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Monday, May 7, 2018
10 minutes prior to Session
State Capitol, Room 3162

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Memo

To: Rules Committee Members
From: Michael Erke, Bill Referral Consultant
Date: 5/4/18
Re: Consent Bill Referrals

Since you received your preliminary list of bill referrals, SB 1159 was removed from the referrals.

REFERRAL OF BILLS TO COMMITTEE

05/07/2018

Pursuant to the Assembly Rules, the following bills were referred to committee:

Assembly Bill No.	Committee:
<u>ACR 231</u>	RLS.
<u>ACR 232</u>	RLS.
<u>ACR 233</u>	RLS.
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<u>SB 846</u>	BUDGET
<u>SB 847</u>	BUDGET
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<u>SB 879</u>	BUDGET
<u>SB 909</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 913</u>	L. & E.

<u>SB 963</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 989</u>	TRANS.
<u>SB 1003</u>	B. & P.
<u>SB 1030</u>	TRANS.
<u>SB 1055</u>	B. & F.
<u>SB 1107</u>	HUM. S.
<u>SB 1145</u>	L. GOV.
<u>SB 1208</u>	JUD.
<u>SB 1259</u>	TRANS.
<u>SB 1280</u>	HEALTH
<u>SB 1406</u>	HIGHER ED.
<u>SB 1428</u>	ED.
<u>SB 1428</u>	L. & E.
<u>SB 1501</u>	V.A.
<u>SB 1502</u>	NAT. RES.
<u>SCR 127</u>	RLS.

Assembly Concurrent Resolution

No. 228

Introduced by Assembly Member Limón

April 30, 2018

Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 228—Relative to California Wildfire Awareness Week and California Master Mutual Aid Awareness Day.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL’S DIGEST

ACR 228, as introduced, Limón. California Wildfire Awareness Week and California Master Mutual Aid Awareness Day.

This measure would proclaim the week of May 6 to 12, 2018, inclusive, as California Wildfire Awareness Week, and May 7, 2018, as California Master Mutual Aid Awareness Day. The measure would commemorate the contributions of first responders to a series of natural disasters in 2017 and recognize the contributions that California’s mutual aid disaster response system made in reducing the loss of life and property from these disasters.

Fiscal committee: no.

1 WHEREAS, Recently, California has experienced a drastic
2 increase in the occurrence of large, damaging wildfires. One-half
3 of the largest fires in the state’s recorded history have occurred in
4 just the last 10 years; and

5 WHEREAS, Wildfires are a natural, periodic occurrence in
6 California. Many native species depend on cyclical fires for
7 survival. Unfortunately, this natural process often conflicts with
8 human land use, and careless or malicious human activity causes
9 many fires that would not have occurred naturally. There needs to

1 be a balance between California’s fire ecology and the need to
2 protect human life and property; and

3 WHEREAS, Firefighting alone cannot protect all lives and
4 property. Every citizen, especially those living in fire-prone areas,
5 has an important role in preventing loss of life and property from
6 wildfire events; and

7 WHEREAS, California’s mutual aid disaster response system,
8 managed by the California Governor’s Office of Emergency
9 Services (Cal OES), through which local agencies from throughout
10 the state are rapidly mobilized to respond to wildfires, natural
11 disasters, and human-caused disasters, is seen as the state of the
12 art in its level of organization and the effectiveness of its response;
13 and

14 WHEREAS, In just the second one-half of 2017, a string of
15 catastrophic events has tested the stamina and courage of our state’s
16 first responders and the capacity of California’s mutual aid system;
17 and

18 WHEREAS, Catastrophic fires in July of 2017 along the Central
19 Coast and near Yosemite charred an area the size of New York
20 City, forcing thousands to flee their homes and requiring
21 mobilization of nearly 10,000 first responders from over 200
22 different local agencies; and

23 WHEREAS, The September 2017 La Tuna Fire, the largest in
24 recent history for the City of Los Angeles, burned 7,500 acres,
25 forced thousands to evacuate Los Angeles and surrounding
26 communities, and required mobilization of 1,000 firefighters from
27 over four dozen local agencies; and

28 WHEREAS, In October of 2017, the northern California fires
29 in Sonoma, Napa, Lake, Mendocino, Butte, Nevada, and Yuba
30 Counties killed 44 people. It was the deadliest firestorm in state
31 history and destroyed more than 8,000 homes and businesses,
32 including 11 percent of housing stock in Santa Rosa. These fires
33 required the mobilization of over 10,000 firefighters as well as
34 law enforcement and emergency management personnel from
35 nearly 300 local agencies alongside the Department of Forestry
36 and Fire Protection (CAL FIRE) and federal and international
37 agencies; and

38 WHEREAS, In December 2017, as a result of red flag and
39 extreme weather conditions, multiple fires erupted throughout
40 southern California resulting in major fires in Los Angeles and

1 San Diego Counties, as well as the largest wildfire in California
2 history, the Thomas Fire, which exploded across Ventura and Santa
3 Barbara Counties, burning 300,000 acres, destroying at least 800
4 structures, and once again forced over 8,000 firefighters from over
5 200 local agencies, CAL FIRE, and federal agencies onto the front
6 lines; and

7 WHEREAS, Massive mudslides in January 2018, a deadly
8 byproduct of the Thomas Fire, destroyed more than 100 residences
9 and killed 21 people in and around Montecito, with hundreds more
10 saved by quick action from fire and law enforcement first
11 responders called out through mutual aid response; and

12 WHEREAS, 2017 also saw the mobilization of California first
13 responders in disasters outside our borders, as Hurricanes Harvey
14 and Irma resulted in mobilization of six of California's eight Urban
15 Search and Rescue Task Forces, putting more than 200 California
16 firefighters and emergency personnel into hurricane rescue and
17 recovery; and

18 WHEREAS, These and other less-publicized disasters point to
19 the growing and evolving threat facing California and the
20 challenges facing the mutual aid system which must meet this
21 threat with only about one-half of the 1,150 total mutual aid
22 response engines available as recently as a decade ago; and

23 WHEREAS, While both local and state firefighting resources
24 are stretched to their limits by the ever-widening fire problem,
25 these agencies continue to shoulder an ever-increasing percentage
26 of response in the wildland-urban interface; and

27 WHEREAS, The men and women on the front lines carry more
28 responsibility and more risk than at any time in our memory, and
29 now, more than ever, the safety of every Californian depends on
30 well-equipped and well-trained committed first responders; now,
31 therefore, be it

32 *Resolved, by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate*
33 *thereof concurring, That the Legislature hereby proclaims the*
34 *week of May 6 to 12, 2018, inclusive, as California Wildfire*
35 *Awareness Week, and May 7, 2018, as California Master Mutual*
36 *Aid Awareness Day; and be it further*

37 *Resolved, That all Californians are urged to express gratitude*
38 *and appreciation to the thousands of first responders who put their*
39 *lives on the line protecting our families; and be it further*

- 1 *Resolved*, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies
- 2 of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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Date of Hearing: May 7, 2018

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON RULES
Ken Cooley, Chair
ACR 228 (Limón) – As Introduced April 30, 2018

SUBJECT: California Wildfire Awareness Week and California Master Mutual Aid Awareness Day.

SUMMARY: Proclaims the week of May 6 to 12, 2018, inclusive, as California Wildfire Awareness Week, and May 7, 2018, as California Master Mutual Aid Awareness Day. Specifically, **this resolution** makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) Recently, California has experienced a drastic increase in the occurrence of large, damaging wildfires. One-half of the largest fires in the state's recorded history have occurred in just the last 10 years.
- 2) Wildfires are a natural, periodic occurrence in California and many species depend on cyclical fires for survival. Unfortunately, this natural process often conflicts with human land use, and careless or malicious human activity causes many fires that would not have occurred naturally. There needs to be a balance between California's fires ecology and the need to protect human life and property.
- 3) Firefighting alone cannot protect all lives and property. Every citizen, especially those living in fire-prone areas, has an important role in preventing loss of life and property from wildlife events.
- 4) California's mutual aid disaster response system, managed by the California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, through which local agencies from throughout the state are rapidly mobilized to respond to wildfires, natural disasters, and human-caused disasters, is seen as the state of the art in its level of organization and the effectiveness of its response.
- 5) In just the second one-half of 2017, a string of catastrophic events has tested the stamina and courage of our state's first responders and the capacity of California's mutual aid system.
- 6) 2017 also saw the mobilization of California first responders in disasters outside our borders, as Hurricane Harvey and Irma resulted in mobilization of six of California's eight Urban Search and Rescue Task Forces, putting more than 200 California firefighters and emergency personnel into hurricane rescue and recovery.
- 7) These and other less-publicized disasters point to the growing and evolving threat facing California and the challenges facing the mutual aid system which must meet this threat with only about one-half of the total 1,150 total mutual aid response engines available as recently as a decade ago.
- 8) The men and women on the front lines carry more responsibility and more risk than at any time in our memory, and now, more than ever, the safety of every Californian depends on well-equipped and well-trained committed first responders.

