

Chairperson:Ray AguilarCommittee:Government, Military and Veterans AffairsDate of Hearing:February 1, 2008

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 822 is a clean-up bill for performance and financial audit statutes. Specifically, it makes the following technical changes to statutes relating to the Legislative Performance Audit Committee and the Auditor of Public Accounts:

1) Updates references to government auditing standards from 2003 to 2007;

2) Changes references to the "General Accounting" Office to the "Government Accountability" Office;

3) Eliminates an obsolete section of statute; and

4) Adds the Legislative Auditor to the group of people who may propose topics for performance audits.

Principal Introducer:

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