

## Assembly Bill 1588 Sub Workgroup Recommendations

The Assembly Bill 1588 (AB 1588) Sub Workgroup presents the following recommendation to the Drinking Water Operator Certification Program and Wastewater Operator Certification Program Advisory Committees:

- 1) Revised guidelines for application reviews.
- 2) Update to general operator application form and possibly a supplemental form for veterans.
- 3) Coordination with the output from the other sub workgroup efforts.
- 4) Active participation with the Office of Operator Certification (OOC) staff exercising application review enhancements during pilot phase evaluation of guidelines.
- 5) Continue using pilot experiences to evaluate recommended form and procedural adjustments.
  - a. Develop tailored workflow for OOC staff.
- 6) New forms and procedures will be compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).
- 7) A standing agenda item for advisory group meetings to address potential regulatory changes.
- 8) Message management processes to promote awareness of current wave and future shifts in forms/procedures.
- 9) Sunset the AB 1588 Sub Workgroup and transition to work to the existing Advisory Groups (including military representative position).
- 10) Advisory Groups meet more frequently, quarterly suggested.
- 11) Continue with Joint Advisory Group meetings.

Attachment:

1. AB 1588 Sub Workgroup Status Report presentation