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ALL COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE I-42-10

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
ALL SFIS COORDINATORS
ALL CalWORKs PROGRAM SPECIALISTS
ALL FOOD STAMP PROGRAM COORDINATORS

REASON FOR THIS TRANSMITTAL

- State Law Change
- Federal Law or Regulation Change
- Court Order
- Clarification Requested by One or More Counties
- Initiated by CDSS

SUBJECT: STATEWIDE FINGERPRINT IMAGING SYSTEM (SFIS) EQUIPMENT AND SOFTWARE TO BE DISTRIBUTED UNDER THE NEW SFIS VENDOR CONTRACT

The purpose of this letter is to notify counties of the upcoming distribution of new SFIS equipment as a result of the new Maintenance and Operation contract that went into effect in September 2009. Under the new contract, the vendor will be replacing all SFIS hardware and software.

Software testing is currently in process and is expected to be complete in early May 2010. Immediately after successful testing, the vendor will begin delivering the new desktop equipment. Once the transition of the new desktop equipment is complete, the vendor will begin replacing portable workstations.

Prior to delivery of desktop equipment, the Office of Systems Integration will notify each county of the expected delivery date and provide the State's current list of all SFIS equipment and their location that is scheduled for replacement. We recommend each county inventory its SFIS equipment to verify the accuracy of the State's list as soon as the list is received. Only SFIS equipment on the inventory list will be replaced. It is anticipated that the replacement will begin sometime in May 2010 and is expected to be completed by fall 2010.

To avoid confusion during the replacement period, there will be a freeze on all SFIS Moves, Adds and Change (MAC) requests unless the Department determines it to be an emergency situation.

Questions regarding this ACIN should be directed to Suzie Steinwert of the CDSS Fraud Bureau at (916) 263-5700 or Dave Sakauye at the Office of Systems Integration at Dave.Sakauye@osi.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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