

The Honorable _____
State Capitol, Room _____
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: SB 60 (Cedillo) - Oppose

Dear Assemblymember _____ :

I respectfully request that you vote “no” on SB 60, sponsored by Sen. Gil Cedillo. This bill requires the California Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) to issue driver’s licenses under federal REAL ID Act to persons who are not legal citizens of the United States. Last year the governor vetoed this bill and was right to do so.

Under SB 60, the DMV would be granting licenses that permit driving throughout our state, but that are not otherwise acceptable by a federal agency for federal identification or for any other official purpose. This measure not only represents a security risk, but a real safety risk to the families of our state already driving on overcrowded roads.

In addition, those persons who are here illegally and cannot provide proper documentation have already broken the law to enter this country. How can we assume that they will obey the rules of the road and maintain proper insurance once we give them a temporary license?

Again, I encourage you to oppose SB 60. I look forward to hearing from you regarding your vote on this bill.

Sincerely,