



September 10, 2025

TO: ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

FROM: Juliana F. Gmur, Executive Director

RE: Notice and Agenda

On Friday, September 26, 2025, the Commission on State Mandates (Commission) will conduct its next regular meeting and hearing in person at 10:00 a.m., at California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA), First Floor Auditorium, 1220 N Street, Sacramento, California, 95814 and via Zoom.

The Commission is committed to ensuring that its public meetings are accessible to the public and that the public has the opportunity to observe the meeting and to participate by providing written and verbal comment on Commission matters whether they are physically appearing at the in-person meeting location or participating via Zoom. If you want to speak during the hearing and you are in-person, please come to the table for the swearing in and to speak when your item is up for hearing. If you are participating via Zoom or via telephone, you must use the "Raise Hand" feature in order for our moderators to know you need to be unmuted.

You may join the meeting via Zoom through the link below and can listen and view through your desktop, laptop, tablet, or smart phone. This will allow you to view documents being shared as well.

There are two options for joining the meeting:

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Testimony at the Commission Hearing. If you plan to address the Commission on an agenda item, please notify the Commission Office **not later than noon on the Tuesday prior to the hearing, September 23, 2025.** Please also include the names of the people who will be speaking for inclusion on the witness list and the names and email addresses of the people who will be speaking both in person and remotely to receive a hearing panelist link in Zoom. When calling or emailing, please identify the item you want to testify on and the entity you represent. The Commission Chairperson reserves the right to impose time limits on presentations as may be necessary to complete the agenda.

If you plan to file any written document, please note that Commission staff will include written comments filed at least 15 days in advance of the hearing in the Commissioners' hearing binders, a copy of which is available for public viewing at the Commission meeting. Additionally, written comments filed more than five days in advance of the meeting shall be included in the Commission's meeting binders, if feasible, or shall be provided to the Commission when the item is called, unless otherwise agreed by the Commission or the executive director. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, § 1181.10(b)(1)(A-B).

However, comments filed less than five days in advance of the meeting, the commenter shall provide 12 copies to Commission staff at the in-person meeting. In the case of participation by teleconference, a PDF copy shall be filed via the Commission's dropbox at <https://www.csm.ca.gov/dropbox.shtml> at least 24 hours prior to the meeting.

Commission staff shall provide copies of the comments to the Commission and shall place a copy on a table for public review when the item is called or, in the case of participation via teleconference, shall provide an electronic copy to the Commission and post a copy on the Commission's website, and may share the document with the Commission and the public using the "share screen" function. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, § 1181.10(b)(1)(C)).

Agenda and Agenda Materials. The agenda is available on the Commission's website at www.csm.ca.gov at "Hearings" at the top of the page. Generally, Commission staff upload the agenda materials two weeks before the meeting and they may be accessed from links on the agenda items. If an item is postponed prior to the meeting, notice will be posted on a revised agenda. Following the meeting, staff will post Commission actions on the Commission's website and will serve and post the adopted decisions within 10 days of the meeting. To find the adopted minutes and transcripts of Commission meetings on the website in PDF format, click "Hearings" on the top of the home page.

The agenda and agenda materials are also available at the Commission office, located at 980 9th Street, Suite 300, Sacramento, California, 95814 during regular business hours. Please call (916) 323-3562 or email at csminfo@csm.ca.gov for an appointment.

Reasonable Accommodation. Any person requesting accommodations in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act or for language assistance, please contact the Commission office as soon as possible but at least five to seven *working* days prior to the meeting.

AGENDA¹

Meeting of the Commission on State Mandates

California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA),
First Floor Auditorium, 1220 N Street,
Sacramento, California, 95814 and via Zoom

Friday, September 26, 2025

10:00 a.m.

Reminder: *Commission staff includes written comments filed at least 15 days in advance of the meeting in the Commissioners' hearing binders. If you plan to testify and would like the Commissioners to review any document not filed 15 days in advance*

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I. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES (action)

Item 1 July 25, 2025

III. PUBLIC COMMENT FOR MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA (info)

Please note that the Commission may not take action on items not on the agenda. However, it may schedule issues raised by the public for consideration at future meetings.

IV. PROPOSED CONSENT CALENDAR FOR ITEMS PROPOSED FOR ADOPTION ON CONSENT PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS TITLE 2, ARTICLES 7 AND 8 (action)

If there are no objections to any of the following action items designated by an asterisk (*), the Executive Director will include each one on the Proposed Consent Calendar that will be presented at the hearing. The Commission will determine which items will remain on the Consent Calendar.

V. HEARINGS AND DECISIONS PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 2, ARTICLE 7 (GOV. CODE, § 17551, 17557, 17559, and 17570) (action)

A. TEST CLAIMS

Item 2 *Criminal Procedure: Discrimination, 24-TC-02*

Statutes 2022, Chapter 739 (AB 256), Sections 2 and 3.5; Penal Code Sections 745 and 1473

County of Los Angeles, Claimant

VI. INFORMATIONAL HEARINGS PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 2, ARTICLE 8 (info/action)

A. ADOPTION OF ORDER TO ADOPT RULEMAKING

Tentative: General Cleanup (Order 25-01), Proposed Amendments to
Item 3* California Code of Regulations, Title 2, Division 2, Chapter 2.5, Articles 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 10

B. REPORTS (info/action)

Item 4 Legislative Update (info)

Item 5 Chief Legal Counsel: New Filings, Recent Decisions, Litigation Calendar (info)

Item 6 Executive Director: Proposed 2026 Hearing Calendar, Workload Update, and Tentative Agenda Items for the December 2025, January 2026, and March 2026 Meetings (info/action)

VII. CLOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION PURSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE
SECTIONS 11126 AND 11126.3 (info/action)

A. PENDING LITIGATION

To confer with and receive advice from legal counsel, for consideration and action, as necessary and appropriate, upon the following matters pursuant to Government Code section 11126(e):

There are no cases currently pending.

B. POTENTIAL LITIGATION

To confer with and receive advice from legal counsel, for consideration and action, as necessary and appropriate, upon the following matter pursuant to Government Code section 11126(e):

Based on existing facts and circumstances, there is a specific matter which presents a significant exposure to litigation against the Commission on State Mandates, its members or staff.

C. PERSONNEL

To confer on personnel matters pursuant to Government Code section 11126(a)(1).

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VIII. REPORT FROM CLOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION

ADJOURNMENT

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NEW FILINGS

July 11, 2025 through September 10, 2025

Date Filed	Claimant/Requester	Description
6/10/25 Notice of Complete Test Claim issued 7/24/25	City of Sacramento, County of Santa Clara, and County of Sutter	<i>Race-Blind Charging, 24-TC-07</i>
7/25/25 Notice of Complete Incorrect Reduction Claim issued 9/9/25	County of Los Angeles	<i>Child Abduction and Recovery, 25-4237-I-05</i>