



## **California Assembly Passes UC-supported AB 2296, the Researcher Protection Act of 2008**

The California State Assembly approved Assembly Bill 2296, the Researcher Protection Act of 2008, on a bipartisan unanimous vote of 68-0. The University of California strongly supports AB 2296, which would help enhance law enforcement's ability to protect academic researchers and their families from acts of violence and intimidation perpetrated by anti-animal research extremists.

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