FISCAL EFFECT: None

REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:

Support

None on file

Opposition

None on file

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**Introduced by Senator Hueso
(Coauthor: Senator Beall)**

April 2, 2018

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 125—Relative to Autism Awareness Month.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL’S DIGEST

SCR 125, as introduced, Hueso. Autism Awareness Month.

This measure would designate April 2018 as Autism Awareness Month and would encourage residents to show support for autism awareness.

Fiscal committee: no.

- 1 WHEREAS, Autism is a lifelong developmental disability that
2 manifests during the first few years of a child’s life and results
3 from a neurological disorder that affects brain function; and
4 WHEREAS, Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) can affect an
5 individual’s social, communication, and behavioral skills; and
6 WHEREAS, Autism affects children from all countries,
7 regardless of gender, race, or socio-economic status; and
8 WHEREAS, It is estimated that as many as 2.41 percent of
9 children in the United States suffer from ASD; and
10 WHEREAS, Young adults with autism are less likely to continue
11 their education past secondary school and 35 percent do not have
12 a job or receive postgraduate education after leaving high school;
13 and
14 WHEREAS, Autism affects people from all backgrounds, but
15 disproportionately affects minority and economically disadvantaged

1 communities due to the cost and inaccessibility of autism care;
2 and

3 WHEREAS, Medical expenses for children with ASD are shown
4 to be four to six times greater than those without ASD; and

5 WHEREAS, While there is no cure for autism, it is
6 well-documented that if individuals with autism receive treatment
7 early in their lives, it is often possible for those individuals to lead
8 significantly improved lives; and

9 WHEREAS, While there is no diagnostic test for ASD, the
10 increased awareness of autism and the detection services available
11 today make it possible for more people to be properly diagnosed
12 with ASD; and

13 WHEREAS, ASD is not becoming more pervasive, but rather,
14 the increased accessibility to services and professionals is assisting
15 individuals in the diagnosis process; and

16 WHEREAS, Individuals with autism often require a lifetime of
17 specialized and community support services to ensure their health
18 and safety, as well as the resilience of their families as they manage
19 the psychological and financial burdens autism presents; now,
20 therefore, be it

21 *Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly*
22 *thereof concurring, That the Legislature designates the month of*
23 *April 2018 as Autism Awareness Month and encourages residents*
24 *to show support for autism awareness; and be it further*

25 *Resolved, That the Secretary of the Senate transmit copies of*
26 *this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.*

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Date of Hearing: May 7, 2018

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON RULES
Ken Cooley, Chair
SCR 125 (Hueso) – As Introduced April 2, 2018

SENATE VOTE: 37-0

SUBJECT: Autism Awareness Month

SUMMARY: Designates April 2018 as Autism Awareness Month and encourages residents to show support for autism awareness. Specifically, **this resolution** makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) Autism is a lifelong developmental disability that manifests during the first few years of a child's life and results from a neurological disorder that affects brain function. Individuals with autism often require a lifetime of specialized and community support services to ensure their health and safety, as well as the resilience of their families as they manage the psychological and financial burdens autism presents.
- 2) Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) can affect an individual's social, communication, and behavioral skills; and it is estimated that as many as 2.41% of children in the United States suffer from ASD.
- 3) Autism affects people from all backgrounds, but disproportionately affects minority and economically disadvantaged communities due to the cost and inaccessibility of autism care.
- 4) Medical expenses for children with ASD are shown to be four to six times greater than those without ASD.
- 5) It is well-documented that if individuals with autism receive treatment early in their lives, it is often possible for those individuals to lead significantly improved lives.
- 6) The increased awareness of autism and the detection services available today make it possible for more people to be properly diagnosed with ASD.
- 7) ASD is not becoming more pervasive, but rather, the increased accessibility to services and professionals is assisting individuals in the diagnosis process.

