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THIRD READING

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Bill No: AB 154  
Author: Committee on Budget  
Amended: 9/8/25 in Senate  
Vote: 21

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ASSEMBLY FLOOR: 53-17, 3/20/25 - See last page for vote

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**SUBJECT:** Greenhouse gases: climate corporate accountability: climate-related financial risk: regulations: California Environmental Quality Act exemption

**SOURCE:** Author

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**DIGEST:** This bill related to the CEQA exemption of emission disclosure laws.

**ANALYSIS:**

This bill:

- 1) **CEQA Exemption.** Exempts regulations adopted to implement two recent emissions disclosure laws, SB 253 (Wiener, Gonzalez, and Stern Chapter 382, Statutes of 2023) and SB 261 (Stern, Becker, Gonzalez, and Wiener Chapter 383, Statutes of 2023).
- 2) **Emission Disclosure Laws.** Appropriates \$1,000 from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund to the State Air Resources Board for the implementation of SB 253 and SB 26.

**FISCAL EFFECT:** Appropriation: Yes Fiscal Com.: Yes Local: No

The funding related to the changes in this bill is contained in the Budget Act of 2025.

**SUPPORT:** (Verified 9/8/25)

None received

**OPPOSITION:** (Verified 9/8/25)

None received

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AYES: Addis, Aguiar-Curry, Arambula, Ávila Farías, Bains, Bennett, Berman, Boerner, Bonta, Bryan, Caloza, Carrillo, Connolly, Elhawary, Fong, Gabriel, Garcia, Gipson, Mark González, Haney, Harabedian, Hart, Jackson, Kalra, Lee, Lowenthal, McKinnor, Muratsuchi, Nguyen, Ortega, Pacheco, Patel, Pellerin, Petrie-Norris, Quirk-Silva, Ramos, Ransom, Celeste Rodriguez, Michelle Rodriguez, Rogers, Blanca Rubio, Schiavo, Schultz, Sharp-Collins, Solache, Soria, Stefani, Valencia, Ward, Wicks, Wilson, Zbur, Rivas

NOES: Alanis, Castillo, Chen, Davies, DeMaio, Dixon, Ellis, Flora, Gallagher, Jeff Gonzalez, Hadwick, Lackey, Macedo, Patterson, Sanchez, Ta, Tangipa

NO VOTE RECORDED: Ahrens, Alvarez, Bauer-Kahan, Calderon, Essayli, Hoover, Irwin, Krell, Papan, Wallis

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