

# CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE

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INFORMATIONAL HEARING  
THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY  
AND  
THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

## *Just the Facts: An Evidence-Based Look at CEQA Streamlining and CEQA's Role in Development*

Tuesday, March 12, 2019  
1:30 p.m.  
State Capitol, Room 112

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### AGENDA

- I. **WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS**
  - Hon. Hannah-Beth Jackson, Chair, Senate Committee on Judiciary
  - Hon. Ben Allen, Chair, Senate Committee on Environmental Quality
  - Members of the Committees
- II. **PANEL DISCUSSION: AN OVERVIEW OF CEQA AND ITS STREAMLINING PROVISIONS**
  - Terry Rivasplata, AICP, Association of Environmental Professionals
  - Hon. Justice Ronald B. Robie, California Court of Appeal, Third District
- III. **PANEL DISCUSSION: CEQA'S ROLE IN DEVELOPMENT**
  - Eric Biber, Professor of Law, UC Berkeley School of Law
  - Moira O'Neill, Senior Research Fellow, Center for Law, Energy, and the Environment, UC Berkeley School of Law
  - Giulia Gualco-Nelson, Associate, Center for Law, Energy, and the Environment, UC Berkeley School of Law
- IV. **PUBLIC COMMENT**
- V. **CLOSING REMARKS BY CHAIRS AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS**