

Short Form Analysis

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SUBJECT

Allow Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA) to Suspend Licenses

Minor/Technical Amendment

SUMMARY

This bill would, under the Business and Professions Code (BCP), make various technical changes and noncontroversial reforms to laws governing certain professions regulated by the DCA. This bill would become effective and operative January 1, 2022.

ANALYSIS

This bill would require, under the BCP, the Bureau of Security and Investigative Services (BSIS), within the DCA, to ensure licensees doing business as a corporation or a limited liability company (LLC) are registered and in good standing with the Secretary of State (SOS) and the Franchise Tax Board (FTB). Failure to be in good standing would result in the automatic suspension of the license.

The FTB can suspend or forfeit a corporation or LLC due to failure to file or pay taxes when due. The SOS can also suspend or forfeit a business for not filing the required Statement of Information. This information is a matter of public record, and is available on the SOS public website.

The changes made by this bill would not affect the Department.

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