

Measure S405

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BALLOT MEASURE S405

BACKGROUND

The California Constitution does not confer any special status on the English language.

PROPOSAL

This constitutional amendment declares that English is the official language of the State of California. It directs the Legislature to enact appropriate legislation to preserve the role of English as the state's common language. In addition, it prohibits the Legislature from passing laws which diminish or ignore the role of English as the state's common language.



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