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**Senate Leader Atkins Announces Committee Membership for the
2020-2021 Legislative Session**

SACRAMENTO – California Senate President pro Tempore, Toni G. Atkins (D-San Diego), today announced the Senate’s committee membership assignments for the 2020-2021 Legislative session.

Standing Committees

Agriculture

- **Senator Andreas Borgeas (R-Fresno), Chair.**
- Senator Melissa Hurtado (D-Sanger), Vice Chair.
- Senator Anna M. Caballero (D-Salinas)
- Senator Susan Talamantes Eggman (D-Stockton)
- Senator Steven M. Glazer (D-Contra Costa)

Appropriations

- **Senator Anthony J. Portantino (D-La Cañada-Flintridge), Chair.**
- Senator Patricia C. Bates (R-Laguna Niguel), Vice Chair.
- Senator Steven Bradford (D-Gardena)
- Senator Brian W. Jones (R-Santee)
- Senator John Laird (D-Santa Cruz)
- Senator Bob Wieckowski (D-Fremont)
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Banking and Financial Institutions

- **Senator S. Monique Limón (D-Santa Barbara), Chair.**
- Senator Rosilicie Ochoa-Bogh (R-Yucaipa), Vice Chair.
- Senator Steven Bradford (D-Gardenia)
- Senator Anna M. Caballero (D-Salinas)
- Senator Brian Dahle (R-Bieber)
- Senator Maria Elena Durazo (D-Los Angeles)
- Senator Ben Hueso (D-San Diego)
- Senator Dave Min (D-Irvine)
- Senator Anthony J. Portantino (D-La Cañada Flintridge)

Budget and Fiscal Review

- **Senator Nancy Skinner (D-Berkeley), Chair.**
- Senator Jim Nielsen (R-Tehama), Vice Chair.
- Senator Anna M. Caballero (D-Salinas)
- Senator Dave Cortese (D-San Jose)
- Senator Brian Dahle (R-Bieber)
- Senator Maria Elena Durazo (D-Los Angeles)
- Senator Susan Talamantes Eggman (D-Stockton)
- Senator John Laird (D-Santa Cruz)
- Senator Mike McGuire (D-Healdsburg)
- Senator Melissa Melendez (R-Lake Elsinore)
- Senator Dave Min (D-Irvine)
- Senator Josh Newman (D-Fullerton)
- Senator Rosilicie Ochoa-Bogh (R-Yucaipa)
- Senator Richard Pan (D-Sacramento)
- Senator Henry I. Stern (D-Canoga Park)
- Senator Bob Wieckowski (D-Fremont)
- Senator Scott Wilk (R-Santa Clarita)
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Business, Professions and Economic Development

- **Senator Richard D. Roth (D-Riverside), Chair.**
- Senator Melissa Melendez (R-Lake Elsinore), Vice Chair.
- Senator Bob Archuleta (D-Pico Rivera)
- Senator Patricia C. Bates (R-Laguna Niguel)
- Senator Josh Becker (D-Menlo Park)
- Senator Bill Dodd (D-Napa)
- Senator Susan Talamantes Eggman (D-Stockton)
- Senator Melissa Hurtado (D-Sanger)
- Senator Connie M. Leyva (D-Chino)

- Senator Dave Min (D-Irvine)
- Senator Josh Newman (D-Fullerton)
- Senator Rosilicie Ochoa-Bogh (R-Yucaipa)
- Senator Richard Pan (D-Sacramento)
- Senator Scott Wilk (R-Santa Clarita)

Education

- **Senator Connie M. Leyva (D-Chino), Chair.**
- Senator Scott Wilk (R-Santa Clarita), Vice Chair.
- Senator Dave Cortese (D-San Jose)
- Senator Steven M. Glazer (D-Contra Costa)
- Senator Mike McGuire (D-Healdsburg)
- Senator Rosilicie Ochoa-Bogh (R-Yucaipa)
- Senator Richard Pan (D-Sacramento)

Elections and Constitutional Amendments

- **Senator Steven M. Glazer (D-Contra Costa), Chair.**
- Senator Jim Nielsen (R-Tehama), Vice Chair.
- Senator Robert M. Hertzberg (D-Los Angeles)
- Senator Connie M. Leyva (D-Chino)
- Senator Josh Newman (D-Fullerton)

Energy, Utilities and Communications

- **Senator Ben Hueso (D-San Diego), Chair.**
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- Senator Josh Becker (D-Menlo Park)
- Senator Andres Borgeas (R-Fresno)
- Senator Steven Bradford (D-Gardena)
- Senator Bill Dodd (D-Napa)
- Senator Susan Talamantes Eggman (D-Stockton)
- Senator Lena A. Gonzalez (D-Long Beach)
- Senator Robert M. Hertzberg (D-Los Angeles)
- Senator Mike McGuire (D-Healdsburg)
- Senator Dave Min (D-Irvine)
- Senator Susan Rubio (D-Baldwin Park)
- Senator Henry I. Stern (D-Canoga Park)
- Senator Scott Wilk (R-Santa Clarita)

Environmental Quality

- **Senator Benjamin Allen (D-Santa Monica), Chair.**
- Senator Patricia C. Bates (R-Laguna Niguel), Vice Chair.
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- Senator Lena A. Gonzalez (D-Long Beach)
- Senator Nancy Skinner (D-Berkeley)
- Senator Henry I. Stern (D-Canoga Park)
- Senator Bob Wieckowski (D-Fremont)

