

General Assembly

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Amendment

LCO No. 8079



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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 1317

File No. 208

Cal. No. 158

(As Amended)

"AN ACT CONCERNING LIENS FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE HOUSING CODE."

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

"Section 1. Section 7-148aa of the general statutes is repealed and the
following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2025*):

5 Any unpaid penalty imposed by a municipality pursuant to the 6 provisions of an ordinance (1) adopted pursuant to section 8-12a, [or] (2) 7 regulating blight, adopted pursuant to subparagraph (H)(xv) of 8 subdivision (7) of subsection (c) of section 7-148, (3) requiring the 9 maintenance of safe and sanitary housing, adopted pursuant to 10 subparagraph (A)(i) of subdivision (7) of subsection (c) of section 7-148, 11 or (4) regulating the use of streets, sidewalks, highways, public places

12	or grounds, for public and private purposes, pursuant to subparagraph
13	(H)(xii) of subdivision (7) of subsection (c) of section 7-148, shall
14	constitute a lien upon the real estate against which the penalty was
15	imposed, or, for a penalty imposed for a violation described in
16	subdivision (4) of this section, upon real estate located in the
17	municipality that is owned by an individual against whom the penalty
18	was imposed, from the date of such penalty. Each such lien may be
19	continued, recorded and released in the manner provided by the general
20	statutes for continuing, recording and releasing property tax liens. Each
21	such lien shall take precedence over all other liens filed after July 1, 1997,
22	and encumbrances except taxes, and may be enforced in the same
23	manner as property tax liens, except that no lien upon real estate against
24	which a penalty, fine or fee was imposed pursuant to an ordinance
25	described in subdivision (4) of this section may be assigned to a third
26	party."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the follow:						
	sections:					
	Section 1	October 1, 2025		7 - 148aa		