## State of California

## BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

## **PROPERTY TAX RULES**

Division 1. State Board of Equalization-Property Tax Chapter 4. Equalization by State Board Article 4. Change in Ownership and New Construction

## Rule 462.001. Change in Ownership—General.

Authority: Section 15606, Government Code. Reference: Sections 60-67, Revenue and Taxation Code.

A "change in ownership" in real property occurs when there is a transfer of a present interest in the property, including the transfer of the right to beneficial use thereof, the value of which is substantially equal to the value of the fee interest. Every transfer of property qualified as a "change in ownership" shall be so regarded whether the transfer is voluntary, involuntary, by operation of law, by grant, gift, devise, inheritance, trust, contract of sale, addition or deletion of an owner, property settlement, or any other means. A change in the name of an owner of property not involving a change in the right to beneficial use is excluded from the term "transfer" as used in this section.

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