

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 1419

Introduced by Assembly Member Anderson

February 23, 2007

An act to amend Section 8543 of the Government Code, relating to the Bureau of State Audits.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1419, as introduced, Anderson. Bureau of State Audits: transfer to the Controller.

Existing law established the Bureau of State Audits under the direction of the Milton Marks "Little Hoover" Commission on California State Government Organization and Economy in order to perform state audits independent of the executive branch and legislative control.

This bill would transfer the bureau from under the direction of the "Little Hoover" Commission to the Controller.

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. Section 8543 of the Government Code is amended
2 to read:
3 8543. There is hereby created in state government the Bureau
4 of State Audits under the direction of ~~the Milton Marks "Little~~
5 ~~Hoover" Commission on California State Government Organization~~
6 ~~and Economy~~ *the Controller*. In order to be free of organizational

- 1 impairments to independence, the bureau shall be independent of
- 2 ~~the executive branch~~ and legislative control.

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