

Assembly Bill No. 1158

Passed the Assembly September 5, 1995

Chief Clerk of the Assembly

Passed the Senate August 30, 1995

Secretary of the Senate

This bill was received by the Governor this ____ day
of _____, 1995, at ____ o'clock __M.

Private Secretary of the Governor

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CHAPTER ____

An act to add Section 6254.15 to the Government Code, relating to public records.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1158, Kuykendall. Public records.

Under existing law, the California Public Records Act, public records are open to inspection during the office hours of state and local agencies with specified exceptions.

This bill would add an exception for certain records relating to the retention, location, relocation, or expansion of a company within California.

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

SECTION 1. Section 6254.15 is added to the Government Code, to read:

6254.15. Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to require the disclosure of records that are any of the following: corporate financial records, corporate proprietary information including trade secrets, and information relating to siting within the state furnished to a government agency by a private company for the purpose of permitting the agency to work with the company in retaining, locating, or expanding a facility within California. Except as provided below, incentives offered by state or local government agencies, if any, shall be disclosed upon communication to the agency or the public of a decision to stay, locate, relocate, or expand, by a company, or upon application by that company to a governmental agency for a general plan amendment, rezone, use permit, building permit, or any other permit, whichever occurs first.

The agency shall delete, prior to disclosure to the public, information that is exempt pursuant to this section from any record describing state or local incentives



offered by an agency to a private business to retain, locate, relocate, or expand the business within California.



Approved _____, 1995

Governor

