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To: Senate Bill No. **1284**

File No. 732

Cal. No. 563

(As Amended)

***"AN ACT CONCERNING THE ILLEGAL USE OF CERTAIN
VEHICLES AND STREET TAKEOVERS."***

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. Section 14-390 of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2025*):

5 (a) Any municipality may, by ordinance, regulate the operation and
6 use, including hours and zones of use, of snowmobiles and all-terrain
7 vehicles in a manner not inconsistent with the provisions of this section
8 and sections 14-379 to 14-389, inclusive, or any regulations adopted
9 pursuant thereto, and may (1) prescribe a penalty for violation of such
10 ordinance in an amount not to exceed one thousand dollars for a first
11 violation, in an amount not to exceed one thousand five hundred dollars

12 for a second violation, and in an amount not to exceed two thousand
13 dollars for a third or subsequent violation, and (2) provide for the
14 seizure and forfeiture to the municipality of such all-terrain vehicle for
15 a violation of such ordinance, subject to any bona fide lien, lease or
16 security interest in the all-terrain vehicle, including, but not limited to,
17 a lien under section 14-66c.

18 (b) No all-terrain vehicle shall be forfeited under an ordinance
19 adopted pursuant to this section to the extent of the interest of an owner
20 or lienholder by reason of any act or omission committed by another
21 person if such owner or lienholder did not know and could not have
22 reasonably known that such all-terrain vehicle was being used or was
23 intended to be used in violation of a municipal ordinance, and such
24 owner or lienholder collects such all-terrain vehicle not later than ninety
25 days after the date, whichever is later, that the municipality (1) posts
26 notice on the municipality's Internet web site indicating that such all-
27 terrain vehicle shall be forfeited if not collected within such ninety-day
28 period, and (2) mails such notice to such owner or lienholder.

29 (c) Any all-terrain vehicle ordered forfeited pursuant to such an
30 ordinance shall be sold at public auction conducted by the municipality
31 or destroyed by the municipality. The proceeds of such sale shall be paid
32 to the treasurer of the municipality, who shall deposit such proceeds
33 into the general fund of the municipality.

34 Sec. 2. Section 14-390m of the general statutes is repealed and the
35 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2025*):

36 (a) Any municipality that adopts an ordinance pursuant to section 7-
37 148 to regulate the operation and use on public property, including
38 hours of use, of dirt bikes or mini-motorcycles may (1) prescribe a
39 penalty for violation of such ordinance [(1)] in an amount not to exceed
40 one thousand dollars for a first violation, in an amount not to exceed
41 one thousand five hundred dollars for a second violation and in an
42 amount not to exceed two thousand dollars for a third or subsequent
43 violation, and (2) [in the case of a municipality with a population of

44 twenty thousand or more, to] provide for the seizure and forfeiture to
45 the municipality of such dirt bike or mini-motorcycle for violation of
46 such ordinance, subject to any bona fide lien, lease or security interest
47 in the dirt bike or mini-motorcycle, including, but not limited to, a lien
48 under section 14-66c.

49 (b) No dirt bike or mini-motorcycle shall be forfeited under an
50 ordinance adopted pursuant to this section to the extent of the interest
51 of an owner or lienholder by reason of any act or omission committed
52 by another person if such owner or lienholder did not know and could
53 not have reasonably known that such dirt bike or mini-motorcycle was
54 being used or was intended to be used in violation of a municipal
55 ordinance, and such owner or lienholder collects such dirt bike or mini-
56 motorcycle not later than ninety days after the date, whichever is later,
57 that the municipality (1) posts notice on the municipality's Internet web
58 site indicating that such dirt bike or mini-motorcycle shall be forfeited if
59 not collected within such ninety-day period, and (2) mails such notice
60 to such owner or lienholder.

61 (c) Any dirt bike or mini-motorcycle ordered forfeited pursuant to
62 such an ordinance shall be sold at public auction conducted by the
63 municipality or destroyed by the municipality. The proceeds of such
64 sale shall be paid to the treasurer of the municipality, who shall deposit
65 such proceeds into the general fund of the municipality.

66 (d) For the purposes of this section and section 7-148, (1) "dirt bike"
67 means a two-wheeled motorized recreational vehicle designed to travel
68 over unimproved terrain and not designed for travel on a highway, as
69 defined in section 14-1. "Dirt bike" does not include an all-terrain
70 vehicle, as defined in section 14-379, or a motor-driven cycle, as defined
71 in section 14-1, and (2) "mini-motorcycle" has the same meaning as
72 provided in section 14-289j.

