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RELEASE: Immediate

#385

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of Mrs. Stanley E. Semas, Auburn horse breeder, to fill an unexpired term on the board of the 20th District Agricultural Association (Auburn District Fair).

Mrs. Semas succeeds Alexander V. Gomez of Loomis, who has resigned. His term ends on January 15, 1972.

Active in horsemen's and livestock groups, Mrs. Semas is a member of the Tahoe Cattlemen's Association, the American Quarter Horse Association and the Placer County Farm Bureau.

She and her husband operate a cattle and horse ranch and a ranch supply business. They live at Route 1, Box 1257, Auburn.
Mrs. Semas is a Republican.

Board members receive necessary expenses.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the re-appointment of Peter G. Ohm of Stockton and the appointments of Alfred S. Anderson of Stockton and Ellsworth S. Beckman of Lodi, to four-year-terms on the Second District Agricultural Association (San Joaquin County Fair) board.

Ohm, a farmer, of 3400 West Howard Road, Stockton, has served on the board since 1954.

Anderson, a bank vice president and Stockton civic leader, succeeds Skipper K. Yee of Stockton, whose term has expired. Anderson lives at 7232 Woodside Drive, Stockton.

Beckman, a farmer active in community and agricultural affairs, succeeds Sherwood W. Beckman of Lodi, whose term has expired. The new appointee lives at 7868 East Highway 12, Lodi.

All three men are Republicans.

Board members are paid necessary expenses.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

Governor Ronald Reagan will receive the California Press Photographers Association "In-Focus Award" in his office this afternoon following the 1:30 press conference.

Press coverage is invited.

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WAS

Governor Ronald Reagan today issued the following statement:

"I would like to begin today's press conference by reiterating this administration's concern over the federal policy of withholding highway trust fund monies from California and other states. I say reiterating because we have been on record for some time regarding the policy of withholding federal highway funds in violation of the trust fund agreement

"This money is collected from highway users throughout the nation to build better and safer highways---with particular emphasis on construction and completion of the federal interstate freeway system.

"Although Congress has authorized the spending of approximately \$5.5 billion nationally during the current fiscal year, there are strong indications that the U.S. Department of Transportation plans to distribute substantially less than this amount.

"Our concerns that this might happen were, in fact, borne out when California's allocation for the first quarter of this year was only \$84 million---down \$19 million from the same period last year which, itself, was \$20 million less than the trust fund could have supported.

"Congress never intended that this money be held up or diverted. On the contrary, the fund was specifically established to assure that the federal highway program would be placed on a firm financial footing---completely supported by the nation's highway users, a sizeable number of whom live in California.

"If the funds that are now available were distributed to the states in an orderly manner, California could get an additional \$200 million in construction projects under way this year.

"Obviously, this would assist us tremendously in our efforts to work toward completion of the interstate system while, at the same time, further improving the safety of our highways and freeways. As a general rule, for every mile of conventional highway which is converted to freeway, another life is saved each year.

"If this were the sole reason to speed up construction of the system, it would surely be worth it---for saving lives should be one of our very highest priorities.

"However, there is yet another benefit which could mean a great deal to all who are working to improve California's economy.

"A substantial number of California construction workers are now unemployed and the additional \$200 million in federal monies---paid into the fund by the people of California---would provide employment for about 15,000 workers.

"A year ago, when President Nixon asked all levels of government to make voluntary cutbacks in construction to fight inflation, this administration responded immediately by pledging its full support until the danger had subsided.

"Today, in a letter to the president, I have strongly urged that California be allocated its portion of the trust fund monies so that we can move ahead swiftly---not only to build better and safer highways, but also to give our state economy a strong shot in the arm."

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#388

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of King Karpen, president of an Alhambra bedding company, and the re-appointment of Leonard Barban, vice president of a Los Angeles furniture company, to four-year-terms on the California Advisory Board of Furniture and Bedding in the Department of Professional and Vocational Standards.

Karpen, who lives at 955 Winston Avenue, San Marino succeeds Milton M. Goldberg of San Carlos, whose term has expired. A Republican, Karpen will represent upholstered furniture manufacturers on the board.

Barban, a Democrat, has served on the board since 1966. He represents retailers. He lives at 11986 Foxboro Drive, Los Angeles.

Board members are paid \$25 per diem while on official duty.

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WAS

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bills have been signed:

AB 28 - Belotti (Chapter 558)	Requires the Department of Fish and Game to notify the board of supervisors of specified counties when a request is made for a depredation antlerless deer hunt and requires the board of supervisors to notify the Fish and Game Commission within 30 days after receipt of such notice of its recommendation regarding such proposed hunt.
AB 295 - Priolo (Chapter 559)	Changes the deadline for filing declaration as a write-in candidate from the fifth to the eighth day prior to the election.
AB 411 - Dunlap (Chapter 560)	Authorizes local school districts to provide basic reading instruction under the Miller-Unruh Act for students in kindergarten. The bill becomes effective on July 1, 1971.
AB 495 - Veysey (Chapter 561)	Provides that the Cotton Abatement District Act shall remain in effect until February 1, 1975. The bill also provides that the required payment of a fee for each bale of cotton and the appointment of a Cotton Pest Control Board, which is effective until February 1, 1971, be extended to February 1, 1975.
AB 784 - Belotti (Chapter 549)	Provides that no privilege tax is applicable to fish imported into California from another state or country and which are for human consumption and are not thereafter canned or cooked.
AB 886 - Moorhead (Chapter 562)	Provides that automatic review of bail with respect to the person detained because he cannot post it, may be waived by the defendant.
AB 1209 - Roberti (Chapter 563)	Permits a defendant named in a complaint, or cross-complaint, in inter-pleader to file an answer setting out the basis for his claim and any affirmative defenses in lieu of, or in addition to, other pleadings. The answer shall contain allegations of fact as to ownership of, or other interests in, the amount of the property in the affirmative defenses and the relief requested.
AB 1217 - Cory (Chapter 550)	Makes nonsubstantive amendments to the Education Code.
AB 1219 - MacDonald (Chapter 564)	Eliminates the Coordinating Council on State Program for the Blind. The Council consists of the Director of Education, Rehabilitation, Social Welfare, and Public Health.
AB 1400 - Ryan (Chapter 565)	Permits a city to act by resolution as well as by charter or ordinance to provide that city offices shall not be closed on enumerated state holidays.
AB 1431 - Moorhead (Chapter 566)	Provides that if a public guardian is the duly designated officer providing conservatorship investigation and is granted temporary letters of conservatorship, his official oath and bond as public guardian are in lieu of any other bond or oath. The bill also provides that if a public guardian is appointed conservator, his official bond and oath as public guardian are in lieu of the conservator's bond and oath on the grant of letters of conservatorship.

- AB 1432 - Moorhead
(Chapter 567) Provides for the issuance of letters of guardianship or conservatorship to public guardians in the same manner as such letters are issued to other persons. The bill also provides that the public guardian's official bond and oath are in lieu of the guardian's or conservator's bond and oath upon grant of specified letters.
- AB 1524 - Powers
(Chapter 568) Provides that specified events such as marriage, dissolution of marriage and the birth of a child automatically terminate a prior revocable designation of beneficiaries under the Public Employees' Retirement System. The bill provides for payment to designated survivors in the event that there is no effective designation of beneficiary at the time of death.
- AB 1533 - Chappie
(Chapter 569) Provides that the State Board of Equalization or an assessor may disclose appraisal data to any assessee regarding his property, and that the Board may disclose any appraisal data to any assessor. The bill specifies that the information and records which an assessee may inspect shall include market data.
- AB 1591 - Hayes
(Chapter 551) Provides that salaries of judicial officers and employees who are exempt from civil service and whose salaries are fixed by a state court or judicial agency are subject to the approval of the Chairman of the Judicial Council instead of the Department of Finance. The bill also deletes the requirement that the clerk of the Supreme Court serve as secretary of the Judicial Council.
- AB 1644 - Moorhead
(Chapter 570) Provides that a person who has been temporarily released from a State prison facility for purposes of employment, education, or medical treatment or research and who has willfully failed to return to custody shall be punished as an escapee.
- AB 1718 - Wilson
(Chapter 571) Permits formation of area housing councils composed of cities and counties. It requires such councils to develop area housing plans. The bill also permits area housing councils to require payment of a limited surcharge on building permits issued by member cities and counties, to be returned to member cities and counties which adopt and implement area housing plan as a housing element of their general plan.
- AB 1791 - Moretti
(Chapter 572) Revises the Insurance Code provisions relating to membership and composition of the governing committee of the California Riot and Civil Disorders Insurance Association. The bill requires the state to make annual premium payments for a specified period of time to the Association for its assuming the obligation of the state under the National Housing Act.
- AB 1798 - Ryan
(Chapter 577) Authorizes cities to require or provide for the preventive abatement of weeds, including prevention chemical control, where they may occur as a seasonal recurrent nuisance on specified parcels of property.
- AB 1850 - Beverly
(Chapter 573) Prescribes a procedure which a lender shall follow when he cancels an insurance policy when the insured has financed the premium and granted the lender a power of attorney to exercise the insured's option to cancel the policy.
- AB 1895 - McCarthy
(Chapter 552) Allows assessors to make escape assessment for all incorrectly allowed exemptions. The bill also requires that state reimbursements to local taxing agencies for revenue loss from incorrectly allowed exemptions, if not repaid, be deducted by the State Controller from the next reimbursement to such agencies.

AB 1943 - Russell
(Chapter 574)

Establishes a reserve for working capital in the General Fund in the amount of the difference between the gross surplus available for appropriation, determined by the Controller not counting such reserve, and cash in the General Fund in the treasury at the end of the fiscal year after adjustment for temporary loans under specified provisions. The bill also requires the Governor to use figures for reserve for working capital determined by the Controller for the past actual year, when submitting the budget.

AB 1980 - Bagley
(Chapter 575)

Provides that any person in the state instead of any citizen of the state has a right to access to public records. The bill specifies that declaratory or injunctive relief is available to enforce the right of inspection of public records. The bill also defines confidential records for purposes of prohibiting disclosure of certain records of the Division of Industrial Safety of the Department of Industrial Relations.

AB 2159 - Beverly
(Chapter 576)

Provides that cancellation of specified types of automobile insurance policies shall not be effective unless a notice of cancellation is mailed or delivered to the named insured within required time period.

AB 2165 - Burke
(Chapter 578)

Consolidates five elected marshals' offices of Orange County into one appointive position and provides for the continued employment of the present marshals.

AB 2183 - Veysey
(Chapter 553)

Provides that under specified conditions melons and vegetables in field bins or bulk may be shipped out of state for a distance of not exceeding 25 miles into adjoining states if a permit is obtained from the Director of Agriculture.

AB 2304 - Fong
(Chapter 554)

Makes several technical changes in the property tax laws. The bill corrects cross references, deletes obsolete language and renumbers some provisions of the Revenue and Taxation Code.

AB 2305 - Fong
(Chapter 555)

Provides that a person who certifies in writing that aircraft jet fuel purchased by him is not subject to the jet fuel tax and who later uses the fuel in a taxable manner shall be considered an aircraft jet fuel dealer selling such fuel and be liable for the tax. The bill permits the State Board of Equalization to issue written authorization to certain transit operators to purchase fuel subject to use fuel tax from a vendor without payment of the tax to the vendor.

AB 2398 - Hayes
(Chapter 556)

Provides that a patient may initiate proceedings to compel production of medical records if the custodian of such records refuses to make them available during business hours within five days after an authorized demand. The patient is entitled to all reasonable expenses, including attorney fees, incurred in any proceeding to compel production of medical records.

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#390

Governor Ronald Reagan today issued the following:

"There is something basic in the American character that makes him respond from the heart when others are struck by tragedy and disaster. We have done this throughout our history and we are doing it today.

"This week, disaster--in the form of a hurricane--struck the coast of Texas.

"More than 65,000 residents of this area are victims of this disaster in one way or another.

"As usual, the American Red Cross was on the scene almost immediately with aid. Today, the Red Cross is asking Californians to contribute \$700,000 to continue this aid. I ask all Californians to give generously through their local chapters to this relief program."

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WAS

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bills have been signed:

AB 294 - Priolo (Chapter 592)	Provides that in general law cities and counties where the election board provides for the ballots to be counted at a central counting place or places, the board or person who canvasses the returns may appoint not less than three deputies to open the envelopes or containers. The bill provides that if, after examination, any precinct returns are still incomplete, ambiguous, not properly authenticated, or otherwise defective, the board or person canvassing the returns may require the attendance of the precinct board members.
AB 541 - Dunlap (Chapter 593)	Eliminates six-month limitation on the disclosure of a certain mental patient's records by his physician after completion of the records.
AB 889 - MacDonald (Chapter 606)	Permits a statement of partnership to state the name and date of withdrawal of a partner and that the partnership was not dissolved by such withdrawal. The bill provides that such information shall be conclusively presumed to be true in favor of bona fide purchaser for value of real property from the partnership, unless the partner or his personal representative files the specified statement.
AB 1373 - Greene, B. (Chapter 607)	Makes nonsubstantive amendments to the Public Resources Code.
AB 1484 - Foran (Chapter 608)	Requires the driver of any vehicle approaching a railroad grade crossing to stop not less than 15 feet, rather than 10 feet from the nearest rail.
AB 1611 - Greene, L. (Chapter 594)	Deletes architecture from the fields of graduate instruction over which the University of California has exclusive jurisdiction in public higher education.
AB 1686 - Roberti (Chapter 595)	Permits a school district governing board to require parent, guardian, or relative home and business addresses and phone numbers so that a school can contact someone in event of an emergency.
AB 1723 - Crandall (Chapter 596)	Makes the Vehicle Code provision prohibiting driving, parking, or stopping of vehicles or animals on designated public premises, unless in accordance with regulations established by the governing board or officer thereof, applicable to units of the state park system.
AB 2000 - Murphy (Chapter 609)	Provides that the signature, countersignature or attestation of a public officer or deputy on bonds or coupons or both is valid and sufficient even if the officer or deputy ceases to be officer or deputy before delivery of the bonds.
AB 2093 - Murphy (Chapter 610)	Makes technical amendments to the Government Code sections relating to county fire protection services.
AB 2260 - Stull (Chapter 598)	Permits bonds of a school district to be offered for sale as a group with bonds of other school districts in the county when authorized by the school district governing boards. The bill authorizes 7 percent maximum interest rate on the bonds.

