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TO: All Agencies Participating in the California Automated Travel Expense Reimbursement System

FROM: Jil Barraza, Chief
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RE: PROHIBITED TRAVEL STATES FOR STATE-FUNDED AND STATE-SPONSORED TRAVEL

On Friday, September 24, 2021, the Office of the Attorney General [announced](#) the addition of the state of Ohio to the list of travel-prohibited states for all state-funded and state-sponsored travel. Per [Assembly Bill AB 1887](#), the following states are now identified as travel-prohibited states:

- Ohio – **NEW** (Effective September 30, 2021)
- Florida
- Montana
- West Virginia
- Arkansas
- North Dakota
- Alabama
- Kansas
- Kentucky
- Mississippi
- North Carolina
- South Dakota
- Tennessee
- Texas
- Oklahoma
- South Carolina
- Idaho
- Iowa

While there are limited exceptions for travel to the above states, please contact your department's [Travel Helpdesk](#) with any specific questions you may have regarding these new restrictions.

SCO Key Initiatives:

- [Cal Employee Connect Project](#)
- [California State Payroll System Project](#)

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