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I am a motorcyclist. Please support SB422! Lane filtering is so much safer for us. Too many of us get rear-ended sitting in traffic and it could be deadly. As motorcyclists, we already have to go through a special class to get our endorsement and it makes most of us safer riders. I bring this up as it's not something that cars or trucks have to go through. Also, so many drivers now days are texting and I see so many rear-end accidents at lights or in traffic. Motorcycles can easily fit between the lanes and filter to the front where we don't have to worry as much about being hit. There is no reason to hold us up in traffic, either at a light or in a traffic jam. We can safely make it through traffic by lane filtering. Also, some motorcycles are air cooled and during the summer, these motorcycles risk over heating and breaking down due to sitting in traffic. Please help my fellow riders and myself feel safer on the roads by allowing us to lane filter. Thank you.