AB 2307 - Fong
(Chapter 599)

Provides that in the eve the Governor declares a holiday, other than those specified in the law, and the schools close, though not at the direction of the Governor, such closing shall be deemed a closing for a holiday declared by the school district governing board. The bill also provides pay for school employees for such holidays, including any which occurred in the calendar year, 1969.

AB 2340 - Stacey
(Chapter 611)

Extends time for health facilities or institutions to comply with certain licensing provisions from July 1, 1970, to July 1, 1972.

AB 2351 - Collier
(Chapter 597)

Increases the types of libraries in which elementary textbooks may be displayed as a condition to adoption by the State Board of Education. The textbooks may be displayed in school and college libraries as well as in public libraries.

AB 2436 - Wilson
(Chapter 613)

Allows recordation of a certificate describing real property and any lien thereon claimed pursuant to law for the abatement of a nuisance upon such property.

AB 2346 - Knox
(Chapter 612)

Makes several technical amendments to the Corporate Securities Law of 1968.

SB 125 - Alquist
(Chapter 579)

Clarifies language authorizing employment by community colleges of teachers to be classified as temporary employees.

SB 179 - Mills &
Barnes
(Chapter 580)

Requires peace officers or employees of a humane society or animal shelter to take an injured cat or dog found in a public place to a veterinarian for a determination of whether the animal shall be immediately and humanely destroyed or shall be hospitalized under proper care and given emergency treatment. Funds for the treatment of injured animals will come from dog license fees. The cost of such treatment is to be repaid by the animal's owner.

SB 333 - Cologne
(Chapter 581)

Authorizes discovery and use of depositions in arbitration proceedings resulting from actions for injury to or death of person caused by the wrongful act or neglect of another. The bill limits such provisions to arbitration proceedings relative to such actions, unless the parties to arbitration agree otherwise.

SB 474 - Cologne
(Chapter 600)

Provides grounds on which the Secretary of State may refuse to appoint a person as a notary public or revoke or suspend the commission of a notary public: (1) false or misleading advertising wherein such person has represented that he has duties, rights and privileges that he does not possess by law; (2) his giving legal advice while not an active member of the State Bar; or (3) not being of good moral character.

SB 521 - Marler
(Chapter 601)

Authorizes boards of supervisors or a city council doing its own assessing to provide for the assessment or reassessment of property damaged or destroyed to the extent of more than \$1,000 by a major misfortune or calamity in an area or region subsequently declared by the Governor to be in a state of disaster and to base the taxes on such property on its value in the damaged or destroyed condition according to a prescribed procedure.

- SB 575 - Moscone
(Chapter 582) Provides that a cross-complaint may be dismissed if summons has not been served and return filed within three years after filing. The bill also provides that cross-complaints are subject to dismissal if not brought to trial within two years (discretionary) or within five years (mandatory) after filing.
- SB 577 - Moscone
(Chapter 614) Increases the fee for reporting testimony in contested cases in the superior courts from \$45 to \$55 per day. The bill increases the salaries of official reporters in Mendocino, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Francisco, Sonoma, and Stanislaus Counties. The bill also provides that official reporters of the Municipal Court of the El Cajon Judicial District shall be paid salary and per diem of reporters of the San Diego County Superior Court.
- SB 638 - Sherman
(Chapter 583) Allows county welfare departments and probation departments to institute a court action to declare a child free from the custody and control by parents.
- SB 752 - Danielson
(Chapter 584) Revises the California Uniform Gifts to Minors Act to include various changes in the 1965 Uniform Gifts to Minors Act.
- SB 756 - Danielson
(Chapter 585) Provides that service of process on a foreign corporation which has its right to do business in this state forfeited under the Bank and Corporation Tax Law may be effected in same manner as that of a foreign corporation whose right to do business has not been so forfeited.
- SB 817 - Dymally
(Chapter 586) Authorizes the State Board of Education to approve expenditures for language development and mathematics projects if specified priorities have been met.
- SB 849 - Cologne
(Chapter 602) Authorizes a party dissatisfied with costs claimed to move to tax costs in certain proceedings, or to retax costs in unlawful detainer proceedings, within 10 days, rather than five days.
- SB 863 - Grunsky
(Chapter 587) Allows a defendant reasonable time to answer a complaint after an order granting or denying a motion to transfer certain cause or proceeding has been appealed from and a stay granted, or has been subject to mandate, irrespective of whether such order was reversed by the appellate court.
- SB 919 - Danielson
(Chapter 588) Permits a person who meets specified requirements to take the examinations for a physician's and surgeon's certificate.
- SB 968 - Deukmejian
(Chapter 603) Permits a person who meets special qualifications to take the examination for an optometrist's license.
- SB 975 - Coombs
(Chapter 589) Establishes a bidding system for awarding construction contract for any public project over \$3,000 by a public leaseback corporation.
- SB 994 - Grunsky
(Chapter 590) Removes the limitation of 150 miles on the effectiveness of a subpoena duces tecum in those cases where the party requesting the production of records does not desire the personal attendance of the custodian; and the records are to be delivered by mail as provided in the Evidence Code.

SB 1023 - Coombs
(Chapter 604)

Provides for venue of actions by and against a local agency, as defined, in a manner similar to actions by and against a city or county.

SB 1212 - Moscone
(Chapter 591)

Provides that property distributed pursuant to court order or any payment properly made before notice of petition to file a late claim against an estate shall not be subject to such claim.

SB 1391 - Cologne
(Chapter 605)

Provides that the court shall not make an order authorizing leases for a period exceeding ten years if any heir, legatee, or devisee who has an interest in the property to be leased objects. Present law provides that the court shall not make the order if any person interested in the estate objects at the hearing.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today ordered the State Department of Corrections to cooperate in an immediate investigation by Marin County authorities into the slaying of a Superior Court Judge and the wounding of a Deputy District Attorney and others.

"I want to extend my deepest sympathies to the families of Judge Harold Haley, Deputy District Attorney Gary Thomas and others who were the innocent victims of this vicious attack. And I want to assure their families that a thorough investigation of this tragedy will be made immediately," the governor said.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

#393

GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE

August 10, 1970
through
August 16, 1970

Monday, August 10

No public appointments scheduled.

Overnight - Sacramento

Tuesday, August 11

10:00 a.m. PRESS CONFERENCE

Overnight - Sacramento

Wednesday, August 12

No public appointments scheduled.

Overnight - Sacramento

Thursday, August 13

No public appointments scheduled.

Overnight - Los Angeles

Friday, August 14

No public appointments scheduled.

Overnight - Los Angeles

Saturday, August 15

No public appointments scheduled.

Overnight - Los Angeles

Sunday, August 16

No public appointments scheduled.

Overnight - Sacramento

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RELEASE: Immediate

#394

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of
San Mateo Municipal Court Judge G. Brooks Ice to the San Mateo County
Superior Court bench to succeed the late Judge Conrad B. Reisch.

Judge Ice, 59, began the study of law after World War II service with the Army, in his off-duty hours while he served as an officer of the California Highway Patrol.

He holds degrees from the University of California's Hastings College of Law and from San Jose State College. He also attended Colorado Agricultural College and the Stanford University Graduate School of Education.

In 1952, he was appointed a Deputy District Attorney of San Mateo County and four years later became a partner in a San Mateo County law firm. He was appointed to the Central Judicial District Municipal Court in 1968.

Active in numerous civic and fraternal groups, he has served as a member of the Panel of Hearing Officers of the American Arbitration Association, as an Associate Government Appeal Agent for Selective Service and as a member of the Board of Governors of the Hastings College of Law Alumni Association.

He will receive an annual salary of \$31,816

Judge Ice and his wife Mary live in Hillsborough.

He is a Republican.

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WAS

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bills have been signed:

- AB 289 - Johnson, H. Increases from 15 to 20 years from the date of discharge the period within which an applicant for a "Cal Vet" farm and home purchase loan may file an application.
- AB 561 - Britschgi Provides that an "entrance examination" for the purpose of granting veterans preference in certain state civil service examinations is any open competitive examination other than one for a classification having a requirement of both college graduation and two or more years of experience.
- AB 619 - Schabarum Provides that specified penalty provisions pertaining to kindergarten class size standards and specified restrictive provisions pertaining to instructional aides are not applicable to an experimental kindergarten program which has been approved by the Superintendent of Public Instruction.
- AB 768 - Stull Requires that 6 percent interest be paid on certain property tax refunds paid as a result of a reduction in assessed value by a board of equalization or by a court action to recover taxes.
- AB 831 - Knox Provides that elections of local hospital districts be conducted pursuant to Uniform District Election Law. The bill substitutes the appropriate voluntary area health planning agency for the State Department of Public Health as the agency whose findings regarding need for hospital beds in a hospital service area must be filed with the supervising authority prior to a hearing on a petition to form a hospital district. The bill set rules governing the expiration of board member terms. It requires district boards to establish capital outlay fund before tax revenues can be used for capital improvements.
- AB 1018 - Dent Adds "STP", its salts and derivatives to the restricted dangerous drugs category.
- AB 1103 - Brown Amends the Welfare and Institutions Code relating to the appointment of counsel for minors in juvenile court hearings and provides that the court shall appoint counsel unless there is an intelligent waiver to the right of counsel and provides that the parent or guardian shall pay for counsel if they have the ability to do so.
- AB 1129 - Bee Authorizes the Superintendent of Public Instruction to exempt from class size penalties pilot programs of team instruction in reading conducted in an elementary school within a unified school district. The bill requires the school district to submit a progress report on pupils participating in the program. The State Board of Education is required to review the program annually.
- AB 1356 - Belotti Amends the Milk Stabilization Law to establish a procedure for the filing of briefs after a public hearing on milk prices.
- AB 1357 - Belotti Amends the Milk Stabilization Law to require the Director of Agriculture to provide on request a written statement of the basis for the minimum price for fluid milk which are established after a price hearing.

- AB 1393 - Dent
(Chapter 639) Excludes the amount of interest to maturity on outstanding bonds of an acquired school district in determining bonding capacity of the acquiring school district for purposes of the School Building Aid Law.
- AB 1666 - McCarthy
(Chapter 640) Increases from \$500 to \$1,000 the amount of the liability that may be imputed to a parent for injury or damage suffered on account of the wilful misconduct of their minor child.
- AB 1754 - Briggs
(Chapter 629) Includes sanitary sewer facilities within provisions of the Subdivision Map Act relating to construction and financing of storm sewers, drains, and other facilities.
- AB 1800 - McCarthy
(Chapter 630) Extends the period from one to two years during which a taxpayer under the Personal Income Tax Law may replace involuntarily converted property and have the gain thereon recognized only to a limited extent.
- AB 1801 - McCarthy
(Chapter 641) Extends the period from one to two years during which a taxpayer under the Bank and Corporation Tax Law may replace involuntarily converted property and have the gain thereon recognized only to a limited extent.
- AB 2077 - Knox
(Chapter 642) Increases the maximum tax rate from 5 cents to 10 cents per \$100 of assessed value that any regional park district may levy on all real and personal property within the district to carry out any of its objects or purposes and to pay its obligations. The bill eliminates the provision allowing such districts to levy an additional tax rate of 5 cents per \$100 for fiscal years 1969-70 through 1974-75 for general purposes.
- AB 2107 - Townsend
(Chapter 643) Amends the Chiropractic Initiative Act to augment the authority of the Board of Chiropractic Examiners to adopt regulations and take disciplinary action.
- AB 2205 - Stacey
(Chapter 644) Eliminates the Health and Safety Code provision conditioning continuation of the Emergency Medical Care Services Program on the receipt of federal funds.
- AB 2250 - Quimby
(Chapter 631) Permits wineries with bona fide public eating places to sell brandy as well as wine to consumers for consumption on the premises and also to use wine and brandy in the preparation of food and beverages to be consumed on the premises.
- AB 2298 - Wilson
(Chapter 645) Expands the definition of "improvement," for purposes of the Park and Playground Act of 1909, to include urban open space lands.
- AB 2364 Waxman
(Chapter 632) Requires the voter's pamphlet to bear a statement that it does not list all candidates (if true), that the statements of qualifications therein are volunteered by the candidates, and that such statements are printed at the candidate's expense (if true).
- AB 2441 - Moretti
(Chapter 633) Redefines "insurer" for purposes of basic property insurance inspection and placement plan provisions. The bill provides that inability to obtain basic property insurance after diligent effort through normal channels may be shown in a specified manner. The bill also expands nonvoting membership of governing committee of industry placement facility in plan to include one representative of surplus line brokers.

