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SENATE BILL

No. 37

Introduced by Senator Strickland

December 18, 2008

An act to amend Section 19849.7 of the Government Code, relating to public employees.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 37, as amended, Strickland. State employees: statement of deductions.

Existing law requires each state agency, at the time of each payment of salary or wages, to furnish each employee, at his or her discretion, an itemized statement in writing or electronically showing all deductions made from his or her salary or wages as required by specified provisions of law.

This bill would require that the itemized statement described above be provided ~~to each employee electronically~~ *to each employee who has authorized the direct deposit by electronic fund transfer of his or her salary or wages, as specified*, unless the employee has requested, in writing, to receive a paper version of the statement.

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

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

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 19849.7 of the Government Code is
- 2 amended to read:

1 19849.7. (a) Each state agency shall at the time of each
2 payment of salary or wages, whether by direct deposit by electronic
3 fund transfer pursuant to Sections 12480 and 12481 or otherwise,
4 furnish each employee an itemized statement showing all
5 deductions made from his or her salary or wages as required by
6 Section 226 of the Labor Code.

7 (b) The itemized statement described in subdivision (a) shall
8 be provided to each employee electronically ~~electronically~~ *electronically to each*
9 *employee who has authorized the direct deposit by electronic fund*
10 *transfer of his or her salary or wages pursuant to Section 12480,*
11 unless the employee has requested, in writing, to receive a paper
12 version of the statement.

13 (c) The provision of an electronic statement of itemized
14 deductions pursuant to this section shall be contingent upon the
15 funding and implementation of the Controller's "21st Century
16 Project," and provided only to the extent that the project enables
17 the Controller to provide this information electronically.