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Treasurer John Chiang to Urge CalSTRS to Divest Holdings in Sellers of Banned Assault Weapons and ‘Bump Stocks’

SACRAMENTO – State Treasurer John Chiang will call on board members to divest CalSTRS holdings in wholesale or retail sellers of military-style assault weapons, ammunition, and other devices such as “bump stocks” that are banned in California.

A gunman used such weapons to kill 58 people and wound more than 500 during a concert Oct. 1 in Las Vegas. Among the dead were dozens of Californians, including three teachers.

When: 9 a.m. Wednesday, November 1, 2017

Where: CalSTRS Campus – First Floor Board Room
100 Waterfront Place
West Sacramento, 95605

Who: State Treasurer John Chiang, the brother of a victim in the Las Vegas massacre, and advocates for gun laws.

Additional Information:

+ [Read full letter](#) sent by Treasurer John Chiang asking CalSTRS to consider divestment in makers and sellers of assault weapons and “bump stocks.”

+ [Live video stream](#) of board hearing will begin at 9 a.m. on Nov. 1, 2017.

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