- AB 2465 - Sieroty
(Chapter 634) Deletes from the California freeway and expressway system a 2.1 mile portion of Route 1 from Route 90 to Dewey Street in Santa Monica.
- AB 2525-Britschgi
(Chapter 646) Authorizes a county to expend funds collected under a former local vehicle license fee for rapid transit purposes.
- SB 98 - Grunsky
(Chapter 618) Revises the law relating to fictitious business names.
- SB 223 - Dymally
(Chapter 635) Broadens the exemption of offices of physicians, dentists or chiropodists from licensure as a clinic or dispensary to include the leasing of the clinic or office premises.
- SB 460 - Sherman
(Chapter 619) Specifies that, in a county having three or more municipal courts, the judges of those courts shall elect two, rather than one, of their members to serve as trustees on the county law library board. The bill requires the board of supervisors to appoint as many additional trustees as may be necessary for a seven-member board in a county where there are three or more municipal courts.
- SB 547 - Moscone
(Chapter 621) Provides that upon filing of the first notice of motion for a new trial by a party, each other party served with such notice shall have 15 days from the date of service within which to file and serve his own notice of motion for a new trial.
- SB 560 - Sherman
(Chapter 620) Defines U-turns and substitutes U-turn for language in various Vehicle Code sections prohibiting certain vehicle turns.
- SB 956 - Stevens
(Chapter 622) Extends from January 1, to June 1, 1970, the date by which documents relating to certain simultaneous city and school district boundary changes must be filed with state and local agencies for assessment and tax purposes during the 1970-71 fiscal year. The bill also provides for an extension to June 30, 1970, for certain detachments of territory from recreation and park districts.
- SB 969 - Coombs
(Chapter 616) Amends the Improvement Act of 1911 to require a local legislative body to give notice and call a hearing if the lowest responsible bid is 15 percent more than the engineer's estimate of cost. Present law permits a legislative body to give such notice and call a hearing if the lowest bid is 10 percent more than the engineer's estimate of costs.
- SB 1421 - Whetmore
(Chapter 615) Moves back, by 14 days, various dates preceding the printing of ballots for an election. The bill provides that an initiative measure may not be placed on a statewide special election ballot if it qualifies less than 131 days before the election. The bill also prohibits certain candidates from using their primary election ballot designation at the general election.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today signed legislation he proposed earlier this year which---for the first time in California history---establishes uniform sanitation and health requirements for all grocery stores and retail food outlets in the state.

The bill (AB-323, Townsend and Horn)---a key element in the governor's 1970 consumer protection legislative program---is the fourth of six major pieces of legislation proposed by the governor this year which he has enacted into law. The three bills which he has already signed will:

--Strengthen the state's ability to protect the insurance buying public by preventing property insurers from summarily cancelling fire, homeowner and personal property insurance policies without good cause (AB-165), Beverly).

--Assure that information obtained from clients in the preparation of state and federal income tax returns is maintained in the strictest confidence (SB-485, Marks).

--Permit the adoption of high safety standards for all tires used on motor vehicles in the state (AB-733, Lewis).

The two remaining pieces of legislation would:

--Combat misleading and deceptive practices of those in the franchise industry whose activities reflect unfairly on the rest of the industry (SB-647, Bradley).

--And, guarantee that the accounts of small investors in financially troubled industrial loan companies be protected from loss (SB-1290, Sherman).

Governor Reagan said AB-323 "will, for the first time in California history, establish uniform sanitation and health standards for grocery stores and retail food outlets throughout the state---with particular emphasis on perishable foods---thus, protecting virtually every citizen, young or old, who has occasion to make such food purchases."

He called the new law "a major step in the state's efforts to assure that the food we buy in such stores as these meets adequate standards of cleanliness and purity."

The new uniform regulations---which will be enforced by local health departments---replace a hodgepodge of sanitation requirements which have varied from county to county. Some smaller counties in the state have had little or no sanitation standards governing retail food distribution, up to now.

The State Department of Public Health will function as both a coordinator and consultant to local health departments in the enforcement of the new law.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of
Torrance Municipal Judge Auten F. Bush to the Los Angeles County
Superior Court bench. He succeeds Judge Lloyd Davis, who has retired.

Judge Bush, 59, was appointed to the South Bay Judicial District Municipal Court at Torrance by Governor Ronald Reagan in 1967. As a Superior Court Judge, he will receive an annual salary of \$31,816.

He had previously served as City Attorney of the cities of El Segundo, Palos Verdes Estates, Hermosa Beach and Avalon; and as City Prosecutor of Palos Verdes Estates and Hermosa Beach. He was also a Deputy City Attorney of Redondo Beach.

He is a past president of the Inglewood-South Bay Bar Association the South Bay Hospital District and has been active in other civic and legal groups.

A graduate of the University of Oregon, Judge Bush earned his law degree at the University of California's Hastings College of Law.

He and his wife Ellen have three children. The family home is in ^{Manhattan} ~~Hermosa~~ Beach.

Judge Bush is a Republican.

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#398

Governor Ronald Reagan today stepped up California's battle against smog by signing into law a precedent-setting bill which will impose stiff fines---up to \$6,000 per day---on individuals, companies, or state and local public agencies which violate cease-and-desist orders issued by local air pollution control districts or the State Air Resources Board.

The governor said "the stringent new law (AB-88, Schabarum) moves California further into the forefront of the battle against smog by giving smog control authorities around the state the tools they need to crack down even harder on air polluters."

He also noted that the legislation parallels the basic provisions of another tough new law---the Porter-Cologne Act, supported and signed by the governor last year---which authorized the imposition of \$6,000-per-day fines on water polluters in California.

AB-88 also subjects any person who disobeys state or local smog regulations to a \$500-per-day penalty, and authorizes the attorney general district attorneys and lawyers for local air pollution control districts to bring such actions in court. The bill further gives such cases special precedence on court calendars.

Governor Reagan called the legislation "a major step forward in the state's continuing efforts to, once again, make our waters and skies clear and blue---for this and future generations of Californians."

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Governor Ronald Reagan today wrote into California's lawbooks two key provisions of the tough Omnibus Clean Air Law he proposed to the legislature last January---measures which will require strict compliance at the local level with the state's increasingly tougher non-vehicular smog standards, and create by far the most comprehensive air quality measurement network in the nation.

He called his Omnibus Clean Air package "the most comprehensive and far-reaching legislative plan of action ever proposed by any state or nation."

The overall program---of which the two measures (AB-83 and AB-87, Schabarum) he signed today are important features---is aimed at giving California the long range tools necessary to crack down even harder on the two main causes of smog: the internal combustion engine, and open burning and industrial smoke.

AB-83 mandates the creation of an air pollution control district in every county where one does not presently exist. It also requires that either a regional air pollution control district, or a basin-wide coordinating council, be formed in each of the eleven air basins of the state---by no later than July 1, 1971.

The bill further requires that each regional district or basin-wide council file a plan for controlling smog by January 1, 1972. If the State Air Resources Board (ARB) determines that the plan is inadequate to meet the state's air quality standards, the board would then draw up a plan of its own. The local districts would then be required to comply with, and enforce, the ARB plan.

Governor Reagan called the coordinated, basinwide approach to air pollution control "a reasonable and logical tool for effectively meeting and overcoming our statewide smog problem."

"Just as we have already moved, statewide, on increasingly more stringent vehicle emission standards, we will now be able to insure that non-vehicular air quality standards also are observed---and enforced---across the length and breadth of the state," the governor said.

AB-87 will, for the first time, establish a statewide Air Monitoring Network to measure air quality. Although the Mulford-Carrell Air Resources Act and federal law require certain data on air quality, up to now such measurements have been made on a haphazard basis, and in only certain areas of the state. While a few local air pollution control agencies have conducted their own monitoring operations, without state

support, others have received state assistance for this purpose. And, in yet other instances, the state alone has done the monitoring.

Furthermore, there has been no clear state policy on the responsibility for air quality measurements.

Governor Reagan said the new law will correct this situation by authorizing the State Air Resources Board to create what will be, by far, the most comprehensive and extensive statewide air quality measurement network in the nation.

The network will enable the ARB to gather and assemble such data from every region in California so that the board will know whether its strict air quality standards are being met and, if not, what new control programs must be developed to see to it that the standards are, indeed, achieved.

"In effect," the governor said, "the new system will enable us to prevent from happening in rural areas what has already happened in a number of our metropolitan areas---by maintaining a scrutinizing, day-by-day watch on smog through the sophisticated sensors of the monitoring equipment."

"The enactment of both of these tough new laws is another example of this administration's continuing commitment to the all-out war against the debauching of our environment.

"By signing them into law, we are not only further strengthening California's already tough controls on smog, but we are adding the teeth which are necessary to enforce them."

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

Governor Reagan will sign two major bills in his 1970 anti-smog legislative program tomorrow, Thursday, August 13, at 9:30 a.m., at a special ceremony in his office. The bills, by Assemblyman Peter Schabarum, are:

1. AB-87---which authorizes the state Air Resources Board to establish a state-wide program for obtaining air quality measurements on a continuing basis throughout the state.

2. AB-83---which activates air pollution control districts in counties which up to now have not had them. It also calls for the formation of regional districts or basin-wide coordinating councils in the 11 air basins established by the Air Resources Board.

We will have a press release on the signing at the time of the ceremony.

Press coverage is invited.

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RELEASE: Immediate
#400

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the reappointment of
John B. Weiss of Los Gatos to a four-year-term on the Unemployment
Insurance Appeals Board, subject to Senate confirmation.

Weiss, 49, who has served on the board since 1967, will receive
an annual salary of \$27,500.

His home is at 15968 Hidden Drive, Los Gatos.

He is a Republican.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#401

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of William F. Lanam, executive director of the San Mateo County Bar Association, to the San Mateo County Central Judicial District Municipal Court bench. He will receive an annual salary of \$29,270.

Lanam, 41, a Democrat, succeeds Judge G. Brooks Ice who has been elevated to the San Mateo County Superior Court.

Named as executive director of the San Mateo County Bar Association and Administrator of the Court Appointed Counsel System in 1969, he previously was in the private practice of law and has also served as a Deputy District Attorney and Supervising Probation Officer in San Mateo County.

Lanam holds degrees from San Francisco City and State Colleges and earned his law degree from the University of San Francisco.

He is a member of the California State Bar, the San Mateo Bar Association, the San Francisco Bar Association, the American Trial Lawyers Association, the California Public Defenders Association, the National Legal Aid and Public Defenders Association and other civic and legal groups.

He is married and has six children. The family home is in Burlingame.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bills have been signed:

- AB 263 - McCarthy
(Chapter 648) Authorizes members of the California Highway Patrol to inspect vehicles in an automobile dismantler's lot, as well as in other specified places, for purposes of investigations of vehicles wrecked or dismantled, as well as for locating stolen vehicles and investigating title and registration of vehicles.
- AB 529 - Barnes
(Chapter 676) Authorizes the Board of the Public Employees' Retirement System to enter into an agreement with a contracting agency and the board of supervisors of a county maintaining a retirement system under the County Employees' Retirement Law of 1937 for termination of agency's participation in the System and the inclusion of employees in the county system.
- AB 530 - Barnes
(Chapter 677) Provides that when a legislative body deems it to be in the public interest, it may initiate and adopt an ordinance or resolution establishing a specific plan or amendment thereto.
- AB 535 - Thomas
(Chapter 678) Extends the privilege tax for the support of the Marine Research Committee, on handling of designated fish from December 1, 1970, to December 31, 1972.
- AB 565 - Brathwaite
(Chapter 679) Requires that if food offered for sale in a restaurant contains any food additive not on the Federal Drug Administration safe list, this must be noted on the menu. If the additive does not appear in the menu, the food will be deemed misbranded under the California Pure Foods Act.
- AB 572 - Crandall
(Chapter 650) Requires that a notice of disciplinary action to classified school personnel contain the specific acts and omissions on which the disciplinary action is based and any rule or regulation violated.
- AB 648 - Deddeh
(Chapter 680) Provides that a state college employee who is reassigned from a nonacademic year position to an academic year position any time subsequent to January 1, 1965, shall be entitled to a lump sum payment for vacation.
- AB 819 - Russell
(Chapter 710) Directs the Educational Innovation Advisory Commission to review and to make recommendations to the State Board of Education with regard to the policies and practices relative to hiring, advancement and assignment of statewide level administrators of projects and project funding under Title III of Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.
- AB 875 - Hayes
(Chapter 651) Provides that a child 12 years of age or over who has been relinquished for adoption but has not been adopted may change his name by petition to the superior court signed by the child and the adoption agency to which he has been relinquished.
- AB 895 - Dunlap
(Chapter 681) Permits authorized emergency vehicles to be equipped with a flashing headlight system to be used under specified conditions. Such systems are to be approved by the California Highway Patrol.
- AB 953 - Moorhead
(Chapter 682) Includes as a crime solicitation of another to commit or join in commission of an assault with a deadly weapon or instrument or by means of force likely to produce great bodily injury. The bill specifies that punishment for the offense of solicitation of another to commit or join in commission of any of the listed crimes may be by both designated imprisonment and fine.