73 Sec. 3. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2025*) (a) For purposes of this
74 section, "street takeover" has the same meaning as provided in section
75 14-224 of the general statutes, as amended by this act.

76 (b) Any municipality may, by ordinance, prohibit a person from
77 organizing, participating in or gathering with intent to observe and
78 actually observing a street takeover. Such ordinance may (1) prescribe a
79 penalty for violation of such ordinance in an amount not to exceed one
80 thousand dollars for a first violation, in an amount not to exceed one
81 thousand five hundred dollars for a second violation and in an amount
82 not to exceed two thousand dollars for a third or subsequent violation,
83 and (2) provide for the impoundment of any vehicle used in violation of
84 this section until any fine imposed pursuant to subdivision (1) of this
85 subsection is paid, any related charges, including, but not limited to,
86 towing fees, are paid and any overdue property taxes on such vehicle
87 imposed pursuant to chapter 203 of the general statutes are paid. The
88 ordinance may provide that the vehicle is deemed forfeited to the
89 municipality if, after six months following such impoundment, the
90 owner or lienholder of such impounded vehicle has failed to pay such
91 fines and related charges pursuant to this subsection.

92 Sec. 4. Subsection (b) of section 14-111 of the general statutes is
93 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*
94 *1, 2025*):

95 (b) (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2) or (3) of this subsection,
96 whenever the holder of any motor vehicle operator's license has been
97 convicted or has forfeited any bond taken or has received a suspended
98 judgment or sentence for any of the following violations, the
99 commissioner shall, without hearing, suspend such person's operator's
100 license or privilege to operate a motor vehicle in this state as follows:
101 For a first violation of subsection (a) or subdivision (1) of subsection (b)
102 of section 14-224 or section 14-110, 14-215 or 53a-119b, for a period of
103 not less than one year and, for a subsequent violation thereof, for a
104 period of not less than two years; for a violation of subsection (a) of
105 section 14-222, [or subsection (c) of section 14-224,] for a period of not
106 less than thirty days or more than ninety days and, for a subsequent
107 violation thereof, for a period of not less than ninety days; for a violation
108 of subdivision (2) or (3) of subsection (b) of section 14-224, for a period

109 of not less than ninety days and for a subsequent violation thereof, for a
110 period of not less than one year; for a first or second violation of
111 subsection (c) of section 14-224, for a period of forty-five days and for a
112 subsequent violation thereof, for a period of two years; for a first
113 violation of subsection (b), (d) or (e) of section 14-147, for a period of not
114 less than ninety days and, for a subsequent violation thereof, for a
115 period of not less than five years; for a first violation of subsection (c) of
116 section 14-147, for a period of not less than thirty days and, for a
117 subsequent violation thereof, for a period of not less than one year.

118 (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 14-111b and except as
119 provided in subdivision (3) of this subsection, whenever the holder of
120 any motor vehicle operator's license or youth instruction permit who is
121 less than eighteen years of age or whenever a person who does not hold
122 an operator's license who is less than eighteen years of age has been
123 convicted or has forfeited any bond taken or has received a suspended
124 judgment or sentence for any of the following violations, the
125 commissioner shall suspend such person's operator's license or
126 privilege to obtain an operator's license as follows: For a first violation
127 of subdivision (4) of subsection (a) of section 14-219 or subdivision (4)
128 of subsection (b) of section 14-219, for a period of sixty days and, for a
129 second violation thereof, for a period of ninety days and, for a third or
130 subsequent violation thereof, for a period of six months; for a first
131 violation of subsection (a) of section 14-222, for a period of six months
132 and, for a subsequent violation thereof, for a period of one year; for a
133 violation of subsection (c) of section 14-224, for a period of six months
134 and, for a subsequent violation thereof, for a period of one year; for a
135 first violation of section 14-296aa, for a period of thirty days and, for a
136 second violation thereof, for a period of ninety days and, for a third or
137 subsequent violation thereof, for a period of six months.

138 (3) The commissioner shall suspend the motor vehicle operator's
139 license of any youth adjudged a youthful offender for a violation of
140 section 14-215 or 14-222, subsection (b) of section 14-223 or subdivision
141 (2) or (3) of subsection (b) or subsection (c) of section 14-224 for six

142 months for a first offense and one year for a second or subsequent
143 offense.

