









Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development (GO-Biz)

The California Competes Tax Credit is an income tax credit available to businesses that want to locate or stay and grow in California.













Application Periods

-  July 30, 2018, to August 21, 2018
\$70 million available
-  January 2, 2019, to January 21, 2019
Amount to be determined
-  March 4, 2019, to March 25, 2019
Amount to be determined

About the Credit

-  Open to businesses of all sizes
-  Online application
-  No fee to apply

Evaluation Factors

-  Number of jobs created or retained
-  Strategic importance to the state, region, or locality
-  Amount of Investment
-  Incentives available from in-state, out of state, and federal government sources
-  Opportunity for future growth & expansion
-  Training opportunities offered to employees
-  Compensation paid to employees, including wages & fringe benefits
-  Extent of unemployment & poverty in current or proposed site location
-  Economic Impact
-  Duration of the proposed project & duration of applicant's commitment to remain in California
-  Extent to which the benefit to California exceeds that of the applicant
-  Extent to which the credit influences creation of new California jobs



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