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Summary: The Board of the Studio City Neighborhood Council (SCNC) unanimously supports Council File 23-0002-S29: Title, Prohibit Sale of Vehicles Without Catalytic Converter / Etched Engraved Vehicle Identification Number / Legislative Program. Catalytic converter thefts have been on the rise throughout the state. 1,600 catalytic converters are stolen every month in the state. Thousands are stolen every year in Los Angeles alone. More needs to be done to stop this criminal scourge. Senate Bill 55 has been introduced in the Senate to prohibit the sale of new or used vehicles unless the VIN has been engraved or etched onto the converter. This would make it more difficult for thieves to fence stolen converters, and thereby reduce thefts.

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