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	Party Dist.	Grade	AB 485 Pet Stores shelter/rescue animals SUPPORT	AB 411 Therapy dogs for witnesses SUPPORT	AB 1138 Sale of dogs over internet SUPPORT	AB 1031 Allows for tax check-off SUPPORT	SB 420 Criminal history SUPPORT	SB 673 Pet lovers license plates SUPPORT		Authored a good bill ** Authored a bad bill - - co-authored good bill * co-authored a bad bill -
Governor Jerry Brown	D	C	+	+	-	+	+	+		
ASSEMBLY										
Acosta, Dante	R-38	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Aguiar-Curry, Cecilia .	D-04	D	+	+	-a	+	-a	+		
Allen, Travis	R-72	D	-	+	+	+	-a	+		
Arambula, Dr. Joaquin	D-31	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Baker, Catherine	D-78	A	+	+	+	+	+	+		+
Berman, Marc	D-24	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Bigelow, Frank	R-05	F	-a	+	+	+	-	+		-
Bloom, Richard	D-50	A+	+	+	+	+	+	+		+++++
Bocanegra, Raul	D-39	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Bonta, Rob	D-18	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Brough, William	R-73	C	+	+	+	+	+	-a		
Burke, Autumn	D-62	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Caballero, Anna M.	D-30	C	+	+	+	+	+	+		-
Calderon, Ian	D-57	C	+	+	-a	+	+	+		
Cervantes, Sabrina	D-60	A	+	+	+	+	+	+		+
Chau, Ed	D-49	C	+	+	-a	+	+	+		
Chavez, Rocky	R-76	A	+	+	+	+	+	+		+
Chen, Phillip	R-55	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Chiu, David	D-17	A	+	+	+	+	+	+		+
Choi, Ph.D., Steven S.	R-68	C	-a	+	+	+	+	+		
Chu, Kansen	D-25	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Cooley, Ken	D-08	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Cooper, Jim	D-09	D	+	+	+	+	+	+		--
Cunningham, Jordan	R-35	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Dababneh, Matthew	D-45	A	+	+	+	+	+	+		++
Dahle, Brian	R-01	F	-a	+	+	+	+	+		--
Daly, Tom	D-69	A	+	+	+	+	+	+		+
Eggman, Susan	D-13	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Flora, Heath	R-12	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Fong, Vince	R-34	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Frazier, Jim	D-11	F	-a	+	-a	+	+	+		--
Friedman, Laura	D-43	C+	+	+	-a	+	+	+		+
Gallagher, James	D-03	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Garcia, Christina	D-58	A	+	+	+	+	+	+		+
Garcia, Eduardo	D-64	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Gipson, Mike	D-64	C	+	+	-a	+	+	+		
Gloria, Todd	D-78	D+	+	+	-a	+	+	-a		+
Gonzales, Lorena	D-80	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Gray, Adam	D-21	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Grayson, Timothy	D-14	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Harper, Matthew	R-74	D	-	+	+	+	-a	+		
Holden, Chris	D-41	C	+	+	-a	+	+	+		
Irwin, Jacqui	D-44	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Jones-Sawyer, Reginald	D-59	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Kalra, Ash	D-27	A	+	+	+	+	+	+		+
Kiley, Kevin	R-06	C	-a	+	+	+	+	+		
Lackey, Tom	R-36	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Levine, Marc	D-10	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Limón, Monique	D-37	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Low, Evan	D-28	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Maienschein, Brian	R-77	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Mathis, Devon	R-26	F	-a	+	+	+	+	+		---
Mayes, Chad	R-42	C	-a	+	+	+	+	+		
McCarty, Kevin	D-07	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Medina, Jose	D-61	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Melendez, Melissa	R-67	C	-a	+	+	+	+	+		
Mullin, Kevin	D-22	C	+	+	-a	+	+	+		
Muratsuchi, Al	D-66	A	+	+	+	+	+	+		+
Nazarian, Adrin	D-46	B	+	+	+	+	+	+		
Obernalte, Jay	R-33	C	-a	+	+	+	+	+		

