STATUS OF STATE LEGISLATIVE BILLS PRESENTED TO THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY INTEGRATED WASTE MANAGEMENT TASK FORCE 2007-2008 SESSION January 10, 2007

Bill	Author	Status	Summary	Task Force Position
AB 35	Ruskin	Introduced 12-04-06	Existing Law: AB 939 requires each city, county, and regional agency to develop a source reduction and recycling program and to divert 50% of all solid waste destined to landfills.	
			Proposed Law: This bill would enact the Sustainable Building Act of 2007 and require the Waste Board by July 1, 2009, to adopt regulations for sustainable building standards related to the construction or renovation of buildings owned or leased by the state. It would require on or after July 1, 2010 that state buildings be built, designed, and operated in accordance with those regulations.	
AB 48	Saldana	Introduced 12-04-06	Existing Law: SB 20 required regulations to prohibit an electronic device from being sold or offered for sale in this state if the electronic device is prohibited from being sold in the European Union on and after its date of manufacture, due to the presence of certain heavy metals.	
			Proposed Law: This bill would amend the definition of Consumer Electronic Device to include most consumer electronics, and phase out sales of such devices beginning January 1, 2010. The proposed definition of CED's and toxic phase out provisions would parellel ROHS Directives adopted by the European Union in 2003.	