

Memorandum 2020-11

2020 Legislative Program (Status Report)

This memorandum provides a status report on Commission-related legislation in 2020.¹

The current health crisis has seriously disrupted this year's legislative program. The status of Commission-recommended legislation is as follows:

- The bills to implement the Commission's recommendations on the California Public Record Act (AB 2138 & 2438 (Chau)) have been withdrawn by the author, for reintroduction after the crisis has abated.
- The bill on revocable transfer on death deeds (SB 1305 (Roth)) was amended on May 13, 2020, so that it extends the sunset date on the RTODD statute but does nothing more.
- The bill on trial court restructuring (AB 1984 (Maienschein)) was approved by the Assembly Committee on Judiciary on March 10, 2020, and referred to the Appropriations Committee, with a recommendation of consent. No action has been taken since.
- The Commission's resolution of authority (ACR 173 (Gallagher)) was approved on consent by the Assembly Committee on Judiciary on May 12, 2020. It too has been referred to the Appropriations Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

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