

Introduced by Senator Huff

February 19, 2010

An act to amend Section 2701 of the Public Utilities Code, relating to water.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1339, as introduced, Huff. Water.

Existing law provides that any person, firm, or corporation, and their lessees, trustees, or receivers, who sell, lease, rent, or deliver water to any person, firm, corporation, municipality, or any other political subdivision of the state, whether under contract or otherwise, is a public utility, and is subject to the provisions of the Public Utilities Act and to the jurisdiction, control, and regulation of the Public Utilities Commission, except as specified.

This bill would make technical, nonsubstantive changes to this provision.

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

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 2701 of the Public Utilities Code is
- 2 amended to read:
- 3 2701. Any person, firm, or corporation, their lessees, trustees,
- 4 receivers or trustees appointed by any court ~~whatsoever~~, owning,
- 5 controlling, operating, or managing any water system within this
- 6 ~~State~~ *state*, who sells, leases, rents, or delivers water to any person,
- 7 firm, corporation, municipality, or any other political subdivision
- 8 of the ~~State~~ *state*, whether under contract or otherwise, is a public

1 utility, and is subject to the provisions of Part 1 (*commencing with*
2 *Section 201*) of Division 1 and to the jurisdiction, control, and
3 regulation of the commission, except as otherwise provided in this
4 chapter.

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