

# Legislative Liaison Report

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## AB 1741 (Rodriguez D) California College Promise Innovation Grant Program.

This bill would use the \$25 million from the innovation award grants (Federal Grant Program) to fund local college promise grants. The bill is based on the Long Beach Promise and includes provisions that are consistent with that program.

The bill would require a local promise program to include the following:

- Partnership with K-12 district
  - a. Support high school preparation for college through small learning communities, concurrent enrollment other proven initiatives
  - b. Utilize placement and assessment indicators that include multiple measures of student performance, including grades in high school courses, overall grade point averages, results from common assessments and input from counselors
- Provide access to full-time course schedules
- Provide outreach to students regarding ADT and the transfer entitlement program
- Partnership with one or more public higher education institution

## AB 2393 (Campos) School employees: sick leave: parental leave.

This bill would make various changes regarding how community college instructors and classified employees are granted parental or family leave. Specifically it would:

- 1 Permit classified school employees or community college instructors to use his or her sick leave for up to 12 weeks of parental leave.
- 2 Permit an additional 12 weeks of unpaid leave if the employee had exhausted his or her 12 weeks of sick leave.

## AB 1690 (Medina D) Community colleges: part-time, temporary employees

This bill would mandate rehire rights for part-time faculty members who have:

- 1 Taught for six semesters.
- 2 Received positive performance reviews.
- 3 Had not rejected an offered course load assignment.

## AB 1721 (Medina D) Student financial aid: Cal Grant Program.

Died in the appropriations committee in August. It would have made adjustments in the CAL Grant Program, expanding the number of awards, the size of awards, and the age limit for awards for certain students.