Governance and Finance

- **Senator Mike McGuire (D-Healdsburg), Chair.**
- Senator Jim Nielsen (R-Tehama), Vice Chair.
- Senator Maria Elena Durazo (D-Los Angeles)
- Senator Robert M. Hertzberg (D-Los Angeles)
- Senator Scott D. Wiener (San Francisco)

Governmental Organization

- **Senator Bill Dodd (D-Napa), Chair.**
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- Senator Bob Archuleta (D-Pico Rivera)
- Senator Josh Becker (D-Menlo Park)
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- Senator Jim Nielsen (R-Tehama)
- Senator Anthony J. Portantino (D-La Cañada Flintridge)
- Senator Susan Rubio (D-Baldwin Park)
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Health

- **Senator Richard Pan (D-Sacramento), Chair.**
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- Senator Lena A. Gonzalez (D-Long Beach)
- Senator Shannon Grove (R-Bakersfield)
- Senator Melissa Hurtado (D-Sanger)
- Senator Connie M. Leyva (D-Chino)
- Senator S. Monique Limón (D-Santa Barbara)

- Senator Richard D. Roth (D-Riverside)
- Senator Susan Rubio (D-Baldwin Park)
- Senator Scott D. Wiener (D-San Francisco)

Housing

- **Senator Scott D. Wiener (D-San Francisco), Chair.**
- Senator Patricia C. Bates (R-Laguna Niguel), Vice Chair.
- Senator Anna M. Caballero (D-Salinas)
- Senator Dave Cortese (D-San Jose)
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- Senator Rosilicie Ochoa-Bogh (R-Yucaipa)
- Senator Nancy Skinner (D-Berkeley)
- Senator Thomas J. Umberg (D-Santa Ana)
- Senator Bob Wieckowski (D-Fremont)

Human Services

- **Senator Melissa Hurtado (D-Sanger), Chair.**
- Senator Brian W. Jones (R-Santee), Vice Chair.
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- **Senator Susan Rubio (D-Baldwin Park), Chair.**
- Senator Brian W. Jones (R-Santee), Vice Chair.
- Senator Bob Archuleta (D-Pico Rivera)
- Senator Patricia C. Bates (R-Laguna Niguel)
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- Senator Bill Dodd (D-Napa)
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- Senator Anthony J. Portantino (D-La Cañada Flintridge)
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Judiciary

- **Senator Thomas J. Umberg (D-Santa Ana), Chair.**
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- Senator Maria Elena Durazo (D-Los Angeles)

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- Senator Henry I. Stern (D-Canoga Park)
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Labor, Public Employment and Retirement

- **Senator Dave Cortese (D-San Jose), Chair.**
- Senator Rosilicie Ochoa-Bogh (R-Yucaipa), Vice Chair.
- Senator Maria Elena Durazo (D-Los Angeles)
- Senator John Laird (D-Santa Cruz)
- Senator Josh Newman (D-Fullerton)

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- **Senator Henry I. Stern (D-Canoga Park), Chair.**
- Senator Brian W. Jones (R-Santee), Vice Chair.
- Senator Benjamin Allen (D-Santa Monica)
- Senator Andreas Borgeas (R-Fresno)
- Senator Susan Talamantes Eggman (D-Stockton)
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Public Safety

- **Senator Steven Bradford (D-Gardena), Chair.**
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Rules

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- **Senator Lena A. Gonzalez (D-Long Beach), Chair.**
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Military and Veterans Affairs

- **Senator Bob Archuleta (D-Pico Rivera), Chair.**
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Budget Sub-Committees

Budget Subcommittee #1 on Education

- **Senator John Laird (D-Santa Cruz), Chair.**
- Senator Dave Min (D-Irvine)
- Senator Rosilicie Ochoa-Bogh (R-Yucaipa)

Budget Subcommittee #2 on Resources, Environmental Protection and Energy

- **Senator Bob Wieckowski (D-Fremont), Chair.**
- Senator Brian Dahle (R-Bieber)
- Senator Mike McGuire (D-Healdsburg)
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Budget Subcommittee #3 on Health and Human Services

- **Senator Susan Talamantes Eggman (D-Stockton), Chair.**
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Budget Subcommittee #4 on State Administration and General Government

- **Senator Anna M. Caballero (D-Salinas), Chair.**
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Budget Subcommittee #5 on Corrections, Public Safety, Judiciary, Labor and Transportation

- **Senator Maria Elena Durazo (D-Los Angeles), Chair.**
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Joint Legislative Audit Committee

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- Senator Steven M. Glazer (D-Contra Costa)
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- Senator Connie M. Leyva (D-Chino)
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Joint Legislative Committee on Climate Change Policies

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Joint Legislative Committee on Emergency Management

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Joint Committee on Fisheries and Aquaculture

- **Senator Mike McGuire (D-Healdsburg), Chair**
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Joint. Committee on Fairs Allocation and Classification

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Joint Legislative Budget Committee

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Joint Committee on Rules

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Special Committee

Special Committee on Pandemic Emergency Response

- **Senator Josh Newman (D-Fullerton), Chair.**
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