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The Attorney General of California has prepared the following title and summary of the chief purpose and points of the proposed measure:

IMPOSES ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR LEGISLATURE TO APPROVE CERTAIN STATE FEES AND TAXES AND FOR VOTERS TO APPROVE CERTAIN LOCAL TAXES AND FEES. INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Increases legislative vote requirement to two-thirds for certain fees and taxes currently subject to majority vote. Prohibits Legislature from imposing taxes, fees and assessments on real property and real property sales and transfers, and certain fines. Requires voters to approve by two-thirds vote certain additional local taxes, fees and charges. Summary of estimate by Legislative Analyst and Director of Finance of fiscal impact on state and local government: **Potentially major decrease in state and local revenues and spending in the future, depending upon actions of the Legislature, local governing bodies, and voters.** (09-0096.)