144 (4) Whenever any person who has not been issued a motor vehicle
145 operator's license under section 14-36 is convicted of a second or
146 subsequent violation of subsection (a) of section 14-36: (A) The
147 commissioner shall suspend such person's privilege to operate a motor
148 vehicle, (B) such suspension shall remain in effect for a period of ninety
149 days, and (C) the commissioner shall not issue an operator's license to
150 such person under section 14-36 until such period of suspension has
151 expired and all applicable requirements for such license have been
152 satisfied by such person.

153 Sec. 5. Subsection (g) of section 14-224 of the general statutes is
154 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*
155 *1, 2025*):

156 (g) (1) Any person who violates the provisions of subdivision (2) of
157 subsection (b) of this section shall be guilty of a class D felony.

158 (2) Any person who violates the provisions of subdivision (3) of
159 subsection (b) of this section or subdivision (1) of subsection (c) of this
160 section shall be guilty of a (A) class A misdemeanor for a first offense,
161 and (B) class D felony for any subsequent offense, for which the court
162 shall impose a fine of at least two thousand dollars.

163 (3) Any person who violates the provisions of subdivision (2) of
164 subsection (c) of this section shall be guilty of a class B misdemeanor.

165 Sec. 6. Subsection (b) of section 51-164n of the general statutes is
166 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*
167 *1, 2025*):

168 (b) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, any person
169 who is alleged to have committed (1) a violation under the provisions of
170 section 1-9, 1-10, 1-11, 2-71h, 4b-13, 7-13, 7-14, 7-35 or 7-41, subsection (c)
171 of section 7-66, section 7-83, 7-147h, 7-148, 7-283, 7-325, 7-393, 8-12, 8-25,

172 8-27, 9-63, 9-322, 9-350, 10-185, 10-193, 10-197, 10-198, 10-230, 10-251, 10-
173 254, 10a-35, 12-52, 12-54, 12-129b or 12-170aa, subdivision (3) of
174 subsection (e) of section 12-286, section 12-286a, 12-292, 12-314b or 12-
175 326g, subdivision (4) of section 12-408, subdivision (3), (5) or (6) of
176 section 12-411, section 12-435c, 12-476a, 12-476b, 12-476c, 12-487, 13a-
177 26b, 13a-71, 13a-107, 13a-113, 13a-114, 13a-115, 13a-117b, 13a-123, 13a-
178 124, 13a-139, 13a-140, 13a-143b, 13a-253, 13a-263 or 13b-39f, subsection
179 (f) of section 13b-42, section 13b-90 or 13b-100, subsection (a) of section
180 13b-108, section 13b-221 or 13b-292, subsection (a) or (b) of section 13b-
181 324, section 13b-336, 13b-337, 13b-338, 13b-410a, 13b-410b or 13b-410c,
182 subsection (a), (b) or (c) of section 13b-412, section 13b-414 or 14-4,
183 subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of section 14-12, subsection (d) of
184 section 14-12, subsection (f) of section 14-12a, subsection (a) of section
185 14-15a, section 14-16c, 14-20a or 14-27a, subsection (f) of section 14-34a,
186 subsection (d) of section 14-35, section 14-43, 14-44j, 14-49, 14-50a, 14-58
187 or 14-62a, subsection (b) of section 14-66, section 14-66a or 14-67a,
188 subsection (g) of section 14-80, subsection (f) or (i) of section 14-80h,
189 section 14-97a or 14-98, subsection (a), (b) or (d) of section 14-100a,
190 section 14-100b, 14-103a, 14-106a, 14-106c, 14-145a, 14-146, 14-152, 14-
191 153, 14-161 or 14-163b, subsection (f) of section 14-164i, section 14-213b
192 or 14-219, subdivision (1) of section 14-223a, subsection (d) of section 14-
193 224, section 14-240, 14-250, 14-253a, 14-261a, 14-262, 14-264, 14-266, 14-
194 267a, 14-269, 14-270, 14-272b, 14-274, 14-275 or 14-275a, subsection (c) of
195 section 14-275c, section 14-276, subsection (a) or (b) of section 14-277,
196 section 14-278, 14-279 or 14-280, subsection (b), (e) or (h) of section 14-
197 283, section 14-283d, 14-283e, 14-283f, 14-283g, 14-291, 14-293b, 14-296aa,
198 14-298a, 14-300, 14-300d, 14-300f, 14-319, 14-320, 14-321, 14-325a, 14-326,
199 14-330 or 14-332a, subdivision (1), (2) or (3) of section 14-386a, section
200 15-15e, 15-25 or 15-33, subdivision (1) of section 15-97, subsection (a) of
201 section 15-115, section 16-15, 16-16, 16-44, 16-256e, 16-278 or 16a-15,
202 subsection (a) of section 16a-21, section 16a-22, subsection (a) or (b) of
203 section 16a-22h, section 16a-106, 17a-24, 17a-145, 17a-149 or 17a-152,
204 subsection (b) of section 17a-227, section 17a-465, subsection (c) of
205 section 17a-488, section 17b-124, 17b-131, 17b-137, 19a-33, 19a-39 or 19a-
206 87, subsection (b) of section 19a-87a, section 19a-91, 19a-102a, 19a-102b,

207 19a-105, 19a-107, 19a-113, 19a-215, 19a-216a, 19a-219, 19a-222, 19a-224,
208 19a-286, 19a-287, 19a-297, 19a-301, 19a-309, 19a-335, 19a-336, 19a-338,
209 19a-339, 19a-340, 19a-425, 19a-442, 19a-502, 19a-565, 20-7a, 20-14, 20-
210 153a, 20-158, 20-231, 20-233, 20-249, 20-257, 20-265, 20-324e, 20-329c or
211 20-329g, subsection (b) of section 20-334, section 20-341l, 20-366, 20-482,
212 20-597, 20-608, 20-610, 20-623, 21-1, 21-38, 21-39, 21-43, 21-47, 21-48 or
213 21-63, subsection (d) of section 21-71, section 21-76a or 21-100,
214 subsection (c) of section 21a-2, subdivision (1) of section 21a-19, section
215 21a-20 or 21a-21, subdivision (1) of subsection (b) of section 21a-25,
216 section 21a-26, subsection (a) of section 21a-37, section 21a-46, 21a-61,
217 21a-63, 21a-70b or 21a-77, subsection (b) or (c) of section 21a-79, section
218 21a-85 or 21a-154, subdivision (1) of subsection (a) of section 21a-159,
219 section 21a-278b, subsection (c), (d) or (e) of section 21a-279a, section
220 21a-415a, 21a-421eee, 21a-421fff or 21a-421hhh, subsection (a) of section
221 21a-430, section 22-12b, 22-13, 22-14, 22-15, 22-16, 22-26g, 22-30, 22-34,
222 22-35, 22-36, 22-38, 22-39, 22-39f, 22-49, 22-54, 22-61j or 22-61l,
223 subdivision (1) of subsection (n) of section 22-61l, subsection (f) of
224 section 22-61m, subdivision (1) of subsection (f) of section 22-61m,
225 section 22-84, 22-89, 22-90, 22-96, 22-98, 22-99, 22-100 or 22-111o,
226 subsection (d) of section 22-118l, section 22-167, subsection (c) of section
227 22-277, section 22-278, 22-279, 22-280a, 22-318a, 22-320h, 22-324a or 22-
228 326, subsection (b), subdivision (1) or (2) of subsection (e) or subsection
229 (g) of section 22-344, subsection (a) or (b) of section 22-344b, subsection
230 (d) of section 22-344d, section 22-344f, 22-350a, 22-354, 22-359, 22-366,
231 22-391, 22-413, 22-414, 22-415, 22-415c, 22a-66a or 22a-246, subsection (a)
232 of section 22a-250, section 22a-256g, subsection (e) of section 22a-256h,
233 section 22a-363 or 22a-381d, subsections (c) and (d) of section 22a-381e,
234 section 22a-449, 22a-450, 22a-461, 23-4b, 23-38, 23-45, 23-46 or 23-61b,
235 subsection (a) or subdivision (1) of subsection (c) of section 23-65, section
236 25-37 or 25-40, subsection (a) of section 25-43, section 25-43d, 25-135, 26-
237 18, 26-19, 26-21, 26-31, 26-40, 26-40a, 26-42, 26-43, 26-49, 26-54, 26-55, 26-
238 56, 26-58 or 26-59, subdivision (1) of subsection (d) of section 26-61,
239 section 26-64, subdivision (1) of section 26-76, section 26-79, 26-87, 26-89,
240 26-91, 26-94, 26-97, 26-98, 26-104, 26-105, 26-107, 26-114a, 26-117,
241 subsection (b) of section 26-127, 26-128, 26-128a, 26-131, 26-132, 26-138,

