

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

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ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE NO. 1-09-83

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS


SUBJECT: RECEIPT OF ENHANCED FUNDING BASED ON STATEWIDE FOOD STAMP
QUALITY CONTROL ERROR RATE REDUCTION

This is to notify counties that California has qualified under the 1980 amendments to the Food Stamp Act for enhanced federal funding for food stamp administrative costs. As a result, California will receive an increase in federal matching funds of \$2,143,062 for food stamp administrative costs claimed during the April 1981 through September 1981 period.

Under the federal enhanced funding provisions, a state agency is eligible for 55 percent federal funding if their annual rate of error reduction is equal to or exceeds 25 percent. California's reported dollar error rate for the April 1981 through September 1981 review period was 8.2 percent which represented a 27 percent improvement over the April 1980 through September 1980 review period figure of 11.3 percent.

These additional funds will be shared between the State and counties based on the administrative claims submitted during that period. Supplemental claim adjustments for the two affected quarters will be prepared by this Department and forwarded to each county shortly.

In closing, I want to commend the counties for the performance that qualified California for enhanced funding and encourage your continued support toward reducing California's food stamp error rate.


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Deputy Director

cc: CWDA