FISCAL EFFECT: None

REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:

Support

None on file

Opposition

None on file

Analysis Prepared by: Nicole Willis / RLS. / (916) 319-2800

Introduced by Senator Fuller
(Coauthors: Senators Allen, Bates, Cannella, Dodd, Gaines, Roth,
and Wilk)

(Coauthors: Assembly Members Chávez, Choi, Lackey, Mathis,
Obernalte, Patterson, and Salas)

April 4, 2018

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 129—Relative to Aviation
Awareness Month.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL’S DIGEST

SCR 129, as introduced, Fuller. Aviation Awareness Month.

This measure would designate the month of April 2018 as Aviation
Awareness Month.

Fiscal committee: no.

- 1 WHEREAS, General aviation in America supports more than
- 2 1.1 million jobs, many of them in small and medium-sized
- 3 businesses, and generates \$219 billion in total economic output;
- 4 and
- 5 WHEREAS, Many of the over 5,100 general aviation airports
- 6 in the United States are located within a close proximity to small
- 7 and medium-sized businesses and communities that are driving
- 8 the nation’s economic recovery; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Private aircraft that help these businesses create
- 10 and maintain jobs have been mistakenly characterized as “toys for
- 11 the rich,” rather than as vital tools that allow business to operate
- 12 and thrive; and

1 WHEREAS, General aviation aircraft are used around the clock
2 by law enforcement officers, medical professionals, disaster relief
3 personnel, and others to reach people in need; and
4 WHEREAS, General aviation aircraft are also used by
5 researchers to gather data and map terrain in order to help
6 governments, businesses, and nongovernmental organizations
7 improve and protect the quality of life; and
8 WHEREAS, America’s agricultural industry uses general
9 aviation in its efforts to feed and clothe a hungry world; and
10 WHEREAS, The nation’s public utilities use general aviation
11 to install and maintain infrastructure vital to the nation; and
12 WHEREAS, Insufficient funding of Federal Aviation
13 Administration operations and airport and airspace infrastructure
14 imposes challenges on the ability of general aviation operators to
15 operate effectively; and
16 WHEREAS, General aviation faces increasing and onerous
17 security regulations; and
18 WHEREAS, Planning and zoning requirements and urban
19 encroachment contribute to reducing the number and availability
20 of airports throughout California and the United States, which
21 annually reduces the number of airports available to public and
22 private users; now, therefore, be it
23 *Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly*
24 *thereof concurring*, That the Legislature recognizes the vital role
25 general aviation plays in the economy, health, safety, and protection
26 of the nation, and abstains from legislation and policies that impact
27 this industry’s ability to continue to function effectively, and
28 therefore recognizes the month of April 2018 as Aviation
29 Awareness Month; and be it further
30 *Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Senate transmit copies of
31 this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

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Date of Hearing: May 7, 2018

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON RULES
Ken Cooley, Chair
SCR 129 (Fuller) – As Introduced April 4, 2018

SENATE VOTE: 35-0

SUBJECT: Aviation Awareness Month

SUMMARY: Designates the month of April 2018 as Aviation Awareness Month. Specifically, **this resolution** makes the following legislative findings:

- 1) General aviation in America supports more than 1.1 million jobs, many of them in small and medium-sized businesses, and generates \$219 billion in total economic output.
- 2) General aviation aircraft are used around the clock by law enforcement officers, medical professionals, disaster relief personnel, and others to reach people in need; and, they are also used by researchers to gather data and map terrain in efforts to help governments, businesses, and nongovernmental organizations improve and protect the quality of life.
- 3) America's agriculture industry uses general aviation in its efforts to feed and clothe a hungry world; and, the nation's public utilities use general aviation to install and maintain infrastructure vital to the nation.
- 4) Insufficient funding of Federal Aviation Administration operations and airport and airspace infrastructure imposes challenges on the ability of general aviation operators to operate effectively.
- 5) Planning and zoning requirements and urban encroachment contribute to reducing the number and availability of airports throughout California and the United States, which annually reduces the number of airports available to public and private users.

FISCAL EFFECT: None

REGISTERED SUPPORT / OPPOSITION:

Support

None on file

Opposition

None on file

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