CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

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LCSA LETTER: 05-06

ALL IV-D DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: INTERCEPT DATABASE RE-HOST PILOT

[] 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

Reason for this Transmittal

The Department of Child Support Services (DCSS), Technology Services Division's (TSD's) current Integrated Database (IDB) system processes the Local Child Support Agencies (LCSAs) submission files to external agencies, which in turn intercept monies from non-custodial parties that meet the minimum requirements.

DCSS/TSD is in the process of developing the Intercept Database Re-Host (IDB-R) system, which will replace the IDB. Currently, the error and intercept collection reports are mailed to the LCSAs via the United States Postal Service on a monthly basis, and the IDB data on the Case Worker Query Tool is updated once a month. The IDB-R will be a web-based application, which will allow LCSAs to access updated error and collection reports on a weekly basis via the LCSA Secure Website.

DCSS will be conducting a pilot for the IDB-R project and is seeking volunteer LCSAs that would like to participate. DCSS will provide training on the IDB-R and provide the LCSAs with access to the website. The pilot is expected to run for a minimum of two weeks.

If you choose to volunteer in the pilot project please e-mail Maria Riddlespriger with your LCSA name, name of contact, phone number and e-mail address by March 22, 2005.

In addition, DCSS is requesting that all LCSAs provide contact information for future training purposes. It is anticipated that training will take place during the month of July 2005. A training schedule will be provided once the point of contact information is received by DCSS.

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If you have any additional questions or concerns regarding this matter, please contact Maria Riddlespriger of the Technology Services Division at (916) 464-5420 or Maria.Riddlespriger@dcss.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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