

State of California



SECRETARY OF STATE

June 2, 2008

TO: ALL COUNTY CLERKS/REGISTRARS OF VOTERS (CCROV 08193)

Pursuant to Section 9033 of the Elections Code, I hereby certify that on June 2, 2008, the certificates received from the County Clerks or Registrars of Voters by the Secretary of State established that the CRIMINAL PENALTIES AND LAWS. PUBLIC SAFETY FUNDING. STATUTE. (#1326), has been signed by the requisite number of qualified electors needed to declare the petition sufficient. CRIMINAL PENALTIES AND LAWS. PUBLIC SAFETY FUNDING. STATUTE. (#1326), is, therefore, qualified for the next statewide election.

CRIMINAL PENALTIES AND LAWS. PUBLIC SAFETY FUNDING. STATUTE. Requires new state spending on various programs to combat crime and gangs, and to operate prison and parole systems. Increases penalties for several crimes, including violating gang injunctions, using or possessing to sell methamphetamine, or carrying loaded or concealed firearms by certain felons. Eliminates bail for illegal immigrants charged with violent or gang-related felonies, establishes crime for removing or disabling a monitoring device affixed as part of a criminal sentence, and changes evidence rules to allow use of certain hearsay statements as evidence when witnesses are unavailable. Summary of estimate by Legislative Analyst and Director of Finance of fiscal impact on state and local government: Net state costs likely to exceed a half billion dollars annually primarily for increased funding of criminal justice programs, as well as for increased costs for prison and parole operations. Unknown one-time state capital outlay costs potentially exceeding a half billion dollars for prison facilities. Unknown net fiscal impact for state trial courts, county jails, and other local criminal justice agencies. (Initiative 07-0094.)



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand
and affix the Great Seal of the State of California
this 2nd day of June, 2008.

Debra Bowen

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Secretary of State