

Potential Legislative Changes

Government Code (GC), Election Code (EC), and CA Code of Regulations (CCR) Language

	Topic	Code Section to Amend	Notes	Action Recommended
1.	Requiring reallocation of state incarcerated people to their last known address	EC Section 21003 (d)	Amend existing language.	Yes.
2.	Reallocation of federal incarcerated people to their last known address, if provided.	EC Section 21003 (d)	Amend existing language.	Yes.
3.	Empowering the Commission to make grants for prospective work	GC Section 8253.6 (b)	Requires new language. No existing grant authority language.	Yes.
4.	Exempting Commission from State procurement and contracting regulations	GC Section 8253.6 (b)	Need to amend language.	Yes.
5.	Clarify/provide definition of what redistricting matters means	GC Section 8251(b)	First appears in GC Section 8253(a)(3).	Yes.
6.	Allow "No Party Preference" to be considered a party for purposes of considering commissioner membership categories	GC 8252 (f) & (g) Art. XXI, Sec 2 (c)(2)	Further clarifying existing language	Yes.
7.	Define Fully Functional	GC Section 8251 (b), CCR Title 2 Section 60861	Work with the State Auditor on language, fully functional noted in GC Section 8253(a)(5) and CCR Title 2 Section 60861.	Yes.
8.	Clarify/provide definition for what public input means	GC Section 8251(b)	First mentioned in GC Section 8253(a)(1).	Yes.
9.	Clarify what a day is in defining mapping deadlines	GC Section 8251(b)	Code already defines a day (a calendar day). Black's Law Dictionary defines a day as a full 24 hours (midnight to midnight).	N/A. Already defined.

10.	Clarify taking public comment during regular, non-mapping business meetings does not constitute “receiving input on redistricting matters” (subject to 14-day meeting notice requirement)	N/A	See # 8 above.	N/A.
11.	Revise Bagley Keene to allow for permanent remote and hybrid meetings	N/A	Adherence noted in GC Section 8253 (a)(1). In process - AB 1733, discuss supporting the bill.	N/A
12.	Commissioner Vacancies: Discuss need to fill vacancies after final maps are approved.	GC Section 8252.5	Discussion item. If the Commission wants to change, amend existing language.	TBD

Constitutional Code Language

	Topic	Code Section	Notes	Action Recommended
1	Change final map date from August 15 to September 15	Section 2 (g), Article XXI		Yes.
2	Change # of Commissioners from 14 to 15 by adding one to “neither of the two largest”	Section 2(c)(2), Article XXI	Changes to the Constitution AND changes to the Government Code statutes (possibly GC 8252 (f) or (g); 8252.5(b)) will be needed.	Yes.

Miscellaneous/Proposed Future Action (Not a statute or code):

- Amend Budget Act language so the Commission is a line item and does not need to request release of the funds already appropriated to the Commission.

Code Sections specifically mentioning the California Citizens Redistricting Commission:

- California Constitutional Provisions: Sections 1, 2, & 3 of Article XXI
- Government Code (GC): Sections 8251 to 8253.6
- Elections Code (EC): Division 1, Chapter 1, Section 21003; Division 8, Chapter 1.5, Section 8161
- California Code of Regulations (CCR): Title 1 Sections 60840, 60855, 60856, and 60861