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# A Stronger California

## Securing Economic Opportunity for all Women

Pillar	Bill	Author	Summary
Fair Pay and Job Opportunity	AB 168	Eggman	Prohibits an employer from seeking salary history information about an applicant for employment.
Access to Childcare	Budget Ask	LWC	Keeps promises made in the recent budget to the childcare workforce AND expands access for the 1,479,000 children in California who are eligible for subsidized childcare. We currently serve less than 15% of the needs of working families. When parents cannot find or afford childcare, the economy loses valued workers and our future workforce misses opportunities to learn.
	AB 273	Aguiar-Curry	Clarifies that English as a Second Language (ESL) and High School Equivalency (HSE) educational programs meet criteria for establishing eligibility for subsidized child care programs.
Family Friendly Workplaces	SB 63	Jackson	The New Parent Leave Act provides up to 12 weeks of job-protected maternity and paternity leave for more California employees.
Protecting Vulnerable Communities	SB 500	Leyva	Allows law enforcement and prosecutors to pursue perpetrators that use the threat of distribution of private and sexually explicit images to demand sex, additional sexually explicit images, or money.
	AB 480	Gonzalez-Fletcher	Amends the Welfare and Institutions Code to clarify that diapers for infants and toddlers are a reimbursable ancillary expense under existing law for CalWORKs participants with young children in the Welfare to Work program.
	AB 1312	Gonzalez-Fletcher	Ensures that rape kits are not destroyed prematurely, that survivors of sexual assault are aware of their rights and the resources available to them, and codifies important additional rights for survivors such as free post-assault contraception.
	AB 1386	Waldron	Launches a breast and ovarian cancer screening and awareness pilot program to promote and encourage genetic testing screening when indicated by the United States Preventative Services Task Force and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.