

AMENDED IN SENATE JULY 2, 2015

**SENATE BILL**

**No. 113**

---

**Introduced by Senator Galgiani**

January 13, 2015

---

An act to ~~repeal Section 5096.828 of the Public Resources Code,~~ relating to disaster preparedness and flood ~~prevention.~~ *prevention, and declaring the urgency thereof, to take effect immediately.*

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 113, as amended, Galgiani. Disaster Preparedness and Flood Prevention Bond Act of 2006.

The Disaster Preparedness and Flood Prevention Bond Act of 2006 authorizes bonds in the amount of \$4,090,000,000 for the purposes of financing disaster preparedness and flood prevention ~~projects. Funds provided by the act are only available for appropriation until July 1, 2016, and at that time the amount of indebtedness authorized by the act is reduced by the amount of funds that have not been appropriated.~~ *projects and makes \$3,000,000,000 available, upon appropriation to the Department of Water Resources, for the evaluation, repair, rehabilitation, reconstruction, or replacement of levees, weirs, bypasses, and facilities of the State Plan of Flood Control, for improving or adding facilities to the State Plan of Flood Control to increase levels of flood protection in urban areas, and to reduce the risk of levee failure in the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta. The Budget Act of 2015 appropriates \$300,000,000 to the Department of Water Resources for these and other specified flood protection-related activities.*

~~This bill would remove the restriction that the funds are available for appropriation only until July 1, 2016.~~

*This bill would make available, of the moneys appropriated to the department by the Budget Act of 2015, \$110,000,000 for the upgrade of the levee system of Reclamation District No. 17 to provide urban level of flood protection.*

*This bill would make legislative findings and declarations as to the necessity of a special statute for Reclamation District No. 17.*

*This bill would declare that it is to take effect immediately as an urgency statute.*

Vote: ~~majority~~<sup>2/3</sup>. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.  
State-mandated local program: no.

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

1     *SECTION 1. Of the moneys appropriated to the Department*  
2     *of Water Resources for capital outlay under Item 3860-301-6052*  
3     *of the Budget Act of 2015, one hundred ten million dollars*  
4     *(\$110,000,000) shall be available for the upgrade of the levee*  
5     *system of Reclamation District No. 17, consistent with Section*  
6     *5096.821 of the Public Resources Code, to provide urban level of*  
7     *flood protection.*

8     *SEC. 2. The Legislature finds and declares that a special law*  
9     *is necessary and that a general law cannot be made applicable*  
10    *within the meaning of Section 16 of Article IV of the California*  
11    *Constitution because of the necessity for economic development*  
12    *to occur in one of the most struggling areas of California.*

13    *SEC. 3. This act is an urgency statute necessary for the*  
14    *immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety within*  
15    *the meaning of Article IV of the Constitution and shall go into*  
16    *immediate effect. The facts constituting the necessity are:*

17    *In order to ensure the protection and safety of the public who*  
18    *live in the flood plain of Reclamation District No. 17, it is necessary*  
19    *for this act to take immediate effect.*

20    ~~SECTION 1. Section 5096.828 of the Public Resources Code~~  
21    ~~is repealed.~~