

Senate Bill No. 1641

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Secretary of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the Assembly

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Private Secretary of the Governor

CHAPTER _____

An act to repeal and add Section 15653 of the Government Code, and to add Section 19534 to the Revenue and Taxation Code, relating to taxation.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1641, Oropeza. State Board of Equalization and Franchise Tax Board reports.

Existing law requires the State Board of Equalization and the Franchise Tax Board to make specified reports.

This bill would authorize those boards to make those reports in electronic format, as provided.

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

SECTION 1. Section 15653 of the Government Code is repealed.

SEC. 2. Section 15653 is added to the Government Code, to read:

15653. (a) The State Board of Equalization may submit any report required by law, including any report required under Sections 15616, 15624, and 15646, Section 25178.1 of the Health and Safety Code, and Section 30166.1 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, in electronic format, including the submission of an electronic link to the State Board of Equalization's public Web site where the report can be downloaded.

(b) For purposes of this section, any report submitted in an electronic format shall be posted on the State Board of Equalization's public Web site for a period of three years following the due date of the report, and thereafter a copy shall be retained in an electronic format in that agency's permanent records. This subdivision shall apply only to those reports submitted in an electronic format.

SEC. 3. Section 19534 is added to the Revenue and Taxation Code, to read:

19534. (a) The Franchise Tax Board may submit any report required by law to be submitted to the Legislature, including any

report required under Sections 19522 and 21006, and Section 7085.5 of the Government Code, in electronic format, including the submission of an electronic link to the Franchise Tax Board's public Web site where the report can be downloaded.

(b) For purposes of this section, any report submitted in an electronic format shall be posted on the Franchise Tax Board's public Web site for a period of three years following the due date of the report, and thereafter a copy shall be retained in an electronic format in that agency's permanent records. This subdivision shall apply only to those reports submitted in an electronic format.

Approved _____, 2008

Governor