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AB 18 Firearms: excise tax.	Assembly Member Levine (D-10)	Introduced 12/3/18 http://leginfo.ca.gov/fares/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=201920200AB18	<p>This bill expresses the intent of the Legislature to impose an excise tax on the sales of handguns and semiautomatic rifles. This bill would require the revenue collected from that tax to be used to fund grants through the CalVIP program.</p> <p><i>* Existing law established the CalVIP grant program and required the BSCC to distribute grants to cities and community-based organizations to fund violence intervention and prevention activities. The current CalVip grant cycle is scheduled to end on April 30, 2020 (cohort 1) and August 31, 2020 (cohort 2).</i></p> <p><i>Note: The Governor's FY 19/20 Budget Proposal includes \$9 million to fund CalVIP.</i></p>	BSCC would be required expend additional funding for the CalVIP program.	12/4/18 - From printer. May be heard in committee January 3.

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<p>SB 42 The Getting Home Safe Act.</p> <p><i>*Previously SB 1142 in 2018.</i></p>	<p>Senator Skinner (D-9)</p>	<p>Introduced 12/3/18</p> <p>http://leginfo.ca.gov/fares/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=201920200SB42</p>	<p>This bill, beginning June 1, 2020, would:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) require sheriffs to make release standards and release schedules of a county jail available to the public and to incarcerated persons, 2) require sheriffs to provide a person with the right to request that, upon his or her release from a county jail, he or she be assisted in entering a drug or alcohol rehabilitation program, and would require the county jail to provide or arrange transportation directly from jail to a rehabilitation program or hospital free of charge immediately upon release from jail, 3) require releases on-time during scheduled hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. or sundown, whichever is later, 4) require sheriffs to offer a person scheduled to be released between the hours of 5 p.m. or sundown, whichever is later, and 8 a.m. specified options including transportation options, and 5) require the provision of at least 3 days' supply of any necessary medication. <p>The bill would authorize a violation of these rights be submitted to the BSCC, establish a BSCC Ombudsman role, and require the BSCC to: 1) convene a stakeholder group as specified to develop protocols for receiving and responding to reports of violations, 2) establish a Late-Night Release Prevention Task Force with specified membership, and 3) require this Task Force to submit a Legislative report on January 1, 2022 describing implementation progress made and making suggestions for any additional legislation to prevent dangerous late-night releases at county jails throughout California.</p>	<p>BSCC would be established as the entity to oversee and implement the program, respond to complaints and oversee the completion of a Legislative report.</p>	<p>12/4/18 - From printer. May be heard in committee January 3.</p>



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