

**SUMMARY ANALYSIS OF AMENDED BILL**

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Related Bills: See Prior Analysis Telephone: 845-3495 Amended Date: March 28, 2016  
Attorney: Bruce Langston Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

**SUBJECT:** Public Records/State Agency Response to Denied Requests for Disclosure

**SUMMARY**

This bill would, under the Government Code, modify provisions of the California Public Records Act (PRA)<sup>1</sup>.

**RECOMMENDATION**

No position.

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS**

The March 28, 2016, amendments added a number of coauthors and rephrased the provision relating to requests for public records. Except for the "This Bill" section, the remainder of the department's analysis of the bill as introduced January 25, 2016, still applies. The "Economic" and "Fiscal Impact" sections have been restated for convenience.

**THIS BILL**

Upon written request for inspection or copies of public records, this bill would require an agency to identify the type or types of record withheld under the provisions of the PRA and the specific exemption that justifies the withholding of that type of record.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

This bill would impact the department's privacy, security and disclosure bureau. As the bill continues to move through the legislative process, costs will be identified and an appropriation will be requested, if necessary.

**ECONOMIC IMPACT**

This bill would not impact the state's income tax revenue.

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<sup>1</sup> Government Code sections 6250 – 6276.48.

## **SUPPORT/OPPOSITION**

Support: None on file.

Opposition: None on file.

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