

(Without Reference to File)

## CONCURRENCE IN SENATE AMENDMENTS

AB 128 (Ting)

As Amended June 10, 2021

Majority vote. Budget Bill Appropriations Takes Effect Immediately

## SUMMARY

This bill is the Budget Act of 2021, reflecting an agreement between the Senate and Assembly on appropriations for the 2021-22 fiscal year.

### Senate Amendments

Delete the previous contents of this bill to include the budget provisions.

Given the size and scope of the budget, the Assembly Budget Committee outlines the provisions of the bill in the Floor Report document, which is maintained on the Committee website:

<https://abgt.assembly.ca.gov/>

## COMMENTS

This bill implements the budget agreement between the Senate and Assembly, for adoption prior to the June 15th constitutional deadline. Typically, the budget act is amended several times during the fiscal year to reflect agreements with the administration, unexpected costs, and additional budget actions on items that are intended to be developed after the start of the fiscal year.

This budget includes Control Section 19.55 which articulates \$17.8 billion in total spending that is anticipated to be appropriated in the 2021-22 fiscal year but is not yet included in the budget act. Additional amendments to the Budget Act are expected during the 2021 legislative session to facilitate the appropriation of these items.

This bill reflects the budget action taken by the Assembly Budget Committee on June 2, 2021 but was further amended to reflect the \$215 million projected county costs for the 2021 recall election.

### According to the Author

This bill creates a historic and transformational state budget that will have lasting impact on Californians for decades. We are meeting the challenges of today, helping individuals, families and small businesses still struggling as a result of the pandemic – while also investing in tomorrow with priorities like infrastructure, university expansion, affordable housing supply and climate resilience.

### Arguments in Support

None on file.

### Arguments in Opposition

None on file.

**FISCAL COMMENTS**

According to the Department of Finance, this budget contains \$261.4 billion in total expenditures for the 2021-22 fiscal year, with \$195.5 billion from General Fund. The budget includes total overall reserves of \$25.5 billion.

**VOTES:****ASSEMBLY FLOOR: 56-18-5**

**YES:** Aguiar-Curry, Arambula, Bauer-Kahan, Bennett, Berman, Bloom, Boerner Horvath, Bonta, Burke, Calderon, Carrillo, Cervantes, Chau, Chiu, Cooley, Cooper, Daly, Friedman, Gabriel, Cristina Garcia, Eduardo Garcia, Gipson, Lorena Gonzalez, Gray, Grayson, Holden, Irwin, Jones-Sawyer, Kalra, Lee, Levine, Low, Maienschein, McCarty, Medina, Mullin, Muratsuchi, Nazarian, O'Donnell, Petrie-Norris, Quirk-Silva, Ramos, Reyes, Luz Rivas, Robert Rivas, Rodriguez, Blanca Rubio, Salas, Santiago, Stone, Ting, Villapudua, Ward, Wicks, Wood, Rendon

**NO:** Bigelow, Chen, Choi, Cunningham, Megan Dahle, Davies, Flora, Fong, Gallagher, Kiley, Lackey, Mathis, Nguyen, Patterson, Seyarto, Smith, Voepel, Waldron

**ABS, ABST OR NV:** Frazier, Kamlager, Mayes, Quirk, Valladares

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