242 26-139 or 26-141, subdivision (1) of section 26-186, section 26-207, 26-215,
243 26-217 or 26-224a, subdivision (1) of section 26-226, section 26-227, 26-
244 230, 26-231, 26-232, 26-244, 26-257a, 26-260, 26-276, 26-280, 26-284, 26-
245 285, 26-286, 26-287, 26-288, 26-290, 26-291a, 26-292, 26-294, 27-107, 28-13,
246 29-6a, 29-16, 29-17, 29-25, 29-143o, 29-143z or 29-156a, subsection (b), (d),
247 (e), (g) or (h) of section 29-161q, section 29-161y or 29-161z, subdivision
248 (1) of section 29-198, section 29-210, 29-243 or 29-277, subsection (c) of
249 section 29-291c, section 29-316 or 29-318, subsection (b) of section 29-
250 335a, section 29-381, 30-19f, 30-48a or 30-86a, subsection (b) of section
251 30-89, subsection (c) or (d) of section 30-117, section 31-3, 31-10, 31-11,
252 31-12, 31-13, 31-14, 31-15, 31-16, 31-18, 31-23, 31-24, 31-25, 31-32, 31-36,
253 31-47 or 31-48, subsection (b) of section 31-48b, section 31-51, 31-51g, 31-
254 52, 31-52a, 31-53 or 31-54, subsection (a) or (c) of section 31-69, section
255 31-70, 31-74, 31-75, 31-76, 31-76a, 31-89b or 31-134, subsection (i) of
256 section 31-273, section 31-288, 31-348, 33-624, 33-1017, 34-13d or 34-412,
257 subdivision (1) of section 35-20, subsection (a) of section 36a-57,
258 subsection (b) of section 36a-665, section 36a-699, 36a-739, 36a-787, 38a-
259 2 or 38a-140, subsection (a) or (b) of section 38a-278, section 38a-479qq,
260 38a-479rr, 38a-506, 38a-548, 38a-626, 38a-680, 38a-713, 38a-733, 38a-764,
261 38a-786, 38a-828, 38a-829, 38a-885, 42-133hh, 42-230, 42-470 or 42-480,
262 subsection (a) or (c) of section 43-16q, section 45a-283, 45a-450, 45a-634
263 or 45a-658, subdivision (13) or (14) of section 46a-54, section 46a-59, 46a-
264 81b, 46b-22, 46b-24, 46b-34, 46b-38d, 47-34a, 47-47 or 47-53, subsection
265 (i) of section 47a-21, subdivision (1) of subsection (k) of section 47a-21,
266 section 49-2a, 49-8a, 49-16, 52-143 or 52-289, subsection (j) of section 52-
267 362, section 53-133, 53-199, 53-212a, 53-249a, 53-252, 53-264, 53-280, 53-
268 290a, 53-302a, 53-303e, 53-311a, 53-314, 53-321, 53-322, 53-323 or 53-331,
269 subsection (b) of section 53-343a, section 53-344, subsection (b) or (c) of
270 section 53-344b, subsection (b) of section 53-345a, section 53-377, 53-422
271 or 53-450 or subsection (i) of section 54-36a, or (2) a violation under the
272 provisions of chapter 268, or (3) a violation of any regulation adopted in
273 accordance with the provisions of section 12-484, 12-487 or 13b-410, or
274 (4) a violation of any ordinance, regulation or bylaw of any town, city or
275 borough, except violations of building codes, [and] the health code or
276 an ordinance described in subdivision (5) of this subsection, for which

277 the penalty exceeds ninety dollars but does not exceed two hundred
278 fifty dollars, unless such town, city or borough has established a
279 payment and hearing procedure for such violation pursuant to section
280 7-152c, or (5) a violation of any ordinance adopted by a town, city or
281 borough pursuant to section 14-390, as amended by this act, section 14-
282 390m, as amended by this act, or section 3 of this act for which the
283 penalty does not exceed two thousand dollars, unless such town, city or
284 borough has established a payment and hearing procedure for such
285 violation pursuant to section 7-152c, shall follow the procedures set
286 forth in this section."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2025</i>	14-390
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2025</i>	14-390m
Sec. 3	<i>October 1, 2025</i>	New section
Sec. 4	<i>October 1, 2025</i>	14-111(b)
Sec. 5	<i>October 1, 2025</i>	14-224(g)
Sec. 6	<i>October 1, 2025</i>	51-164n(b)