
Introduced by Senator Speier

February 15, 2005

An act to add Section 17550.195 to the Business and Professions Code, relating to sellers of travel.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 263, as introduced, Speier. Sellers of travel: penalties: felony offenses.

Existing law regulates sellers of travel, as defined, and requires their registration with the Attorney General. Under existing law, a violation of those provisions is a crime, and certain violations are punishable as a felony offense.

This bill would require the Attorney General to suspend the registration of a person convicted of a felony violation of the provisions regulating sellers of travel and would also prohibit the person from registering as a seller of travel and from participating in the Travel Consumer Restitution Fund for 7 years.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 17550.195 is added to the Business and
- 2 Professions Code, to read:
- 3 17550.195. (a) The Attorney General shall immediately
- 4 suspend the registration of a seller of travel who has been
- 5 convicted of a felony offense pursuant to Section 17550.19.
- 6 (b) A person who has been convicted of a felony offense
- 7 pursuant to Section 17550.19 is prohibited for a period of seven
- 8 years commencing on the date of his or her conviction, from

- 1 registering as a seller of travel and from participating in the
- 2 Travel Consumer Restitution Fund.

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