

Introduced by Senator Gaines

February 5, 2015

An act to amend Section 38564 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to greenhouse gas emissions.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 167, as introduced, Gaines. California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006.

The California Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 designates the State Air Resources Board as the state agency charged with monitoring and regulating sources of emissions of greenhouse gases. The state board is required to adopt a statewide greenhouse gas emissions limit equivalent to the statewide greenhouse gas emissions level in 1990 to be achieved by 2020, and to adopt rules and regulations in an open public process to achieve the maximum technologically feasible and cost-effective greenhouse gas emission reductions.

Existing law requires the state board to consult with other states, the federal government, and other nations to identify the most effective strategies and methods to reduce greenhouse gases, manage greenhouse gas control programs, and facilitate the development of integrated and cost-effective regional, national, and international greenhouse gas reduction programs.

This bill would make nonsubstantive changes to these provisions.

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 38564 of the Health and Safety Code is
2 amended to read:
3 38564. The state board shall consult with other states, ~~and~~ the
4 federal government, and other nations to identify the most effective
5 strategies and methods to reduce greenhouse gases, manage
6 greenhouse gas control programs, ~~and to~~ facilitate the development
7 of integrated and cost-effective regional, national, and international
8 greenhouse gas reduction programs.

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