

113 proposed “hidden taxes” on consumers since 1999

Higher costs for banking services

AB 1226 SB 935

Higher costs for licensed beverages

AB 2744 SB 248 SB 928 SB 1417 SB 1520 AB 83 \$1 AB 216 \$100 SB 50 SB 108 \$700 SBX1 5 \$629

Higher costs for products with certain chemicals

AB 306 SB 1168 SB 533 AB 1764 \$23 AB 998 \$15 AB 854 \$15 AB 698 \$10 AB 302 AB 342

Higher costs for energy

AB 151 \$1 AB 1764 \$5 SB 1X AB XX2 SBX1 6 \$10 LAO proposed fees AB 1764 \$5 AB 151 \$1

Higher costs for technology products

SB 1523 SB 20

Higher costs for healthcare

AB 1043 SB 1661 \$3 SB 413 \$1 AB 1396 AB 372 LAO proposed fees SB 2 \$1,300 annually per worker

Higher costs for gasoline

SB 1994 AB 2682 SB 981 \$131 AB 1906 AB 1500 \$750

Higher costs for over-the-counter drugs

SB 506 SB 421

Higher costs for property, development and home ownership

SB 1049 AB 1764 \$52 Local fee San Luis Obispo Local fee San Jose Local fee Livermore Local fee Walnut Creek Local fee Sacramento Local fee San Diego SB 308

Higher costs for retail products

AB 712 SB 1180 SB 511 AB 1699 AB 586 \$200 SB 204 S.F. bag fee AB 1103

Higher costs for telecommunications

AB 2837 LAO 911 fee initiative Local 911 fees

Higher costs for timber products

AB 748 AB 1172 SB 557 LAO timber fees

Higher costs for transportation

AB 388 San Joaquin car fee SB 1701 SB 1656 SB 1397 SB 709 SB 288 AB 3011 AB 2880 AB 2847 \$992* AB 1546 \$3 AB 1063 AB 923 AB 574 AB 204 \$33 San Mateo car fee S.F. parking fee SB 760 SB 680 \$7 SB 658 \$112* SB 637 SB 459 \$14* AB 1623 AB 1407 AB 1406 AB 1222 AB 1208

Higher costs for water

AB 1211 SBX1 4 \$13 ABX1 10 \$13 LAO water rights fees Santa Cruz water fee

Higher costs to run a business

AB 177 SB 1661 \$800* AB 1493 AB 1058 AB 578 AB 99 \$12 SB 1078 \$100* AB 1688 SB 369 AB 806 \$12 AB 177

More than \$7 billion in new taxes

State and local politicians are disguising new taxes as fees in order to circumvent the strict vote requirements that apply to taxes – a two thirds legislative or popular vote.

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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Costs are in millions of dollars

*Annually