

May 14, 2010
Initiative 10-0015

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

**CHANGES LEGISLATIVE VOTE REQUIREMENT TO PASS A BUDGET, APPROVE
SPENDING BILLS, OR RAISE TAXES FROM TWO-THIRDS TO A SIMPLE**

MAJORITY. INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. Changes the legislative vote requirement necessary to pass the state budget, to approve spending bills, and to raise taxes, from two-thirds to a simple majority. Summary of estimate by Legislative Analyst and Director of Finance of fiscal impact on state and local government: **Unknown state fiscal impacts from lowering the legislative vote requirement for spending and tax increases. In some cases, the content of the annual state budget could change and/or state tax revenues could increase.**

Fiscal impact would depend on the composition and actions of future Legislatures.

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