- AB 954 - Moorhead (Chapter 683) Authorizes a sheriff or chief of police, in the event a prisoner elects to decline treatment by the county or city jail physician and to provide medical treatment at his own expense, to have him removed from jail to a privately owned or operated medical facility or hospital located in county approved by a judge of the superior court for such treatment.
- AB 974 - Johnson, H. (Chapter 695) Amends the Employment Agency Act to exempt certain overseas employment agencies from the requirement of using the word "agency" in the conduct of their business.
- AB 1026 - Green, L. (Chapter 684) Extends through the 1970-71 fiscal year the provision providing that, upon approval of Superintendent of Public Instruction, the deductible amount of fire insurance for any school district with an average daily attendance of less than 50,000 may exceed \$1,000 for each occurrence. The bill requires the legislative analyst to conduct a study of school property losses resulting from specified causes, costs of school districts to insure against such losses, and the amount of such losses which is uncompensated by insurance and to recommend a program for state participation in payment of excessive losses or school property insurance premiums.
- AB 1054 - Dent (Chapter 685) Eliminates provision for a 90-day observation period in a state hospital or county hospital prior to commitment of mentally disordered sex offenders to a state hospital for an indeterminate period.
- AB 1056 - Sieroty (Chapter 652) Repeals the Labor Code provisions prohibiting the employment of aliens by contractors or subcontractors on public works projects. The repealed provisions were declared unconstitutional by the California Supreme Court in 1969.
- AB 1057 - Sieroty (Chapter 653) Repeals the Labor Code restrictions on the employment of aliens in State and local government.
- AB 1073 - Hayes (Chapter 686) Prohibits court commissioners of superior and municipal courts from engaging in the private practice of law.
- AB 1125 - Johnson, H. (Chapter 687) Includes within the definition of dwellings subject to homestead condominiums, planned developments, stock cooperatives, community apartment projects, and property situated on real property under a lease of 30 years or more.
- AB 1127 - Johnson, H. (Chapter 654) Specifies that officers enforcing a writ of restitution obtained in an unlawful detainer action either personally serve such writ on the tenant or post the writ on a conspicuous place on the property. The bill provides that if writ is posted, an additional copy thereof shall also be mailed to the tenant.
- AB 1158 - Hom (Chapter 688) Establishes a procedure to increase from 5 to 7 the number of members of the board of directors of a local hospital district which provides at least 225 hospital beds.
- AB 1194 - Hayes (Chapter 655) Includes the report to the court from the investigating agency in adoption proceeding among those documents which must be filed in the office of the county clerk and which the judge cannot authorize anyone to inspect except in exceptional circumstances and for good cause. The bill also prohibits a county clerk, upon the written request of any party to action and upon order of a judge of the superior court, from providing certain documents for inspection or copying unless the name of the natural parents of the adopted child or information tending to identify such parents is deleted.

- AB 1203 - Badham
(Chapter 689) Provides that a railroad may purchase or otherwise acquire and use all property necessary for the conduct of its business, rather than all property as is absolutely necessary for the conduct of its business.
- AB 1241 - Porter
(Chapter 696) Permits the maximum interest rate on metropolitan water district bonds to exceed 7 percent if the district board determines by a two-thirds vote of the board that the interests of the district and the public interest or necessity require that such bonds be sold subject to a higher maximum rate in order to obtain needed funds.
- AB 1315 - Russell
(Chapter 697) Includes public school teachers who are employed in classes organized under the Manpower Development and Training Act of 1962, the Economic Opportunity Act of 1966, and the Adult Education Act of 1966, and other training and education programs in the State Teachers' Retirement System.
- AB 1347 - Wood
(Chapter 690) Provides for various different specified testing facilities and organizations, including the Director of Agriculture, to determine the weight or measure or percentage of milk fat and fluid skim milk components for the purposes of payment for milk, cream, or any fluid derivative of milk or cream.
- AB 1401 - Vasconcellos
(Chapter 698) Permits the Trustees of the California State Colleges to use day labor for any emergency that may occur on a campus (rather than only for "acts of God") provided the total expenditure per incident does not exceed \$3,500.
- AB 1406 - Brown
(Chapter 656) Extends the filing period for senior citizens property tax assistance claims in cases where the claimant was prevented from filing a timely claim because of a medically certified incapacity.
- AB 1473 - Stacey
(Chapter 657) Allows the State Board of Medical Examiners to delegate its authority to approve examination applicants, approve issuance of certificates, and to issue certificates to persons who qualify for a reciprocity certificate, or whose application is based on a diplomate certificate.
- AB 1496 - Johnson, R.
(Chapter 699) Provides that the Director of Agriculture shall establish a system for certifying colony strength for bees used in pollination of agricultural crops.
- AB 1502 - Knox
(Chapter 700) Deletes the prohibition against the use of specified words in signs advertising the sale of alcoholic beverages at retail for consumption on the premises.
- AB 1529 - Chappie
(Chapter 691) Authorizes the Director of Parks and Recreation to exchange certain lands at Malakoff Diggins State Historic Park and San Clemente State Beach for other lands of comparable value.
- AB 1532 - Chappie
(Chapter 701) Requires approval of plans and specifications by the Department of General Services prior to award of a contract where state funds are utilized for any building or facility subject to the law relating to building access for the handicapped. The bill requires the application for approval to be accompanied by a filing fee determined by the Department of General Services.
- AB 1540 - Chappie
(Chapter 702) Revises the provision establishing a rebuttable presumption that the full cash value of property fixed by a local board of equalization is correct when the assessor proposes to change such value during the succeeding two years, commencing with the 1971-72 assessment year.

AB 1566 - Knox (Chapter 717)	Requires, rather than permits, that the general plan of a city or county include a conservation element for the conservation, development and use of natural resources and requires them to designate solid and liquid waste disposal facilities in the land use element. The bill provides that each city and county must comply with such requirements by July 1, 1972.
AB 1617 - Z'berg (Chapter 718)	Provides that employees of Sacramento County may receive sick leave credit at retirement on a day-for-day basis.
AB 1635 - Mulford (Chapter 703)	Provides for the transfer of 90 percent of all fines and forfeitures of persons arrested or notified by regional park police officers and charged with violating provisions of the Vehicle Code or vehicle regulations of the district to the general fund of the regional park district and the remaining 10 percent to the general fund of the county in which the regional park is located.
AB 1642 - Moorhead (Chapter 704)	Extends the statute of limitation on forgery so that the crime may be prosecuted at any time within three years from its discovery rather than requiring it to be prosecuted within three years of its commission. The bill also removes the limitation upon prosecution for kidnap for ransom or robbery if the victim suffers bodily harm.
AB 1645 - Barnes (Chapter 705)	Provides for service credit under a retirement system established under the County Employees' Retirement Law of 1937 for county service in which the person was not a member because of a provision deferring membership until 180 days after entry into service. Member contribution would be required for such service credit.
AB 1675 - Cory (Chapter 706)	Increases from 50 percent to 75 percent of capital and surplus the statutory limit on the amount that a state bank may invest in fixed assets.
AB 1717 - Wilson (Chapter 658)	Makes it unlawful for a physician or a clinical laboratory to charge or solicit payment from any patient for any clinical laboratory service not actually rendered unless specified conditions are complied with.
AB 1739 - Thomas (Chapter 707)	Specifies that burial at sea of cremated remains may be carried out either by boat from any harbor in state, or by air, three miles from the nearest shoreline.
AB 1852 - Briggs (Chapter 659)	Increases the maximum permissible charge by a personal property broker on the portion of a loan between \$700 and \$1500 from 1 percent to 1½ percent per month.
AB 1924 - Knox (Chapter 708)	Classifies agents of the Bureaus of Narcotic Enforcement and Criminal Identification and Investigation, along with the deputy and assistant directors of the Department of Justice, as "policemen" for Social Security purposes. The bill becomes operative as of such time as a ruling or regulation authorizing inclusion of the employees described in the definition of "policemen."
AB 1953 - Crown (Chapter 709)	Directs the Department of Public Health, without impairing existing programs, to give priority to specified medical conditions in use of funds provided for crippled children services in the Budget Act of 1970.

- AB 2080 - Fenton
(Chapter 719) Permits contracting agencies under the Public Employees' Retirement System to separately include local firemen or policemen or both within the provisions that provide for continuation of a part of retirement allowances to survivors.
- AB 2314 - Quimby
(Chapter 692) Permits any agency, commission, or board provided for by a joint powers agreement entered into prior to January 1, 1971, between the County of San Bernardino and any city thereof, which has the power to operate sanitary sewer facilities to issue revenue bonds below the par or face value thereof. The bill is effective until July 1, 1971.
- AB 2442 - Moretti
(Chapter 710) Provides that any nonprofit corporation, created by one or more public agencies, whose board of directors is appointed by such public agencies and which is formed to acquire, construct, reconstruct, maintain or operate any public work project, is a local agency within the meaning of the Ralph M. Brown Act.
- AB 2529 - MacGillivray
(Chapter 711) Extends from January 1, 1970, to April 6, 1970, the time in which the statement, map or plat regarding annexation to a city may be filed with the State Board of Equalization for the annexation to be effective for assessment and tax purposes for the 1970-71 fiscal year. The bill applies to cities completing annexations on March 30, 1970.
- SB 23 - Nejedly
(Chapter 660) Provides that variances to zoning ordinances shall not be granted which authorize a use or activity not otherwise expressly authorized by the governing zoning regulation.
- SB 71 - Grunsky
(Chapter 661) Adds an approved public health laboratory to laboratories that a physician may submit a blood sample to determine the Rh factor of a pregnant woman.
- SB 91 - Song
(Chapter 662) Authorizes the exercise of the right of eminent domain by common carriers operating upon waterways with respect to terminal facilities, lands, or structures for the receipt and transfer of passengers or property. The bill also requires public agencies to secure either written permission or a court order prior to entering on private property to conduct surveys, studies, tests, and similar activities related to locating public projects. Advance deposit by the public agency of the amount of damage from such activities is provided for as a condition of the court order.
- SB 316 - Schrade
(Chapter 663) Permits a city or county to adopt an ordinance requiring payment of a fee as a condition of approval of a final subdivision map or issuance of building permit for purposes of defraying cost of constructing bridges.
- SB 507 - Dolwig
(Chapter 712) Empowers the Counties of San Mateo, Marin and Santa Clara to adopt rules and regulations with respect to logging which are stricter than those provided under the Forest Practice Act and those promulgated by the forest district forest practice committee.
- SB 520 - Marler
(Chapter 713) Provides that the territory of any school district which was included in a specified unification proposal which was defeated and which territory has been restored to its existence as a separate elementary school district or high school district, as the case may be, will be exempted from the areawide elementary school and high school foundation program provisions and areawide aid and tax support provisions.

- SB 611 - Wedworth
(Chapter 665) Provides that the Fish and Game provisions making it unlawful to deposit or permit specified litter to pass into state waters do not apply to a refuse disposal site authorized by the appropriate local agency having jurisdiction or to the depositing of such materials in a container from which the materials are routinely removed to a legal point of disposal, rather than to the depositing of such materials in a container or refuse disposal dump maintained for the disposal of such materials by any federal, state or local government agency, or the property owner.
- SB 757 - Danielson
(Chapter 666) Allows a community college governing board to hold meetings anywhere in the community college district, high school district, unified districts or combination thereof served by the community college district, as it may by resolution determine. The bill requires notice of location, date, and time of meeting to be posted in each community college in the district at least 10 days prior to a meeting.
- SB 793 - Alquist
(Chapter 667) Limits the property taxing power of the Santa Clara County Transit District to taxation solely for bond redemption purposes.
- SB 869 - Grunsky
(Chapter 668) Deletes the Education Code provision authorizing elementary school pupils to attend the school they would otherwise have attended when that portion of the elementary school district in which they reside is included in a unified district containing no elementary school, and authorizing interdistrict attendance agreements between the school district in which the pupil resides and the district containing the school which the pupil attends.
- SB 932 - Dolwig
(Chapter 669) Authorizes the Estero Municipal Improvement District to acquire and construct reclamation of land for small craft harbor, rather than for private small craft harbor, purposes.
- SB 988 - Moscone
(Chapter 670) Requires the State Lands Commission, within 3 years, at the cost of the Port Commission of the City and County of San Francisco, to provide a description of harbor lands transferred to the City and County of San Francisco in 1968. The bill also authorizes the City and County of San Francisco to lease specified lands held by it in trust for 40 years, rather than for 20 years, for purpose of developing and promoting aquatic sport.
- SB 1094 - Marler
(Chapter 671) Provides that the requirement that corporations file specified statement with the Secretary of State does not put any person dealing with a corporation on notice or under duty to inquire about the content of such statement. The bill provides that suspension of corporate powers on failure to file the specified statement with the Secretary of State shall be effective upon transmittal to the Franchise Tax Board of the notification of suspension.
- SB 1278 - Lagomarsino
(Chapter 672) Permits Embarcadero Municipal Improvement District to acquire and operate recreational facilities. The bill also provides that the District may acquire or construct the reclamation of land for small craft harbor, rather than private small craft harbor, purposes.
- SB 1313 - Stiern
(Chapter 673) Deletes various obsolete provisions allowing reassessment of property destroyed by disaster and late filing of statements and maps with the Board of Equalization for assessment purposes.

Governor Reagan also announced he has vetoed the following bills:

AB 1028 - Brown Permits the employment of persons between the ages of 18 and 21 as musicians, for entertainment purposes only, in premises selling and serving alcoholic beverages. The bill restricts the areas of such employment, and provides that no alcoholic beverages shall be sold, served, consumed, or taken into such area.

REASON FOR VETO: Governor Reagan said, "This bill permits the employment of persons 18 to 21 years of age as musicians in premises selling and serving alcoholic beverages, but restricts the area of such employment."

"I recognize that AB 1028 is intended to provide additional employment opportunities for young musicians. I am in support of this objective. I believe that young musicians could perform in the great majority of licensed establishments without being adversely affected."

"However, the bill makes no distinction whatsoever between those establishments in which such young musicians could appropriately perform, and those where nudity, obscenity, and other forms of so-called "adult" entertainment are a principal attraction."

"Unfortunately, there are not sufficient safeguards in the legislation to insure against potential harmful effects on these young people."

"Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned."

AB 1285 - Stacey Includes licensed vocational nurses and psychiatric technicians within the definition of "professional employees" for purposes of the right to representation by professional employees organization under the public employer-employee relations law.

REASON FOR VETO: Governor Reagan said, "This bill includes licensed vocational nurses and psychiatric technicians within the definition of "professional employees" for purposes of the right to representation by professional employee organizations under the public-employee relations law."

"This would be another instance of unnecessary state interference with local government. Experience of other states has shown that the public agency must retain the broadest possible flexibility in determining negotiating units. To restrict this latitude by expanding the definition of professional employees and proliferating the representation units makes it difficult for government to establish workable and sound employee relations programs."

"Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned."

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Because the end of the current legislative session is quickly approaching, no public appointments have been scheduled for Governor Reagan next week, with the exception of a fundraising dinner for Senator George Murphy which the governor will attend Thursday evening, August 20, at the Beverly Hilton Hotel in Los Angeles. Vice President Agnew will be the keynote speaker.

In order to keep the governor's schedule as free as possible, no press conference is scheduled for the coming week.

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EJG

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bills have been signed:

- AB 3 - Barnes
(Chapter 647) Provides for improvement in the "automatic cost-of-living" provisions of the Public Employees' Retirement Law by earlier adjustment after retirement and by increasing the maximum permitted adjustment. Changes are effective on the first annual adjustment date after an actuarial interest rate of 5.25 percent or higher has been fixed under the system. The annual maximum increase to the base allowance is increased from $1\frac{1}{2}$ percent to 2 percent.
- AB 48 - MacDonald
(Chapter 693) Provides that fraudulent receipt of payments under aid to families with dependent children shall be treated as a felony if the defrauded amount exceeds \$200, and, as a misdemeanor if the defrauded amount is less than \$200.
- AB 218 - Campbell
(Chapter 730) Makes it a felony to simultaneously possess two designated chemical ingredients of methamphetamine ("speed") with the intention to manufacture the drug. Exemptions are provided for drug manufacturer licensed by this state and persons authorized to possess the drugs by regulations of the Pharmacy Board.
- AB 390 - Greene, B.
(Chapter 731) Authorizes the establishment of a revolving fund for immediate or emergent need of aid recipients in Los Angeles County.
- AB 523 - Johnson, R.
(Chapter 732) Authorizes the Director of Agriculture to contract with local milk inspection agencies to handle the inspection of soft serve ice cream establishments.
- AB 623 - Biddle
(Chapter 733) Provides that a person arrested for driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor who has chosen a chemical test of blood alcohol content, and either is incapable, or states he is incapable, of completing the chosen test, has a choice of submitting to and completing any remaining tests or test and that the arresting officer must so advise him. The bill specifies that failure to submit to and to complete, rather than to submit to, a test will result in a six-month suspension of the driving privilege.
- AB 642 - Brown
(Chapter 734) Changes the composition of the membership of the Bay Area Air Pollution Control Advisory Council.
- AB 654 - Hayes
(Chapter 735) Includes within categories of person under 21 years of age for whom an action may be brought for the purposes of having such person declared free from the custody and control of parents those persons who have been left without provision for their identification by a parent or others for six months. The bill provides that failure to provide identification for six months is presumptive evidence of intent to abandon.
- AB 752 - Ketchum
(Chapter 736) Provides for dissemination of ballot pamphlets for all elections on city formations and annexations and elections on formations of specified districts. The bill specifies that the pamphlets are to include an impartial analysis prepared by appropriate local agency formation commission as well as arguments for or against the proposal.

- AB 761 - Beverly
(Chapter 737) Revises the Personal Property Brokers Law with respect to the making of loans, the licensing of brokers, the keeping of records, annual reports, charges and fees, and insurance.
- AB 825 - Johnson, R.
(Chapter 738) Exempts from registration vehicles equipped with a water tank owned by a farmer and used exclusively to service his implements of husbandry and subjects such vehicles to the same equipment and device requirements as if registered if owner has obtained identification plate as set forth in the Vehicle Code.
- AB 931 - Dunlap
(Chapter 739) Requires school districts, with specified exceptions, to make payments of wages and payroll orders and warrants for payment of wages to classified employees on the last working day of month in which the employee was in paid status.
- AB 960 - Bagley
(Chapter 740) Provides that a grand jury shall not spend money or incur obligations in excess of the amount budgeted by the county board of supervisors for its investigative activities unless the proposed expenditure is approved in advance by presiding judge of superior court after the board of supervisors has been advised of the request.
- AB 970 - Crown
(Chapter 741) Provides for a mandatory felony sentence in the event of conviction for the illegal selling or transporting of destructive devices. The bill increases the punishment from a maximum of three years to a minimum of 15 years. It also carries a mandatory requirement for confinement in the state prison for at least one year, without possibility of probation, parole or a suspended sentence.
- AB 1086 - Burke
(Chapter 742) Amends the Probate Code to permit specified distributees of money to present a claim for money or property in the form of an affidavit, in lieu of filing a prescribed petition, to the judge of superior court which made the assignment or distribution.
- AB 1208 - Dent
(Chapter 743) Repeals the Education Code provision containing a termination date relating to the employment of architectural and engineering firms on a temporary basis.
- AB 1220 - Barnes
(Chapter 744) Amends the Teachers Retirement Law to require deduction of the lesser of either 4 percent of the refundable balance of \$25 from each refund for termination of service and imposes a like fee for redeposits upon reentry into the State Teachers Retirement System, for administrative expenses.
- AB 1317 - Russell
(Chapter 745) Provides that the State Board of Control may delegate to the Department of Public Works, under such terms and conditions as are acceptable to the Board, authority to order discharge from accountability for collection of delinquent real property rental accounts which do not exceed \$300.
- AB 1449 - Dunlap
(Chapter 746) Provides that redeposit of contributions of a member who became a member of another county system or of the Public Employees' Retirement System shall be in the fund of the county at the time of separation, and that upon redeposit the member's retirement allowance shall be computed on the basis of the law at retirement rather than the law at the time of leaving county service.

- AB 1454 - Z'berg
(Chapter 747) Enacts the "Uniform Minor Student Capacity to Borrow Act," providing that any written obligation signed by a minor 18 or more years of age in consideration of an educational loan received by him from any person is enforceable as if he were an adult at time of execution, if specified conditions are met. The Act reflects the recommendations of the National Conference of Commissioners on Uniform State Laws.
- AB 1543 - Chappie
(Chapter 748) Requires that any statement or affidavit for property tax purposes made by a taxpayer asserting timely filing of a document by mail be made within one year of the deadline applicable to the original filing of such documents. The bill also states that mailed payments received under the property tax law need not be accepted if received more than 30 days after the date and time set by law for the payment.
- AB 1590 - Hayes
(Chapter 749) Provides for involuntary commitment to a narcotics facility by the superior court of defendants who were convicted of crime or had probation revoked, if the superior court hearing determines that the defendants were addicted to or in imminent danger of addiction to narcotics.
- AB 1694 - Bee
(Chapter 750) Requires that the notice of intended transfer for a limited alcoholic beverage license or on-sale general seasonal license include a description of the entire consideration paid, with a designation as to form of payment.
- AB 1732 - Thomas
(Chapter 751) Provides that Pacific mackerel may not be taken or possessed at any time for commercial purposes, except that a load of fish taken may contain up to 18 percent by weight of Pacific mackerel, when they are taken incidentally with other fish.
- AB 1740 - Bagley
(Chapter 752) Eliminates the authority of public administrators to deposit estate moneys with the county treasurer. Under current law, the public administrator may either deposit these monies in a bank or savings and loan account, or with the county treasurer.
- AB 1749 - Murphy
(Chapter 753) Authorizes any officer in charge of a jail, before whom any person arrested for any Vehicle Code misdemeanor or infraction is brought, to release such person on his written promise to appear as provided for in the Penal Code, in lieu of admitting such person to bail.
- AB 1776 - Arklin
(Chapter 754) Authorizes the Department of Parks and Recreation to contract with any public or private agency for the collection of fees and rentals and for the operation of a reservation system in connection with the State Park System. The bill also provides that such a contract may contain provisions which would allow the agency to retain a portion of the fee or rental as reimbursement for the cost of its services.
- AB 1779 - Wood
(Chapter 755) Provides that the Public Utilities Commission shall require less accident insurance of air operators who fulfill certain specified requirements than generally required of commercial operators.
- AB 1847 - McCarthy
(Chapter 756) Eliminates preference for those needing employment in issuing licenses to blind persons for operation of vending stands.

- AB 1996 - Murphy
(Chapter 757) Specifies that it shall be conclusively presumed that a statute enacted last is intended to prevail over statutes enacted earlier at the same session in absence of an express provision to the contrary in a statute enacted last, rather than in the absence of an express provision to the contrary. The bill specifies that it shall be presumed that a statute which has a higher chapter number was intended by the legislature to prevail over a statute which has a lower chapter number in the absence of an express provision to the contrary in a statute which has a higher chapter number, rather than in the absence of an express provision to the contrary.
- AB 2031 - Campbell
(Chapter 758) Amends the Medical Practice Act to permit waiver of the internship requirement for graduates of foreign medical schools who meet prescribed qualifications.
- AB 2148 - Fenton
(Chapter 759) Authorizes commissioners of municipal courts to conduct arraignment proceedings if directed to do so by the presiding or sole judge of the court.
- AB 2393 - Duffy
(Chapter 760) Changes the name of the Social Worker and Marriage Counselor Qualifications Board of the State of California to the Board of Behavioral Science Examiners. The bill also makes technical amendments to the clinical social worker's licensing law.
- AB 2418 - McCarthy
(Chapter 761) Prohibits any city or county from approving a subdivision map for a subdivision fronting upon any lake or reservoir owned partially or entirely by any public agency including the state, which does not provide or have available reasonable access by fee or easement from public highways to any water of the publicly owned lake or reservoir upon which the subdivision borders either within the subdivision or a reasonable distance from the subdivision.
- SB 90 - Song
(Chapter 720) Provides that no evidence is admissible in a civil action to charge a person concerning representations made by him as to the credit of a third person unless such representation or a memorandum thereof is in writing and is either signed by or in the writing of the person to be charged.
- SB 114 - Richardson
(Chapter 721) Permits the killing by shooting of all domesticated game mammals by their owner or his employee, rather than permitting killing only domesticated deer by shooting.
- SB 188 - Coombs
(Chapter 722) Authorizes the plaintiff and defendant in a small claims court hearing to offer evidence by witnesses appearing at times other than at the hearing only with permission of court.
- SB 429 - Grunsky
(Chapter 723) Authorizes the court, when a public defender or assigned counsel is appointed at the expense of a county to represent a person who is a minor, in a criminal proceeding, to order the parent or guardian of such minor to reimburse the county for all or any part of expenses of such appointed counsel if it determines that the parent or guardian has ability to pay such expense.
- SB 440 - Sherman
(Chapter 724) Permits a contracting agency to fix the amount of its contribution under the Meyers-Geddes State Employees' Medical and Hospital Care Act, but not less than the amount specified.

SB 489 - Nedely (Chapter 725)	Clarifies the venue and sub-venue requirements for actions on contracts within the Unruh Retail Installment Sales Act and the Rees-Levering Act relating to automobile sales.
SB 594 - Sherman (Chapter 726)	Specifies that it is a misdemeanor to knowingly register as a voter a nonexistent person, to knowingly register a person who is ineligible to register or to knowingly register a person under a false name or address.
SB 784 - Mills (Chapter 727)	Redefines "meet and confer in good faith" for purposes of public employer-employee relations to require meeting and conferring within a reasonable period of time.
SB 1015 - Coombs (Chapter 728)	Extends the filing time for instruments required to qualify land as open space land for assessment purposes.
SB 1132 - Song (Chapter 729)	Makes the alternative death benefit and life annuity payable under a county retirement system established under the County Employees' Retirement Law of 1937 on election of the surviving spouse available only where the member dies in service after five years of service or as a result of service-connected injury or disease and changes the computation of the annuity.
SB 1410 - Moscone (Chapter 674)	Requires that emergency service and care be provided to any person requesting it or for whom it is requested, for any condition in which the person is in danger of loss of life or serious injury or illness, rather than only loss of life, at any licensed hospital that maintains and operates an emergency department to provide emergency service to the public when such hospital has appropriate facilities and qualified personnel available to provide such services or care. The bill also includes dentists and podiatrists in provisions presently exempting hospitals, employees, and physicians from liability in any action arising out of a refusal to render emergency services or care if reasonable care is exercised in certain determinations. # # #

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RELEASE: Immediate

#404

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of Frank M. Booth, Jr., to the Advisory Committee on Factory-Built Housing. He succeeds the late H. Elmer Renz of Fullerton.

