
THIRD READING

Bill No: ACR 113
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Introduced: 8/20/25
Vote: 21

SUBJECT: Intellectual Property Awareness Month

SOURCE: Author

DIGEST: This resolution recognize October 2025 as Intellectual Property Awareness Month in California.

ANALYSIS: This resolution makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) Intellectual property (IP) encompasses a wide range of creative and innovative endeavors, including patents, trademarks, copyrights, and trade secrets, which collectively drive progress in technology, arts, sciences, and commerce.
- 2) The State of California recognizes the crucial role that IP plays in fostering innovation and creativity, as well as in advancing California to become the fourth largest economy in the world.
- 3) California stands as a beacon of innovation, hosting a diverse ecosystem of entrepreneurs, startups, researchers, and creators who contribute to the state's vibrant economy by leveraging IP to generate jobs, foster economic growth, and attract investment.
- 4) Promoting IP awareness encourages a culture of respect for originality and fosters collaboration among individuals and entities in various sectors to drive the development of groundbreaking solutions and artistic expressions.

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Related/ Prior Legislation

SR 106 (Newman, 2024) – Adopted in Senate.

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

SUPPORT: (Verified 8/27/25)

None received

OPPOSITION: (Verified 8/27/25)

None received

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