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ALL-COUNTY LETTER NO. 84-132

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ON THE FIRST SET OF THE FEDERAL DEFICIT REDUCTION ACT (DEFRA) REGULATIONS EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 1984 REFERENCE:

Attached is a listing of questions and answers on the first phase of regulations implementing the Federal Deficit Reduction Act of 1984. These questions are a result of a training session provided to southern counties representatives on November 9, and encompass the following regulation provisions:

- o \$75 Work Expense Disregard
- o \$30 Disregard
- o 185% Gross Income Limit
- o Student Earnings Disregard
- o Earned Income Credit
- o \$50 Child/Spousal Support Disregard
- o Burial Plots and Funeral Arrangements

Answers to other questions which will require additional time to resolve will be transmitted to counties in the immediate future.

Please contact the AFDC Policy Implementation Bureau at (916) 322-5330 or ATSS 492-5330 if you have any questions on this letter.

Deputy Director

Attachment

GEN 654 (9/79)

