

**THE SENATE OF THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS
CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH**

Bill Number: Senate Resolution #2019-09
Title: California State Legislature Bills of Interest
Sponsored by: Senators-at-Large Justin Contreras and Mateo Maya; Senator for the College of Education Frances Canales; and Lobby Corps Committee
Co-Sponsored by: ASI Chief Government Relations Officer Reyalyn Villegas
Date Submitted: February 8, 2019
Date Approved: February 27, 2019

- WHEREAS** the Associated Students, Inc. (ASI) Board of Directors at California State University, Long Beach (CSULB) is the recognized voice for over 37,000 students; and
- WHEREAS** the CSULB ASI mission states, “the Associated Students of CSULB seeks to facilitate the achievement of students’ educational objectives and life goals through programs, services, and facilities that advocate student needs and interests, compel student representation in campus decision making and provide students with resources that they identify as necessary for their intellectual, social and physical development;¹” and
- WHEREAS** the ASI Lobby Corps is tasked with acting in favor or against legislation and advocating for students’ needs at both local and state level to guarantee the best interests of CSULB students; now therefore, be it
- RESOLVED** that the CSULB ASI Boards of Directors shall formally take positions on the following legislative items regardless of status:
- **Support** - SB 14 (Glazer): Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of 2020
 - **Support** - SB 12 (Beall): Mental Health Services: Youth
 - **Support** - SB 24 (Leyva): Public University Student Health Centers: Abortion by Medication Techniques
 - **Support** - SB 148 (Glazer): Public Postsecondary Education: The California Promise: Student Success and On-Time Completion Fund
 - **Support** - SB 173 (Dodd): CalFresh: Postsecondary Student Eligibility: Work-Study
 - **Support** - AB 10 (Chiu): Income Taxes: Credits Low-Income Housing: Farmworker Housing
 - **Support** - AB 13 (Eggman): Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of 2020
 - **Support** - AB 53 (Jones-Sawyer): Rental Housing Discrimination: Applications: Criminal Records
 - **Support** - AB 140 (Cervantes): California Kickstart My Future Loan Forgiveness Program
 - **Support** - AB 154 (Voepel): Public Postsecondary Education: Income Share Agreement: Pilot Program
 - **Support** - AB 302 (Berman): Parking: Homeless Students
 - **Support** - AB 532 (Weber): California State University Parking Fairness Act
 - **Support** - AB 534 (Mayes): Social Services: Access to Food
 - **Support** - AB 151 (Voepel) Student Financial Aid: Cal Grant Program
 - **Support** - (Unassigned) College Athlete Bill of Rights
 - **Support** - (Unassigned) College Rapid Rehousing Bill

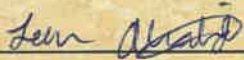
¹ <http://www.asicsulb.org/pages/asi-mission-statement>

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- **Support** - (Unassigned) AB 540 Competitive Cal Grant Access; and be it further


RESOLVED the ASI Lobby Corps, along with the CSULB California Higher Education Student Summit (CHES) delegation, will advocate and lobby the California State Legislature regarding the above bills and positions; and be it finally

RESOLVED that an electronic copy of this resolution, upon its approval by the ASI President be distributed to CSULB President Jane Conoley, Interim Vice President for Student Affairs Mary Ann Takemoto, Dean of Students Piya Bose, Chair of the Academic Senate Norbert Schürer, Athletics Director Andy Fee, the Cal State Student Association, all current and future ASI Officers, the Daily 49er, and 22 West Magazine.



Leen Almahdi, Vice President &
Chair, Associated Students Board of Directors

Delivered to the President of the Associated Students on:


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BILL SUMMARY:

SB 14 (Glazer): Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of 2020

Summary: This bill relates to financing education. An election would be conducted for the issuance and sale of bonds of the State of California and for the handling and disposition of those funds. This bill would provide for the submission of the Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of 2020 to the voters at the March 3, 2020, statewide primary election, as specified.

SB 12 (Beall): Mental Health Services: Youth

Summary: This bill would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation that would authorize the state and local governments to establish a series of at least 100 centers statewide to address the mental health needs of California youth.

SB 24 (Leyva): Public University Student Health Centers: Abortion by Medication Techniques

Summary: This bill would require, on and after January 1, 2023, each student health care services clinic on a California State University or University of California campus to offer abortion by medication techniques.

SB 148 (Glazer): Public Postsecondary Education: The California Promise: Student Success and On-Time Completion Fund

Summary: This bill would establish the Student Success and On-Time Completion Fund in the State Treasury, and would authorize the trustees, upon appropriation by the Legislature, to use monies in the fund to incentivize participation in a campus' California Promise program in one or more specified ways, including the use of grants and tuition freezes.

