

Peace and Freedom Party of California Legislative Committee

Honorable Ash Kalra
State Capitol, Room 5160
Sacramento, CA 95814

Subject: AB 20 – (Kalra): CalPERS and Cal STIRS divestment from Dakota Access Pipeline
SUPPORT

Dear Assembly Member Kalra:

I am writing to you on behalf of the Peace and Freedom Party of California to support AB 20. We have a long history, starting 50 years ago, of supporting environmental causes. In fact, in the late 1960s members of Peace and Freedom founded Ecology Action. A part of the platform of Peace and Freedom Party reads: “The same corporate forces and economic system that exploit and brutalize the world's working class people are destroying the world's biosphere. Our goal is a society that is in harmony with nature as it is in harmony with its own people.”, and “We support self-determination of indigenous peoples and sovereignty for Native nations.”

Peace and Freedom Party members have traveled to North Dakota and participated in actions there and in California to aid the resistance to the Dakota Access Pipeline. We appreciate that you have stood up against powerful forces and have not given in to their pressure.

For these reasons we support AB 20 and urge its passage. To discuss our position on AB 20 further, please contact me at (916) 320-9186 (mobile) or ctwebervoters@att.net or our State Chair, Kevin Akin, at (951) 675-2813 (mobile).

Sincerely,

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Legislative Committee Chairperson