O'Donnell, Patrick	D-70	A	+	+	+	+	+	+	++
Patterson, Jim	R-23	C	-a	+	+	+	+	+	
Quirk, Bill	D-20	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Quirk-Silva, Sharon	D-65	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Rendon, Anthony	D-63	A	+	+	a	a	+	+	
Reyes, Eloise Gómez	D-47	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
RidleyThomas,Sebastian	D-54	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Rodriguez, Freddie	D-52	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Rubio, Blanca E.	D-48	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Salas, Jr., Rudy	D-32	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Santiago, Miguel	D-53	C	+	+	-a	+	+	+	
Steinorth, Marc	R-40	C	-a	+	+	+	+	+	
Stone, Mark	D=29	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Thurmond, Tony	D-15	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Ting, Philip	D-19	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Voepel, Randy	R-71	C	-	+	+	+	+	+	
Waldron, Marie	R-75	A	+	+	+	+	+	+	++
Weber, Shirley	D-79	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Wood, Jim	D-02	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
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Allen, Benjamin	D-26	B-	+	-a	+	+	+	+	++
Anderson, Joel	R-38	D	+	+	+	+	+	+	--
Atkins, Toni	D-39	A	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Bates, Patricia	R-36	A	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Beall, Jim	D-15	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Berryhill, Tom	R-08	C	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Bradford, Steven	D-35	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Cannella, Anthony	R-12	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
De Leon, Kevin	D-24	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Dodd, Bill	D-03	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Fuller, Jean	R-16	D	-a	+	+	+	+	+	-
Gaines, Ted	R-01	C	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Galgiani, Cathleen	D-05	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	+ -
Glazer, Steven	D-07	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Hernandez, Ed	D-22	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Hertzberg, Robert	D-18	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Hill, Jerry	D-13	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Hueso, Ben	D-40	C	+	+	+	+	-a	+	
Jackson, Hanna-Beth	D-19	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Lara, Ricardo	D-33	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Leyva, Connie	D-20	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
McGuire, Mike	D-02	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Mendoza, Tony	D-32	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Mitchell, Holly	D-30	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Monning, Bill	D-17	A-	+	+	+	+	-a	+	+++
Moorlach, John	R-37	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Morrell, Mike	R-23	C	-a	+	+	+	+	+	
Newman, Josh	D-29	A	+	+	+	+	+	+	++
Nguyen, Janet	R-34	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Nielsen, Jim	R=04	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Pan, Richard	D-06	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Portantino, Anthony J.	D-25	C	+	+	+	+	-a	+	
Roth, Richard	D-31	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Skinner, Nancy	D-09	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Stern, Henry I.	D-27	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Stone, Jeff	R-28	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Vidak, Andy	R-14	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Wieckowski, Bob	D-10	B	+	+	+	+	+	+	
Wiener, Scott	D-11	A	+	+	+	+	+	+	++
Wilk, Scott	R-21	C	+	+	+	+	+	+	-

+ = pro-animal vote

- = anti-animal vote

a = absent

-a = abstention when "yes" vote needed

++ = authored a protective bill

-- = authored a harmful bill

+ = co-authored a protective bill

- = co-authored a harmful bill

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LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR
Assemblymember Richard Bloom, District 50

AB 485 by Assemblymember Patrick O'Donnell re: Pet Stores. Support. Passed. Requires pet stores to ONLY sell dogs, cats and rabbits from public shelters or rescue organizations. Allows animal control and humane officers or peace officers to enforce the requirement.

AB 411 by Assemblymember Richard Bloom re: Therapy dogs. Support. Passed. Authorizes the use of a support dog during the testimony of specified victims and child witnesses.

AB 1138 by Assemblymember Brian Maienschein re: Internet sale of dogs and cats. Support. Passed. Prohibits the internet sale or transfer of a dog or cat with untrue or misleading statements, including photos and advertising.

AB 1031 by Assemblymember Marie Waldron re: Check off on taxes. Support. Passed. Establishes the Native California Wildlife Rehabilitation Voluntary Tax Contribution Fund. Taxpayers may contribute through a designation on the state personal income tax return.

SB 420 by Senator Bill Monning re: Criminal history. Support. Passed. Requires that sentencing information be included in the summary of criminal history information.

SB 673 by Senator Josh Newman re: License Plates. Support. Passed. Allocates the revenue raised from the sale of pet license plates for low-cost/no-cost spay/neuter services.

IMPORTANT BILLS that did NOT make it through the legislative process:

SB 602 (Allen). Protecting Bees. Support. Would have included neonicotinoids as being classified as a pesticide.

AB 8 (Bloom). Mountain Lions. Support. Would have removed the mandate that mountain lions be 'killed'.

AB 1687 (Bloom). Pesticides. Support. Would have prohibited the use of anti-coagulants.

AB 521 (Frazier) Hunting tags for Elk. Oppose. Would have reduced the fees for purchasing hunting tags for elk.

AB 1544 (Dahle & Mathis). Oppose. Would have suspended the non-lead ammunition requirement.

SB 710 (Anderson). Oppose. Would have legalized gun silencers.

AB 243 ((Cooper). Oppose. Would have established the CA Beef Commission and given it special authority.