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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2005—06 REGULAR SESSION

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 219**

**Introduced by Assembly Member Nakanishi**

February 3, 2005

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An act to amend Sections 14901 and 14910 of, ~~and to add Section 14914 to,~~ the Government Code, relating to state agencies.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 219, as amended, Nakanishi. State agencies: publications.

Existing law requires the State Printer to print specified numbers of copies of each state publication, as defined, for distribution to the State Archivist, State Library, and other specified libraries, and for making copies available upon request, and requires that 2 additional copies be printed and delivered to the State Archivist. Existing law requires all state departments, commissions, and other agencies to, upon request, supply information to the State Library in order for the State Library to issue a monthly or quarterly list of state publications issued during the immediately preceding month or quarter, as specified.

This bill would require all state departments, commissions, or other agencies to submit an electronic copy of each publication issued to the State Library. It would require the State Library to create and maintain a Web site that includes a monthly or quarterly list of each state publication issued during the immediately preceding month or quarter and that provides access to an electronic copy of each publication. ~~It would provide that if a copy of a state publication is available on the~~

~~State Library Web site, it shall be deemed distributed in compliance with specified redistribution requirements.~~

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

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

1 SECTION 1. The Legislature hereby finds and declares all of  
2 the following:

3 (a) It is the intent of the Legislature that state agencies comply  
4 with the requirements of the State Records Management Act of  
5 1963 (Chapter 5 (commencing with Section 14740) of Part 5.5 of  
6 Division 3 of Title 2 of the Government Code).

7 (b) It is the further intent of the Legislature to make  
8 recordkeeping and reporting by state agencies accurate, efficient,  
9 and cost effective.

10 (c) It is the further intent of the Legislature to reduce the  
11 amount of paper used by state agencies and to maximize the use  
12 of electronic communications in the transmittal of information  
13 from state agencies and departments to the Legislature.

14 SEC. 2. Section 14901 of the Government Code is amended  
15 to read:

16 14901. (a) To the end that the policy specified in Section  
17 14900 may be effectively carried out, the State Printer shall print  
18 a sufficient number of copies of each state publication as  
19 determined by the State Librarian in accordance with this section  
20 and Sections 14903, 14904, 14905.1, and 14907, not to exceed  
21 ~~three hundred fifty (350)~~ 350, unless the Department of General  
22 Services with the advice of the State Librarian determines that a  
23 greater number is necessary in order to meet the requirements for  
24 deposit in a “library stockroom” (to be maintained by the State  
25 Printer for that purpose) for distribution to libraries as hereinafter  
26 provided, except that of legislative bills, daily journals, and daily  
27 or weekly histories, not more than ~~one hundred fifty (150) copies~~  
28 ~~shall be printed for such~~ *150 copies shall be printed for that*  
29 deposit and distribution, and of publications not printed by the  
30 State Printer, the department, commission, or other agency  
31 concerned shall ~~print one hundred (100) copies for such~~  
32 ~~distribution.~~ *print 100 copies for that distribution.*

1 (b) An additional two ~~(2)~~ copies of each state publication as  
 2 selected by the State Archivist shall be printed and delivered to  
 3 the State Archivist by the State Printer or the department,  
 4 commission, or other agency concerned, and all remaining copies  
 5 in excess of two ~~(2)~~ copies heretofore received shall be  
 6 distributed to interested parties without charge or destroyed. The  
 7 cost of printing, publishing, and distributing such copies shall be  
 8 fixed and charged pursuant to Section 14866.

9 SEC. 3. Section 14910 of the Government Code is amended  
 10 to read:

11 14910. (a) To facilitate the distribution of state publications,  
 12 the State Library shall create and maintain a Web site that  
 13 includes, on a monthly or quarterly basis, a complete list of state  
 14 publications issued during the immediately preceding month or  
 15 quarter, which shall be cumulated and printed at the end of each  
 16 calendar year. All state departments, commissions, and other  
 17 agencies shall submit an electronic copy of each publication they  
 18 issue to the State Library for the preparation of the monthly or  
 19 quarterly lists and the annual cumulative lists.

20 (b) The State Library Web site shall provide access to an  
 21 electronic copy of each publication on its lists.

22 (c) The State Library shall retain in its permanent records a  
 23 copy, either printed or in electronic format, of each publication  
 24 on its lists, and shall make copies available in a manner  
 25 determined by the ~~Library of California Board~~ *State Librarian*.

26 ~~SEC. 4. Section 14914 is added to the Government Code, to~~  
 27 ~~read:~~

28 ~~14914. A publication shall be deemed distributed, as required~~  
 29 ~~by subdivision (a) of Section 14901 and Sections 14903, 14904,~~  
 30 ~~and 14905 if a copy of the publication is accessible on the State~~  
 31 ~~Library Web site.~~