

## Memorandum 2022-4

**2022 Legislative Program (Status Report)**

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As described below, the staff is working with the Legislature to introduce bills to implement a number of Commission recommendations.<sup>1</sup>

**Toxic Materials**

The staff is working with the Assembly Committee on Environmental Safety and Toxic Materials toward the use of a committee bill to implement the following recommendations:

- *Hazardous Substance Account Recodification Act* (February 2021).
- *Hazardous Substance Account Recodification Act: Conforming Revisions* (February 2021).

**Nonprobate Disposition of Estate**

Assembly Member Maienschein has agreed to author a bill to implement the following recommendations:

- *Disposition of Estate Without Administration: Liability of Transferee* (May 2020).
- *Nonprobate Transfers: Liability of a Surviving Spouse Under Probate Code Sections 13550 and 13551*, 46 Cal. L. Revision Comm'n Reports 11 (2019).

**Public Records Act Clean-Up**

The staff is working with the Office of the Legislative Counsel to reintroduce cross-reference corrections that were chaptered out of last year's AB 474 (Chau). The hope is that these technical revisions will be included in the annual

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<sup>1</sup>. Any California Law Revision Commission document referred to in this memorandum can be obtained from the Commission. Recent materials can be downloaded from the Commission's website ([www.clrc.ca.gov](http://www.clrc.ca.gov)). Other materials can be obtained by contacting the Commission's staff, through the website or otherwise.

The Commission welcomes written comments at any time during its study process. Any comments received will be a part of the public record and may be considered at a public meeting. However, comments that are received less than five business days prior to a Commission meeting may be presented without staff analysis.

Maintenance of the Codes bill. Further information about that effort will be provided in the First Supplement to this memorandum.

Respectfully submitted,

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