



STATE OF CALIFORNIA
Franchise Tax Board

Short Form Analysis

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Sponsor:

Bill Number: AB 1729

Amended: May 18, 2026

SUBJECT

State Employment Telework Programs

- Technical Amendment

SUMMARY

This bill would, under the Government Code, require state agencies, including the Franchise Tax Board (FTB), to provide a detailed, written justification to its employees and the department if it requires employees to report to a workplace.

ANALYSIS

The May 18, 2026, amendments removed the exception for the Department of the California Highway Patrol, the Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, and the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation from providing the detailed, written justification to their employees and the department if it requires employees to report to a workplace. In addition, the bill made other technical changes.

The FTB's analysis of this bill as introduced on February 5, 2026, still applies.

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