



# CALIFORNIA SMALL BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

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State Capitol, Room 6026  
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Dear Chair Weber:

The California Small Business Association (CSBA) opposes SB 816 as detrimental to the economy and job growth in our great State of California.

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Wayne Adelstein  
Northridge

This bill is unrealistic in the paperwork requirements and potential damages to small business owners. We agree with transparency, but this bill goes too far in its requirements and again puts mammoth regulatory burdens onto small business. As an organization, we encourage small business to be involved and part of the process but this bill would cause many to not be involved due to the burdensome reporting requirements.

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We would like to work with your committee and/or the author to get a reasonable contribution amount and think it should apply to all agencies...not just Board of Equalization. It needs to be clearly defined that if CSBA participates in a conference with BOE that we are not subject to audits and additional paperwork. We volunteer organizations have limited staff and are primarily volunteers.

Christina S. Loza  
Upland

Thank you for your consideration of the above. We look forward to working with your committee.

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Sincerely,

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