Booth, a Republican, is president of Frank M. Booth, Inc., a Marysville heating and air conditioning firm.

He is a graduate of the University of Santa Clara with a Bachelors degree Cum Laude in Mechanical Engineering.

Booth, 52, served in the United States Air Force as a Captain and has been active in both civic and business organizations, including Rotary International, Marysville-Yuba County Chamber of Commerce, Boy Scouts of America and a director of the Yuba-Sutter Industrial Development Corporation.

He will serve at the pleasure of the governor, and receive actual and necessary expenses.

His address is P. O. Box 5, Marysville.

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Governor Reagan will sign into law two key provisions of the tough Omnibus Clean Air Law he proposed to the legislature last January, at separate ceremonies in his office tomorrow and Thursday.

2:00 p.m. August 19
(Wednesday)

SB-505 (Sherman): Requires that smog control systems on all new cars sold in California be properly adjusted and certified for optimum performance by a state-licensed Official Motor Vehicle Pollution Control Station.

The filing of a false certification would be the basis for revocation of an automobile dealer's license by the Department of Motor Vehicles, and/or revocation of the license of any Official Motor Vehicle Pollution Control Station by the California Highway Patrol.

10:00 a.m., August 20
(Thursday)

SB-262 (Marks, Badham): Enables California motorists to order and display personalized automobile license plates. The extra fee for the plates is \$25 which (after deducting plate production and processing costs) will go into a new state fund to preserve and protect California's environment.

In proposing the legislation, Governor Reagan said: "The plan will provide every motorist with the opportunity to help solve the smog problem he has helped to create. The personalized plates will serve as a symbol of his concern for improving our environment."

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

In a memo to the press yesterday (8-18-70) we scheduled the signing of SB 262 (Marks, Badham) for 10:00 a.m. Thursday, August 20.

Due to a conflict in the governor's schedule, the signing ceremony for SB 262 has had to be postponed until 11:30 a.m., Friday, August 21. Press coverage is invited.

The signing of SB 505 (Sherman) remains on the governor's schedule for 2:00 p.m. today. This bill is a key provision in the Omnibus Clean Air Law which Governor Reagan proposed to the legislature last January. (See yesterday's Memo to the Press.)

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RELEASE: Immediate

#405

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of
Herbert L. Ashby to the California Council on Criminal Justice.

Ashby, 40, assistant secretary, ~~state Department of Human~~
Relations, ^{Agency} succeeds Spencer Williams who has resigned.

A graduate of the University of New Mexico in 1952, Ashby
received his law degree from the University of San Francisco in 1958,
and was president of the Student Bar Association, 1957-58.

Prior to entering state service, he was Ventura County
Assistant District Attorney. His major assignments included trial
of criminal cases, recruiting and training Deputy District Attorneys,
as well as court, probation and health department assignments.

Ashby, a Democrat, is married and has three children. The
family home is at 4612 Ashville Court, Carmichael.

Council members serve at the pleasure of the governor, not
to exceed four years, and receive actual and necessary expenses.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#406

Governor Ronald Reagan today signed into law another key provision of the tough Omnibus Clean Air Law he proposed to the legislature last January--a bill to assure that smog control systems on all new cars sold in California are properly adjusted and certified for optimum performance prior to the time of sale.

"This legislation," he said, "is the first of its kind ever to be enacted by any state or nation, and represents a major step forward in this administration's continuing efforts to reduce smog."

The governor said "the measure (SB-505, Sherman) writes into the law more of the teeth necessary for helping the state to enforce compliance with California's increasingly tougher motor vehicle emission standards."

Since 1966 auto manufacturers have been required to equip new cars with smog control systems to meet the state's standards. However, studies by the State Air Resources Board show that these systems are not always properly adjusted for optimum performance--prior to sale or delivery of the new car to the customer.

The new law will make such adjustments mandatory, either at the factory or by the dealer. The measure also requires that the emission control adjustments be certified by Official Motor Vehicle Pollution Control Stations. These inspection stations are licensed, policed and regulated by the California Highway Patrol. Most automobile dealers in the state already are, or can become, licensed inspection stations under the CHP's present program.

Although the legislation also covers transfer of ownership of used cars, the main thrust of the new law is to require that smog control systems on all new cars sold in California are properly adjusted prior to sale by the dealer.

The filing of a false certification could be the basis for revocation of an automobile dealer's license by the Department of Motor Vehicles, and/or revocation of the license of any Official Motor Vehicle Pollution Control Station by the CHP.

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EJG

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RELEASE: Immediate

#407

Governor Ronald Reagan today signed legislation which extends the death penalty to cases where great bodily harm is caused by the explosion of a bomb---including the "molotov cocktail."

The measure (AB-1003), by Assemblyman Craig Biddle (R-Riverside), was supported by the governor.

"As you know," the governor said, "a wave of bombings has hit the country in recent months, and California has not been spared.

"I know I share the hopes of all law abiding citizens in the state that the new law will somehow help to curb this most tragic and senseless form of violence," he added.

The new law sets the penalty of death or life imprisonment without parole, at the discretion of the jury, when a person is convicted of willfully and maliciously exploding a "destructive device" causing great bodily injury to another. The law includes "molotov cocktails" in the definition of "destructive devices."

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EJG

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bills have been signed:

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| AB 301 - Veysey
(Chapter 769) | Authorizes school districts located in counties contiguous with Mexico and maintaining a regional occupational center to enter into student exchange agreements with trade and technical schools in Mexico. |
| AB 605 - Wilson
(Chapter 770) | Increases the membership of the Home Ownership Training and Management Program Advisory Committee from five to nine. The bill deletes the stated emphasis on preoccupancy training as an element of a pilot study by the Department of Housing and Community Development. |
| AB 1170 - Fong
(Chapter 772) | Includes within the state scenic highway system all of, rather than only a portion of Interstate Route 580. The bill also includes Interstate Route 680 within Alameda County in the scenic highway system. |
| AB 1242 - Porter
(Chapter 773) | Extends the time for publishing or posting notices of the pendency of applications for unappropriated water from 15 to 20 days after the date of issuance of the notice. The bill also specifies that no person shall be excused from testifying before the State Water Resources Control Board on the ground that his testimony may tend to incriminate him or subject him to any penalty, and specifies that no person shall be criminally prosecuted or be subject to any criminal penalty, for or on account of any matter before the Board which he has been compelled as witness to testify. |
| AB 1571 - Wilson
(Chapter 774) | Amends the definition of Factory-Built Housing by deleting the reference to a habitable room and adds in its place a reference to, "an individual dwelling room or combination of rooms thereof." The definition is further amended to include units designed for use as part of an institution for resident or patient care. The bill adds a provision for reciprocity with other states when the Commission of Housing and Community Development determines that the law and regulations of another state are equal to those of California and that they are being enforced. |
| AB 1618 - McCarthy
(Chapter 763) | Provides for the submission of Assembly Constitutional Amendment Nos. 3,4,9,32,36,40, 42,43,49,65,66,67, and 68 to the voters at the 1970 general election. |
| AB 2450 - Roberti
(Chapter 764) | Specifies that the executive officer of the State Personnel Board shall administer the civil service statutes under rules of the Board, subject to right of appeal to the Board. The bill becomes operative only upon the adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36 by the voters. |

SB 438 - Stevens
(Chapter 765)

Allows records relating to public social services for which grants-in-aid are received by this state from the United States government to be made available to the head of a law enforcement agency charged with conducting criminal investigations into violations of state law involving fraudulent or other unauthorized use of public assistance payment checks or warrants.

SB 685 - Cusanovich
(Chapter 767)

Increases the combined current and prior service pension for local miscellaneous members of the Public Employees' Retirement System by changing the benefit formula from one-sixtieth to one-fiftieth if the contracting agency so elects.

SB 749 - Marler
(Chapter 768)

Authorizes the rate of interest which bonds or notes issued under the State College Revenue Bond Act of 1947 may bear, and the yield resulting to purchasers thereof, to exceed seven percent to the extent of any debt service grant applicable to such interest which the federal government has agreed to pay with respect to such bonds or notes.

SB 780 - Mills
(Chapter 762)

Directs the Secretary of State to revise Assembly Constitutional Amendment 79 of 1969 and ACA 36 of 1970.

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#409

Governor Ronald Reagan announced today that he has asked Secretary of State William P. Rogers to convey to the Soviet Union California's concerns about the activities of the Russian fishing fleet off the northern and central California coast, and to determine if joint U.S.-Soviet fishing agreements have been violated.

In a letter to Rogers, the governor said:

"I am very much concerned about the Soviet fishing fleet operating off the north and central California coast.

"My concern is based upon reports which, if verified, could constitute a disregard for agreements the United States signed with the U.S.S.R. on January 31, 1969.

"The agreements referred to, included two issues of great importance to the conservation of the fisheries off our coast; one relates to the size of fishing nets, and the other concerns the rock fish population.

"With regard to the first matter, a Soviet net recently recovered off Eureka, California, had a 1½ inch mesh inner liner, which is less than the 2.4 - 2.8 mesh agreed upon by the United States and Russia. The other issue is raised because reports made by fishermen and other governmental agencies indicate that the Russian fleet may be conducting specialized fishing for rock fish, which, if substantiated, also would be a violation of the agreements.

"I am advised that another conference between the U.S.S.R. and the United States will be held this fall on the subject of these fishing agreements. Prior to that conference, it would be appropriate for our government to contact the U.S.S.R. to convey our concerns and to determine if, in fact, fishing violations have occurred."

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EJG

Governor Ronald Reagan today issued the following statement:

"Because a small band of senators chose to deny passage of our long-sought tax reform program, the people of California tonight suffered a staggering setback in their efforts to obtain substantial and lasting property tax relief.

"Despite the personal appeal of a fellow senator who lies bedridden in a Southern California hospital, not one of his 13 senate colleagues was willing to cast the deciding courtesy vote in his behalf.

"If this kind of affront is difficult to comprehend, then it is equally inconceivable to me that a mere 13 senators could block a program which received the approval of 93 out of 119 members of the legislature---or more than three-quarters of the total membership of both houses.

"In the Senate itself, a total of 27 members--out of 40--have voted for the program at one time or another. Sixty-six of the eighty members of the Assembly cast yes votes.

"The program had widespread public support--from virtually every segment of the citizenry: public officials from both political parties, including mayors, county supervisors, city councilmen. Many leading newspapers across the state urged passage, not to mention civic and service organizations, and countless individual taxpayers.

"Only this week, the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors voted unanimously to endorse the program.

"And, this support multiplied as the program survived the test of months of legislative and public scrutiny.

"But, tonight the hopes of millions of Californians for tax relief were dashed by the irresponsible actions of ^asmall minority of 13 senators who chose to put face-saving considerations--for primarily partisan political reasons--ahead of the interests of the people.

"As governor, I would be derelict in my duty if I failed to take this opportunity to serve notice on California homeowners that during the months ahead their property tax bills will continue to mount higher and higher.

"When they view with understandable alarm the severity of these increases, I hope they will remember that passage of this tax reform program would have sharply reduced homeowner property taxes--and have held them down--by from 25 to 40 percent.

"I also hope they will recall how hard we tried to help them get that relief--and who the 13 senators were that denied it:

"Alfred Alquist, Anthony Beilenson, Clark Bradley, Randolph Collier, Mervyn Dymally, James Mills, George Moscone, Nicholas Petris, Albert Rodda, Alan Short, Walter Stiern, Stephen Teale, James Wedworth."

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

Governor Reagan will announce approval
of a \$50,000 grant through OEO for Bay Area
Indian organizations at a ceremony in his
office at 11 a.m. today.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#411

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the approval of a pilot demonstration grant of \$50,000 to the Bay Area Native American Council (BANAC), which represents the urban Indian organizations in the San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose area.

The grant is being made by the Office of Economic Opportunity (OEO) under the auspices of the San Francisco Federal Regional Council, composed of the regional directors of the Departments of Health, Education, and Welfare, Housing and Urban Development, Labor and the Office of Economic Opportunity.

Meeting with the Governor today to approve the grant were Robert Coop, Chairman of the Regional Council; H. Rodger Betts, Regional Director, OEO; and George Woodard of BANAC.

Coop said each agency will contribute an equal share of the total grant, which will be administered and monitored by the Office of Economic Opportunity under Betts. OEO will report to the Regional Council.

Purpose of the grant will be to have Indians independently assess Indian needs in the Bay Area, survey existing program resources already available, set priorities, and develop proposals for responding to unfilled needs in areas such as education, manpower, health and housing.

It also will serve to bring together Bay Area Indians in a unified approach to planning for the unique needs of urban Indians.

Governor Reagan ordered the State of California to provide support and cooperation. Technical assistance will be made available through OEO from the resources of the Regional Council agencies.

