into immediate effect. The facts constituting the necessity are:*

28 *In order to remedy critical water problems, thereby protecting*  
29 *the public health and safety, it is necessary that this act take effect*  
30 *immediately.*

