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GRAY DAVIS, Governor



Reason for this Transmittal

- [] State Law or Regulation Change
 [] Federal Law or Regulation Change
 [] Court Order or Settlement Change
 [] Clarification requested by
- One or More Counties

[X] Initiated by DCSS

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ALL IV-D DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: OMBUDSPERSON, COMPLAINT RESOLUTION, AND STATE HEARING REGIONAL WORKSHOPS POSTPONEMENT

This letter notifies local child support agencies (LCSAs) that the Ombudsperson, Complaint Resolution, and State Hearing Regional Workshops scheduled in June 2002 have been postponed.

As you may know, Title 22, Division 13, Chapter 10 of the California Code of Regulations, govern the complaint resolution and state hearing processes. These regulations are currently undergoing minor revisions as a result of public comment. It is expected that regulations will become final within the next 60 days.

The Department of Child Support Services will also promulgate new regulations on establishment, modification and enforcement of support orders. These regulatory changes are scheduled to be effective July 2002. As a result, DCSS will postpone the workshops until after the new regulations have been implemented.

If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact Francine Woods at (916) 464-5377.

Sincerely,

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