

Comparison of current and new Bagley-Keene teleconference laws

	<b>GC 11123</b>	<b>New law effective 1/1/2019 (GC 11123.5)</b>
Application	Applied to all public meetings	Applies only to advisory state bodies that lack rule making or voting authority.
Quorum requirement	Quorum can include Committee members who attend remotely by teleconference	A quorum must attend the meeting at the primary meeting location
Notice	Agenda must be posted 10 days prior to the meeting and include names of members who will participate by teleconference. Each teleconference location must be identified in the meeting notice and at least one Committee member must be present at each teleconference location.	Agenda must be posted 10 days prior and include primary location of the meeting but notice that identifies members who will participate remotely only needs to be made 24 hours prior to the meeting on the Internet site and by email to any person who requested notice of the meeting. The location of the members who participate remotely is not required to be disclosed to the public and need not be accessible to the public.
Remote access to the public	Portion of meeting that is required to be open to the public must also be audible to the public at the location specified in the meeting notice.	When a Committee member participates remotely by teleconference, the Committee must provide a means by which the public may remotely hear audio of the meeting or remotely observe the meeting, including, if available, equal access equivalent to the Committee members who are participating remotely.
Posting agendas	Must be posted at primary meeting location and teleconference location.	Agenda only needs to be posted at primary meeting location.
Failure of teleconferencing equipment	Contains no specific requirements that must be followed if teleconference equipment fails during a meeting. However, if remote access to the public fails the meeting would need to be canceled or adjourned to comply with the current law's requirement that the teleconferenced portion of the meeting that is open to the public be audible to the public.	Upon discovering a failure of remote public access during a meeting, the Committee shall end or adjourn the meeting and provide notice of the meeting's end or adjournment on the Internet Web site and by email to any person who requested notice of the meeting. If the meeting will be adjourned and reconvened on the same day, further notice shall be provided by an automated message on a telephone line listed on the agenda, or by similar means, that will communicate when the Committee intends to reconvene the meeting and how a member of the public may hear audio of the meeting or observe the meeting.
Voting	Votes must be taken by roll call.	Votes must be taken by roll call.