SB 173 (Dodd): CalFresh: Postsecondary Student Eligibility: Work-Study

Summary: The California Constitution requires the state to reimburse local agencies and school districts for certain costs mandated by the state. This bill would provide that reimbursement for those costs shall be made pursuant to the statutory provisions.

AB 10 (Chiu): Income Taxes: Credits Low-Income Housing: Farmworker Housing

Summary: This bill would increase the aggregate housing credit dollar amount that may be allocated among low-income housing projects by an additional \$500,000,000, as specified, and would allocate to farmworker housing projects \$25,000,000 per year of that amount.

AB 13 (Eggman): Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of 2020

Summary: This bill would enact the Higher Education Facilities Bond Act of 2020 which, upon approval by the state electorate, would authorize the issuance of state general obligation bonds in the total amount of \$7,000,000,000. The proceeds of the bonds issued and sold under the bill would be available for the construction, reconstruction, and remodeling of existing or new facilities.

AB 53 (Jones-Sawyer): Rental Housing Discrimination: Applications: Criminal Records

Summary: This bill would make it unlawful for the owner of any rental housing accommodation to deny the rental or lease of a housing accommodation without first satisfying specified requirements relating to the application process.

AB 140 (Cervantes): California Kickstart My Future Loan Forgiveness Program

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Summary: This bill would establish the California Kickstart My Future Loan Forgiveness Program, under the administration of the commission, to provide student loan forgiveness awards for the purpose of alleviating the burden of federal student loan debt for recent graduates meeting specified requirements.

AB 154 (Voepel): Public Postsecondary Education: Income Share Agreement: Pilot Program

Summary: This bill would require the California State University to select a campus of its respective system to establish, commencing with the 2021–22 academic year, a pilot program for participating students to enter into an income share agreement with the campus. These agreements would specify that monies for the pilot program would be provided to students for costs of attendance, with students agreeing to pay a portion of their future incomes in exchange. The bill would provide that the period of repayment shall not exceed 10 years and shall commence 6 months after the student’s graduation. The bill would require the income share agreement to be subject to specified requirements, including, among others, that the agreement provide for monthly payments to be based on a specified percentage of the student’s annual income.

AB 302 (Berman): Parking: Homeless Students

Summary: This bill would require a community college campus that has parking facilities on campus to grant overnight access to those facilities to any homeless student who is enrolled in coursework, has paid enrollment fees, and is in good standing with the community college, and would require the governing board of the community college district to determine a plan of action to implement this requirement.

AB 532 (Weber) California State University Parking Fairness Act

Summary: This bill would require each university campus to make the purchase price of each student parking permit lower than the purchase price of any campus employee parking permit that is valid for the same date or dates, time period or periods, and general location or locations on campus as the student permit.

AB 534 (Mayes) Social Services: Access to Food

Summary: This bill would require the State Department of Social Services, the State Department of Public Health, the State Department of Education, and the Department of Food and Agriculture, to develop a plan to end hunger. The bill would require the State Department of Social Services to serve as the lead agency for the development of the plan. The bill would require the plan to be distributed to the Legislature no later than January 1, 2021, and would establish criteria for the plan, including that the plan establish a budget of \$11,500,000, contingent upon an appropriation in the annual Budget Act or other measure, for the Department of Food and Agriculture to support local food hub efforts. The bill would also require the plan to request the Regents of the University of California, and direct the Trustees of the California State University and the Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges, to develop systems that allow EBT cards to be used on their respective campuses, and present a report to the Assembly Select Committee on Campus Climate on the progress that has been made, by July 1, 2020.

AB 151 (Voepel) Student Financial Aid: Cal Grant Program

Summary: This legislation would increase the eligible age for students to receive an award under the California Community College Transfer Entitlement Program from 28 to 30.

(Unassigned) College Athlete Bill of Rights

Summary: This bill would require any institution of higher education that provides athletic scholarships in California, to provide an equivalent scholarship to students who do not have their athletic contract renewed due to injury or illness. Additionally, this legislation would require institutions to provide support to the

catastrophically injured or ill athlete with the potential medical costs. Last year, CSSA supported AB 2220 (Bonta) which was where the idea and language for this legislation was developed from.

(Unassigned) College Rapid Rehousing Bill

Summary: This college rapid rehousing bill would take an already existing best practice in the field of homelessness called "Rapid Rehousing," and tailor it to higher educational institutions.

(Unassigned) AB 540 Competitive Cal Grant Access

Summary: This legislation would ensure that all forms of state-based financial aid in California are made equally available to students exempt from paying nonresident tuition.

