

**Introduced by Senator Ducheny**

February 21, 2007

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An act to add Section 5006.15 to the Public Resources Code, relating to parks.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 421, as introduced, Ducheny. Department of Parks and Recreation: acquisition of property.

Existing law authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation, with the consent of the Department of Finance, to acquire title to or any interest in real property, that the department deems necessary or proper for the extension, improvement, or development of the state park system.

This bill would authorize the department to acquire, by donation or purchase, real property that is subject to a conservation easement, deed restriction, or other limitation, if the director of the department determines that the conservation easement, deed restriction, or other limitation is consistent with and promotes the purposes for which the property is to be acquired.

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 5006.15 is added to the Public Resources
- 2 Code, to read:
- 3 5006.15. The department may acquire real property by donation
- 4 or purchase that is subject to a conservation easement, deed
- 5 restriction, or other limitation, if the director determines that the
- 6 conservation easement, deed restriction, or other limitation is

- 1 consistent with and promotes the purposes for which the property
- 2 is to be acquired.

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