AB 1752 (Committee on Budget), CHAPTER 225, STATUTES of 2003

Affects: Child Care Facilities, Community Care Facilities, Residential Care Facilities for the Chronically III and Residential Care Facilities for the Elderly

Subject: License Fee Increases, Required Annual Visits and Random Sample Visits

Summary: This legislation amends Sections 1523.1, 1534, 1568.05, 1569.185, 1569.33, 1596.803, 1596.871, 1597.09, 1597.55a and 1597.55b of the Health & Safety Code relating to fees and visits. The provisions are as follows:

- Increased annual license fees and eliminated aggregate fees for licensees with multiple facilities.
- Annual visits will be made to facilities when a license is on probation; when the terms of agreement in a facility compliance plan require an annual evaluation; when an accusation against a licensee is pending; and when a facility requires an annual visit as a condition of receiving federal financial participation.
- Annual visits will also be made to ten percent of the total number of licensed facilities identified using a random sample methodology.