



Kevin Hannah

Acting State Printer **Kevin Hannah** says he can save the state money by printing fewer bills, journals, histories and other material that the Legislature generates every day. This is the digital age, he says, and so many people now fetch the stuff online. Currently **Hannah** and his colleagues at the State Printing Office on 7th Street and Richards Boulevard produce 1,600 copies of each piece of "legi," which is print shop speak for legislative materials. And so **Hannah** plans to propose that the Senate Rules Committee authorize about 25 percent less of it. "Legi" (with a soft "g") may be in **Hannah's** blood. His father, **Roland Hannah**, produced "legi" for 34 years at the plant as a pressman on the night shift. All "legi" is produced at night so that it may be delivered to the Capitol Bill Room and the Bill Room Annex at 721 R Street by 7 a.m. The younger **Hannah** would come to work with Dad sometimes

on weekends (Dad had to work if there were ASAP bills, last-minute bills the Legislature needed in a two-hour turn-around.) The younger **Hannah** enjoyed the business, so he took a printing class in high school, then worked for various private sector printing companies until coming on board with the state 11 years ago as associate printing plant supervisor on the third shift ("legi"). He was promoted internally to acting state printer in January 2010. The new state printer will be appointed by Gov. **Jerry Brown**. Contact: Pamela@morningreport.com.