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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2013–14 REGULAR SESSION

## ASSEMBLY BILL

**No. 142**

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**Introduced by Assembly Member Perea**

January 17, 2013

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*An act to add Division 26.8 (commencing with Section 79850) to the Water Code, relating to the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012.*

### LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 142, as amended, Perea. Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012.

Existing law creates the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012, which, if approved by the voters, would authorize the issuance of bonds in the amount of \$11,140,000,000 pursuant to the State General Obligation Bond Law to finance a safe drinking water and water supply reliability program. Existing law provides for the submission of the bond act to the voters at the November 4, 2014, statewide general election.

~~This bill would state the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation to amend the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012.~~

*This bill would require a state department that expends moneys in grants or other expenditures from the bond act to provide information to the Treasurer within a specified time period including the total amount of moneys spent on each project or program, the specific location of the project, and a detailed description of the project. This bill would further require the Treasurer to post this information on its Internet Web site, as specified.*

*This bill would take effect only if the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012 is approved by the voters.*

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

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

1     *SECTION 1. Division 26.8 (commencing with Section 79850)*  
2     *is added to the Water Code, to read:*

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4     *DIVISION 26.8. IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SAFE, CLEAN,*  
5     *AND RELIABLE DRINKING WATER SUPPLY ACT OF 2012*

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7     79850. (a) No later than 60 days after a state department has  
8     expended moneys in grants or other expenditures pursuant to  
9     Division 26.7 (commencing with Section 79700), that state  
10    department shall submit to the Treasurer all of the following  
11    information:

12    (1) The total dollar amount of moneys awarded or expended  
13    each project or program.

14    (2) The specific location of the project or program.

15    (3) A detailed description of the project or program.

16    (b) The Treasurer shall post and update at least every six  
17    months, all of the information provided pursuant to subdivision  
18    (a) on the Treasurer's Internet Web site in a manner accessible  
19    to the general public.

20    SEC. 2. This act shall take effect only if the Safe, Clean, and  
21    Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of 2012 is approved by the  
22    voters.

23    ~~SECTION 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to review the~~  
24    ~~amount of bonds that would be authorized to be issued pursuant~~  
25    ~~to the Safe, Clean, and Reliable Drinking Water Supply Act of~~  
26    ~~2012 and to enact legislation to amend that act.~~