

## 3910 California Integrated Waste Management Board

The California Integrated Waste Management Board was abolished pursuant to Chapter 21, Statutes of 2009 (Senate Bill 63, Strickland), effective January 1, 2010. This legislation transferred the programs, responsibilities, and resources to the newly created Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery and the California Environmental Protection Agency.

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### LEGAL CITATIONS AND AUTHORITY

#### DEPARTMENT AUTHORITY

Public Resources Code Section 14510.5, 14510.6, 40110, 40120.05, 40400 et seq., 40430 et seq., 40501, 40506.5, 40506.7, and 71300 et seq. as amended or added by Chapter 21, Statutes of 2009 (SB 63).

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### PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

#### 11 - WASTE REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT

The following program components of the Waste Reduction and Management program were transferred to the Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery, pursuant to Chapter 21, Statutes of 2009 (Senate Bill 63, Strickland) as of January 1, 2010:

- Ensuring that all nonhazardous solid wastes are stored, collected, processed, and disposed of in a safe and environmentally sound manner.
- Participating in the development and maintenance of local solid waste management plans, which describe how each city and county will reduce the amount of solid waste disposed to achieve a 50 percent diversion of waste from landfills.
- Cleaning up solid waste disposal sites for which the responsible party either cannot be identified or is unable or unwilling to pay for timely remediation, and where cleanup is needed to protect health and safety or the environment.
- Reducing the amount of waste generated and promoting composting, recycling, and the use of recycled materials in manufacturing processes.
- Reducing the number of used tires placed in landfills or illegally dumped or stockpiled and promoting technologies that turn waste tires into useful products.
- Reducing the amount of improperly disposed used oil and promoting used oil recycling.
- Reducing electronic waste by providing for the safe and convenient collection and recycling of specified electronic equipment.

Additionally, the enabling legislation transferred the program component to assist schools by incorporating environmental concepts into the California State Science Framework and establishing an integrated systems model to incorporate resource conservation and sustainability into educational materials to the California Environmental Protection Agency.

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