Coop described the Regional Council's approach as an example of practical application of President Nixon's message to the Congress of July 8, 1970, which stated that there is "a new and balanced relationship between the United States Government and the first Americans that is at the heart of our approach to Indian problems."

The Council action also is a demonstration of the several federal agencies working cooperatively to solve regional problems.

Indians who have left the reservation/^{and}are outside the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Indian Affairs are thereby faced with serious problems and as a result often do not take the opportunity to participate in programs for disadvantaged people.

Often they are lost in the anonymity of the city, cut off from family and friends, and slow to establish community ties.

"The grant to BANAC is a positive step toward meeting the problems of the American Indian population in Northern California," said Coop.

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PB

Governor Ronald Reagan today signed legislation he proposed to the legislature last January---the first law of its type in the world---which will enable California motorists to help fight pollution by ordering and displaying their own personalized license plates.

Under the new law (SB-262, Marks and Badham), automobile owners throughout the state will be able to order license plates containing almost any combination of up to six letters or numbers---so long as they don't conflict with regular plates or use offensive language---for \$25.

The special fee for the plates will go into a new state fund to fight air pollution and support other programs to preserve and enhance the beauty of California's environment.

The plan---a key provision in Governor Reagan's proposed Omnibus Clean Air Law---is the first personalized license plate program ever to be enacted by any state or nation for the specific purpose of funding anti-pollution programs. It drew the strong support of such diverse organizations as the Sierra Club, the Planning and Conservation League, oil companies, and the automobile clubs of Northern and Southern California.

At a ceremony in his office, Governor Reagan said:

"I am extremely pleased to be able to sign this measure into law.

"As you know, it was a key provision in the far-reaching Omnibus Clean Air Law we submitted to the legislature earlier this year---the most comprehensive battle plan to fight smog ever proposed by any state or nation.

"The new law will enable California motorists to play a direct and critically important role in the continuing battle against smog and other forms of pollution by ordering and displaying their own personalized license plates.

"The special plates will serve as a symbol of the motorist's personal concern for preserving and enhancing the beauty of California's environment.

"As I have said before, smog is not produced by some mysterious 'they.' It is 'we' who share the responsibility for producing it. This plan will provide all of us who own and drive cars with an opportunity to help solve the smog problem we all help to create.

"The extra \$25 fee for the personalized plates---except for actual production and processing costs---will go into a new state fund to protect California's environment.

"This is the first time that any state or nation has dedicated such a license plate program exclusively to the fight against pollution. And if it is successful here---as I am confident it will be---other states are certain to follow California's unchallenged lead in the battle to protect the environment.

"This is a totally bi-partisan program which received strong support in the legislature, and has the backing of such diverse organizations as the Sierra Club, The Planning and Conservation League, the oil companies and the state's major automobile clubs.

"The program needs and deserves not only the support of the general public but also of the media and all levels of the public and private sectors.

"Application forms for the personalized plates will soon be available at many banks, service stations, and other businesses---as well as local offices of the Department of Motor Vehicles and the California Highway Patrol."

The following are examples of expressions of support for the program.

Richard Wilson, president, Planning and Conservation League:

"I wish to congratulate Governor Reagan and the legislature for enacting this new law which will provide money for the new environmental protection fund.

"In addition to other programs to protect and enhance the environment, money in the new fund can be used for conservation education---to assist in training young people to the need for preserving California's environment. This represents a significant step forward in our efforts to improve the quality of life in California."

Michael McCloskey, executive director, Sierra Club:

"The Sierra Club is pleased that Governor Reagan is signing this important measure to raise money from the sale of special license plates for use in environmental programs. We hope that the program will be pursued vigorously and that all Californians will take this opportunity to make a contribution toward the state's environmental quality."

K. C. Vaughan, president, Western Oil and Gas Association:

"We think it is a great thing for the people of the State of California to have an opportunity voluntarily to participate in the every day fight against smog.

"These personalized license plates will proclaim to everyone that the driver has joined with industry and government and his fellow Californians in making a significant and strong contribution to the attack on air pollution.

"We applaud the legislature and the governor for joining to make this possible."

Charles Wherry and Neil Petree, presidents of the California State Automobile Association and the Automobile Club of Southern California, respectively:

"The Automobile Club of Southern California and the California State Automobile Association applaud the enactment of the personalized license plate program. We are enthused about the opportunity to contribute to the improvement of the environment in the State of California and we hope to assist in publicizing the availability of the personalized plates.

"We are pleased that this legislation will afford the motorists of California an opportunity to purchase the new plates, a portion of the proceeds from which can then be used for programs to help reduce motor vehicle air pollution."

Dr. A. J. Haagen-Smit, chairman, Air Resources Board, State of California:

"As chairman of the California Air Resources Board, I am most pleased at the signing into law of the Environmental Protection and Research Act. The adoption of this legislation is a very important step toward providing the means for protecting and improving the quality of California's environment.

"I pledge the full cooperation of the Air Resources Board supporting the objectives of the Act and urge all the people of California who are able, to join in this worthy cause.

FACT SHEET - California Environmental Protection Program.

1. Fees paid for personalized plates---after deduction of plate processing and production costs---will go to a special California Environmental Protection Program fund to preserve and protect the environment of California, including, but not limited to, the control of pollutants generated by motor vehicles.

2. Persons wanting to order personalized plates can obtain application forms at any Department of Motor Vehicles office; also at many service stations and automobile dealerships. The form should be filled in and mailed with the \$25 fee to the address given on the form. Checks or money orders must be made payable to the Department of Motor Vehicles.

A "special plate" renewal fee of \$10 will be due each year, starting in 1971, in addition to the registration renewal fees normally payable.

3. Personalized plates will be issued only to the registered owner of the vehicle on which they are to be displayed. If the owner sells, trades or otherwise gives up possession of the vehicle, he must either take off the plates and surrender them to the Department of Motor Vehicles or complete a transfer of the plates to another vehicle. The fee for transferring the plates will be \$12.

4. The plates will be the same color---gold on blue---and the same design as regular plates now being issued. They may be attached to passenger cars only---no trucks, trailers or motorcycles.

5. An applicant may request a combination of not less than two or more than six letters and/or numbers. Any blank space requested will be counted the same as a letter or number.

The application form has spaces for a first, second and third choice of desired letter and/or number combinations. If a person chooses three or more letters he may designate a number or numbers (from 1 to 99) that he will accept with his first, second or third choice when the letter combination is not available without numbers. On the line provided on the back of the application he should write "preceded by" or "followed by" and then the number(s) he selects.

6. To avoid confusion with ordinary license plates, requestors cannot select three letters preceded or followed by three numbers (MMM111) (789ABC). Also excluded are letter-number combinations used on trucks, trailers and motorcycles; amateur radio call letters.

DMV may reject combinations that might be misleading (FBI, CHP), or offensive to good taste.

If none of the choices submitted are available, the applicant will receive a refund of his \$25 application fee with an invitation to try again.

7. "Open application period" will end September 22, 1970. Early in October a drawing will be held for all combinations received during the 30 days for which there is more than one application. Applications mailed after September 22 will be processed on a first come, first served basis.

It is important to be patient in awaiting delivery of the plates, especially if a heavy initial response results in large numbers of applications being filed. Each set of plates must be manufactured individually after being matched against a variety of lists. When ready, the plates will be mailed to the local DMV office which the applicant designated on his application. The office will notify him when his plates are ready to be picked up in exchange for his current plates and registration card. This will probably not be until near the end of October 1970.

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YOUR "PERSONAL" LICENSE PLATE says: "I've staked my claim to a cleaner California"



Governor Reagan Says :

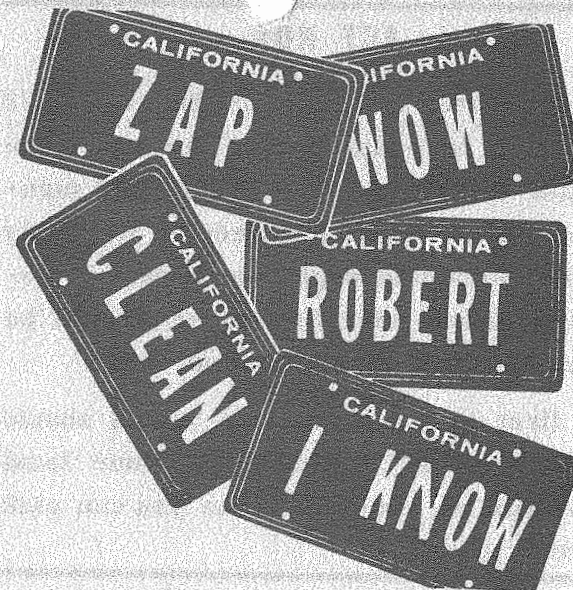
"Now you too can help protect California's environment — by ordering and displaying your own personalized car license plate.

"If you would like to join in the fight against pollution — to preserve and enhance the beauty of our state — then I urge you to support this very worthwhile program which establishes a new state fund to protect California's environment."

Under a new state law, for just \$25 you can order almost any combination of up to six letters and/or numbers — so long as they don't conflict with regular license plates, or use offensive language.

To demonstrate your active concern about protecting California's environment, complete the application form (to the right) and mail to DMV, P. O. Box 2770, Sacramento, Ca. 95808, with your \$25 check. The fee will go into a new state fund to fight air pollution and support other environmental programs.

(Please see other side.)



RONALD REAGAN
GOVERNOR



California Environmental Protection Program

Application for Personalized License Plates — Fee \$25
(Mail to DMV, P. O. Box 2770, Sacramento, CA 95808)

NAME _____

PRINT OR TYPE TRUE FULL NAME

PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS ON THE REVERSE SIDE.

I hereby make application for personalized license plates to be affixed to a passenger motor vehicle. I request the following combination of letters and/or numerals (combination not to exceed six positions or be less than two positions):

First Choice

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Second Choice

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Third Choice

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Location of DMV office where I will surrender my present license plates and current registration card in exchange for personalized license plates.

Office Name or Location _____

I have read the instructions on the reverse side hereof and understand the conditions under which these plates are to be issued.

SIGNATURE _____

STREET ADDRESS _____

APT. NO. _____

CITY _____

STATE _____

ZIP CODE _____

FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

SUSPENSE RECEIPT NO. _____

DATE FEES PAID _____

ACT NOW

All applications mailed by September 22 will have an equal chance for the more popular combinations of letters and numbers, with a drawing scheduled for early October to decide duplicate requests. Requests mailed after September 22 will be processed first come, first served.

The first new personalized plates should be ready about November 1. Your local DMV will let you know when you can pick up your plates.

California Environmental Protection Program *

Personalized License Plate Application Instructions

1. Each application must include a \$25 fee, which will be deposited in the **California Environmental Protection Fund**. Make check or money order payable to the Department of Motor Vehicles.
2. Plate number on duplicate requests will be assigned by drawing. If your choice is not available, but you would accept it preceded or followed by a number, 1 through 99, please indicate the number _____.
3. DMV will notify you of the plates you will be assigned.
4. Plates will be sent to the DMV office you indicate to exchange your present license plates.
5. If plates are intended for a new car to be purchased, indicate this on the DMV office line on the face of the form.
6. The department has the right to refuse any combination of letters and/or numbers that may carry connotations offensive to good taste and decency, or which would be misleading, or in conflict with any license plate series now issued. (Example BOB123 or 123BOB is not acceptable.)
7. The personalized plates will be your personal property subject to: (a.) Payment of an **additional \$10 fee each calendar year**. (b.) Payment of an **additional \$12 fee** each time the plates are transferred to another vehicle. (c.) Must be surrendered when you sell, trade or otherwise dispose of the vehicle to which they are assigned, if you do not transfer the plates to another vehicle at that time.

*California's Environmental Protection Program: to preserve and protect California's environment, especially by controlling air pollution generated by motor vehicles.

Anything (Almost) Goes!

You may request a combination of not less than two, nor more than six letters and/or numbers. (But see exceptions listed below). Blank spaces count the same as letters. Please don't ask for dashes, commas, periods, etc. They're not available.

To avoid confusion with ordinary license plates you cannot select three letters preceded or followed by three numbers (MMM111) (789ABC). Also excluded: Letter-number combinations used on trucks, trailers, and motorcycles; amateur radio call letters. DMV may reject combinations that might be misleading (FBI, CHP) or offensive to good taste. Otherwise, it's up to your own creativity!

The plates will be issued only to the registered owner of the vehicle on which they will be used. Sorry, they're for passenger cars only — no trucks, trailers or motorcycles.

Personalized plates will be the same color (gold on blue) and design as regular plates now being issued.

The application form has spaces for a first, second and third choice of desired letter and/or number combinations. If you choose three or more letters you may designate a number or numbers (from 1 to 99) that you will accept with your first, second or third choice when the letter combination is not available without numbers. On the line provided on the back of the application write "preceded by" or "followed by" and then the number(s) you select.

If you submit three choices and none is available, you will receive a refund of your \$25.00 with an invitation to try again.

Mail correspondence on personalized plates to DMV, P. O. Box 2770, Sacramento, California 95808.

Note: Even though you won't receive your new plates until late in 1970, the law requires you to go through the regular renewal procedure in January and pay the additional \$10 renewal fee for 1971, along with your regular annual registration fee.

