CALFRESH (CF) PROGRAM
REQUEST FOR POLICY/REGULATION INTERPRETATION

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete items 1 - 10 on the form. Use a separate form for each policy interpretation request. If additional space is needed, please use the second page. Be sure to identify the additional discussion with the appropriate number and heading. Retain a copy of the CF 24 for your records.

- Questions from counties, including county Quality Control, must be submitted by the county CalFresh Coordinator and may be submitted directly to the CalFresh Policy analyst assigned responsibility for the county, with a copy directed to the appropriate CalFresh Policy unit manager.
- Questions from Administrative Law Judges may be submitted directly to the CalFresh Policy analyst assigned responsibility to the county where the hearing took place, with a copy of the form directed to the appropriate CalFresh Bureau unit manager.

1. RESPONSE NEEDED DUE TO:
   - [x] Policy/Regulation Interpretation
   - [ ] QC
   - [ ] Fair Hearing
   - [ ] Other:

5. DATE OF REQUEST: 7/10/15

NEED RESPONSE BY: 7/17/15

6. COUNTY/ORGANIZATION: Santa Barbara

7. SUBJECT: Holocaust Restitution Payments

2. REQUESTOR NAME:

3. PHONE NO.:

4. REGULATION CITE(S): 63-502

8. REFERENCES: *(Include ACL/ACIN, court cases, etc. in references)*
NOTE: All requests must have a regulation cite(s) and/or a reference(s).

9. QUESTION: (INCLUDE SCENARIO IF NEEDED FOR CLARITY):

Client is receiving Holocaust Restitution Payments each month paid in Euros with the currency exchange converted to $1899.13/month. How would this type of payment be counted in the CaFresh budget?

10. REQUESTOR'S PROPOSED ANSWER:

Per MPP 63-502.146 - Payments from government-sponsored programs, dividends, interest, royalties, and all other direct money payment from any source which can be construed to be a gain or benefit. Therefore, this type of payment would be counted as unearned income and counted in the CalFresh budget.

11. STATE POLICY RESPONSE *(CFPB USE ONLY)*:

Per MPP 63-507(a)(18) - (a) Resources and/or income shall be excluded if specifically excluded for Food Stamp purposes by any other federal law, including but not limited to: (18) Payments made to individuals because they have been determined to be victims if Nazi persecution (P.L. 103-286, Section (1)).

Assuming the client's Holocaust Restitution Payments are being made under P.L. 103-286, Section (1), they are considered excluded resources and should not be counted in the CalFresh budget.

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DATE RECEIVED:

DATE RESPONDED TO COUNTY/ALJ: A.B. 8/25/2015