

C-SUITES FACING NEW PRESSURE TO ENGAGE ON SOCIAL ISSUES

Trigger Warnings! 2023's Social, Cultural & Political Flashpoints



- **Abortion** bans & liability for “abetting”
- Ban on doing business with the state/ lost tax credits if abortion benefits offered... or denied (TX vs CA?)
- Ban on cooperating with other states’ law enforcement subpoenas for data or internal comms



- College **Affirmative Action** / SCOTUS decisions
- K-12 “**Parents Bills of Rights**” (eg FL) & curricula
- Public University tenure & curricula
- Trans athletes & sports



- Nondiscrimination laws (eg TX SB13) prohibiting firms that refuse to finance fossil fuels from business with state
- Bans on investing state \$ in **ESG funds** vs bans on gas cars / stoves, extraction regulation & “windfall profits” taxes
- Federal & state efforts to limit or disallow proxy voting by fund managers



- Ban on teaching gender issues in early education
- **Trans** access to health care
- Gun controls / de-controls



- Sanctuary Cities & refugee policies
- **DEI** mandates... or bans on training
- Gun controls / de-controls (post-Bruen decision)
- **Election laws** (voter ID, ballot security, mail-in ballots)
- Policing reform