The plates are yours as long as you keep up the annual renewal, though there is a \$12 fee if you want to transfer them to another vehicle.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#413

Governor Ronald Reagan announced today he has named Mrs. Kay Valory of Lafayette to the State Alcoholic Beverage Control Appeals Board.

She succeeds Adrienne Sausset of Sacramento in the \$18,000 a year post. The appointment is subject to Senate confirmation.

Mrs. Valory, who served until recently as the state's Consumer Counsel, has been a resident of Lafayette for the past 18 years.

She and her husband, Mark, a designer-builder, have six sons.

Mrs. Valory, a Republican, attended Richmond High School and the University of California at Berkeley.

She is a member of the California Historical Society and Alpha Delta Chi.

She will serve at the pleasure of the governor.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#414

Governor Ronald Reagan announced today the formation of an advisory committee to bring more shipbuilding and ship repair to California.

He said that the national administration has placed high priority on recovering this nation's former position in international trade. One element of the effort is the revitalization of the nation's Merchant Marine fleet, which has been allowed to deteriorate in recent years.

Governor Reagan, noting the national administration's determination to bring the Vietnam conflict to a close, said the success of this effort will give the United States a greater opportunity to pursue the vital need for modernizing some of the components of our Navy.

Taking these factors into account, he said, "I believe it is both timely and appropriate that such a committee of prominent leaders from both labor and management---men who are involved in shipbuilding and ship repair in our state---be established for the purpose of bringing more work and jobs to this major industry of California. We have great resources and a number of unique capabilities which must be reemployed as the nation begins its transition from a wartime economy. Mr. Louis Ets-Hokin, president of the Ets-Hokin Corporation, has played a key role in helping to form this committee to bring shipbuilding and ship repair to California.

"To insure that there is a close working relationship with state government, I have asked J. Bryan Sullivan, State Director of Commerce, to serve as chairman of the advisory committee."

Governor Reagan outlined three initial objectives of the committee:

--To identify the opportunities for additional shipbuilding, modification, and repair within the planned programs and revitalization of our Merchant Marine and modernization of our Navy.

--To determine the capabilities of California's maritime industry for fulfilling the requirement of these programs

--And, to identify those areas in which state government can be of assistance to the industry, working with California's Congressional delegation and the national administration in Washington to make certain that our capabilities and capacities are fully utilized in carrying out these national programs.

Named as vice chairmen of the executive committee, representing industry, were:

- John Murphy, National Steel and Shipbuilding, San Diego
- Robert Mayer, Todd Shipyards, San Francisco
- John E. Marriner, Manager, California Shipbuilding Corporation, Long Beach.

Executive Committee vice chairmen from labor are:

- Thomas Rotell, Chief, Marine Metal Trades Union, San Francisco.
- Berne Breuilotte, Member, IBEW (California representative)
- Clarence ^{E.} Briggs, ^{General} Regional Representative, ^{United Brotherhood} Plumbers, ~~Carpenters~~
of Carpenters and Joiners of America
and Electricians Unions.

The senior consultant to the committee will be Louis Ets-Hokin, San Francisco.

Other committee members are:

Representing labor, Freeman Brown, IAM, San Diego; Ed Rainbow, Business Representative, Boilermakers Union, San Francisco, and Joseph Ziff, Business Representative, IBEW, San Francisco.

Representing industry, Wilton Colberg, Manager, Colberg Shipyards, Stockton; William C. Brigham, General Manager, Bethlehem Steel, and President of West Coast Shipbuilders Association; and Cliff LeGette, Triple A Machine Shop, San Francisco and San Diego.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

#415

Governor Reagan will be on vacation next week, August 24th
through August 30).

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of Gilbert Harelson to the San Diego County Superior Court bench. He succeeds retired Judge John Hewicker in the \$31,816 per year post.

Harelson, 51, is a graduate of the University of Southern California Law School.

A resident of San Diego County for many years, Harelson has served as Deputy District Attorney for that county and as City Attorney for La Mesa. From 1959 to date, he has been a partner in the law firm of Harelson, Enright, Leavitt and Knutson.

Active in numerous civic and legal organizations, he has served as president of La Mesa Lions Club and on the Board of Directors of La Mesa Chamber of Commerce.

Harelson is a member of the Foothills Bar Association, San Diego County Bar Association, State Bar of California and American Bar Association. He also is a former member and vice president of the Board of Directors of the San Diego County Bar Association.

Harelson, a Republican, and his wife Henrietta have two children and reside in La Mesa.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#416

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of
Kenneth J. Bourguignon, president of a Van Nuys engineering and
construction firm, to the Commission on Housing and Community
Development.

The 52 year-old Republican will fill the unexpired term of
Donald Pinkerton of Fairfield who has resigned. Term ends
October 20, 1970.

Bourguignon and his wife, Dorothy, reside in Northridge at
8942 Oak Park Avenue. They have one son.

Commission members receive \$25 per diem while on official
duty.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#418

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of three new members to the Board of Directors of the 34th District Agricultural Association (Modoc County Fair).

They are David I. Grove, Robert F. Brooks, and Donald R. Koza.

Grove, 50, an Eagleville rancher, succeeds Ben R. Cambron of Alturas, whose term has expired. Active in several civic and agricultural organizations, he is a member of the Cattlemen's Association and Master of the Eagle Grange and a director of Surprise Valley Soil conservation District. He is a Republican.

Brooks, 44, a graduate of UCLA operates Brooks Insurance in Alturas. He succeeds Robert L. Schluter, whose term has expired. A Republican, he is past vice president of the California Elks Association, and chairman of the Modoc County Planning Commission.

Koza, 47, an Alturas general contractor, replaces Herman Weber, whose term has expired. Koza, a Republican, is a graduate of Kent State University and Montana School of Mines and is a member of the Bureau of Natural Resources and American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers.

Board members serve four-year-terms and are paid necessary expenses.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#419

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of Mike R. Elorduy, a veteran California labor union leader, to the Industrial Welfare Commission.

Elorduy, of Sacramento, is Secretary-Treasurer of the Teamsters' California State Council of Cannery and Food Processing Unions, and a native Californian.

He replaces Kenneth Bourguignon of Northridge who has resigned.

Governor Reagan, in announcing the appointment, said "I am very pleased that Mr. Elorduy will serve on this very important commission. His long association with the labor movement and his impressive background in civic and union affairs will be of great assistance to the commission and the people of California."

Elorduy began his career with Libby, McNeil and Libby Canning Company of Sacramento in 1934. He became recording secretary of the Cannery Workers and Warehousemen's Union Local 857 in 1940, became president of the local in 1944, and in 1960 was elected secretary-treasurer of the Teamsters' California State Council of Cannery and Food Processing Unions. He has twice been re-elected to the post.

The 55 year-old Democrat is a member of the Policy Committee of the Western Council of Cannery and Food Process Workers Unions, and has been on the Teamsters' Legislative Council in Sacramento since 1960.

Elorduy, long active in civic affairs, is a member of the Board of Directors for the American Red Cross, Community Welfare Council, Society for Crippled Children and Sacramento Safety Council. He was vice president of the United Crusade for the Sacramento Area and is a member of the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce Agribusiness Committee and the California State Industrial Safety Conference. He also is a commissioner of the Sacramento-Yolo Port District.

Elorduy is married and has two sons. The family home is at 5025 U Street, Sacramento.

Members of the Commission receive \$25 per diem while on official duty. He fills the unexpired term ending January 15, 1973.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bills have been signed:

- AB 15 - Johnson
(Chapter 785) Appropriates \$164,000, or as much as may be necessary to the Mountain View School District in Los Angeles County to pay current contracted indebtedness from the 1969-70 fiscal year. The bill requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to withhold from apportionments from the State School Fund to the District during the 1970-71, 1971-72 and 1972-73 fiscal year a like amount plus approximately 7 percent interest.
- AB 67 - Biddle
(Chapter 776) Places Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 47 on the general election ballot.
- AB 522 - Badham
(Chapter 778) Authorizes the Department of Motor Vehicles to issue, under specified conditions and for an additional fee, personalized license plates. The bill provides that all revenue derived from such fees shall be deposited in the California Environmental Protection Program Fund. This bill provides for a \$35 fee for personalized plates. SB 262 provides for a \$25 fee. This bill provides that it may be cited as the Badham-Marks Environmental Protection and Research Act. SB 262 provides that it may be cited as the Marks-Badham Environmental Protection and Research Act. The last chaptered bill will prevail with respect to the above-cited differences.
- AB 1042 - Priolo
(Chapter 786) Provides that upon a decision of the Supreme Court that the Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Controller, Secretary of State, Treasurer, or Superintendent of Public Instruction has ceased to discharge the duties of his office for three consecutive months due to physical or mental disability caused by the disease, illness or accident the Governor shall appoint an acting officer until such time as Supreme Court determines the officer is able to perform the duties of his office. The bill changes the Commission on Governorship to the Commission on Constitutional Officers. The bill is operative on adoption of Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 43 by the voters.
- AB 1071 - Zenovich
(Chapter 777) Appropriates state revenues from the Property Tax Relief Fund for subventions to eligible school districts to make up for revenues lost due to the reduction in assessed valuation occasioned by taxation procedures on wine, winery products, or brandy.
- AB 1369 - Stacey
(Chapter 787) Adds an alternative tax rate levy condition for very low wealth elementary school districts not eligible for bonus foundation program increases, to enable them to qualify for supplemental support allowances.
- AB 1815 - Stull
(Chapter 788) Permits a municipal water district board to issue authorized bonds of the District after territory has been detached from an improvement district if the remaining territory will be benefited. Requires notice and hearing prior to such board determination.
- AB 1868 - Conrad
(Chapter 784) Amends the Usury Law to provide that the making or negotiating of a loan with a finance charge in excess of that permitted by law is a felony. Present law makes "loan sharking" a misdemeanor. The bill becomes effective when approved by the voters at the 1970 general election.

AB 2447 - Deddeh
(Chapter 789)

Codifies various provisions relating to dueling, marriage contracts, plurality of votes in elections, residence, the fiscal year, and perpetuities to be omitted in a partial revision of the California Constitution if the voters approve Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 65.

SB 662 - Sherman
(Chapter 780)

Extends from six months to twelve months the period after having received a report on the examination of ~~school~~ buildings that the governing board of a school district must call an election, if necessary to submit a bond proposition or to authorize an increase in the maximum tax rate to raise sufficient funds to reconstruct or replace school buildings not constructed to the Field Act standard

SB 539 - Sherman
(Chapter 775)

Authorizes, in cases of nonresident decedents who died without a will preliminary distribution of the California estate of such decedent to an administrator duly qualified and appointed in the state of the decedent's residence. The bill also specifies as one of the conditions to make a preliminary distribution in cases where a nonresident decedent left a will, that the will has been admitted to probate in California.

SB 815 - Dymally
(Chapter 781)

Provides that the ballot designation for a candidate must be the actual profession, vocation or occupation of the candidate at least 59 days prior to the general election. The bill also allows the designation of more than one profession, vocation or occupation.

SB 1268 - Coombs
(Chapter 782)

Provides for the issuance of state bonds in total amount not to exceed \$60,000,000 for planning and developing facilities for recreation and fish and wildlife enhancement. The bill provides for submission of the bond proposal to voters at the 1970 general election.

SB 1360 - Coombs
(Chapter 783)

Enacts Colorado River Toll Bridge Compact for purpose of construction of a toll bridge crossing the Colorado River near Needles.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

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Governor Reagan's vacation in southern California will continue until next Thursday (September 3) evening when he and Mrs. Reagan will attend a dinner given by President Nixon in honor of President Gustavo Diaz Ordaz of Mexico, at the hotel Del Coronado, Coronado.

The following morning (September 4) at 8 a.m., the governor will address the annual Sacramento Host Breakfast at the Woodlake Inn, Sacramento.

No other public appointments are scheduled for the remainder of the week.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of John J. McCoy, chief deputy of the Riverside County Sheriff's Department as director of the California Disaster Office.

McCoy, 42, a veteran law enforcement officer with experience in civil defense and disaster work, will succeed Colonel Charles Samson in the \$25,000 per year post. His appointment is subject to Senate confirmation.

McCoy, national general chairman of the Law Enforcement Intelligence Unit and a member of the California Council on Criminal Justice Task Force on Organized Crime, has served as law enforcement coordinator for the Riverside County Sheriff's Department in mutual aid activities since 1963.

He also has helped to direct all Civil Defense exercises in Riverside County and directed law enforcement and rescue operations during 1968 and 1969 flood disasters and fire problems in the county.

A native Californian, McCoy is a graduate of Occidental College in Los Angeles and holds a law degree from Southwestern University Law School.

He has attended the Riverside Sheriff's Academy, the California Highway Patrol Academy, the FBI's Police Management and Legal Advisors Schools and police institutes at the California State College in Los Angeles, the University of California at Riverside and Riverside City College.

He holds a life-time teaching credential from the State Board of Education and has been an instructor in law enforcement at Riverside City College.

McCoy joined the Riverside County Sheriff's Department in 1952, working his way from a patrol deputy to his present post. He also served two years with the California Highway Patrol.

He is president of the Riverside County Peace Officer's Association and is active in the Riverside Sheriff's Association, the California Peace Officers Association and the Riverside County Traffic Advisory Committee.

McCoy and his wife Nancy have two daughters.

He is a Republican.