

DEPARTMENT OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS
744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

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ALL-COUNTY LETTER NO. 75-187

TO: ALL DISTRICT ATTORNEYS
ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: CHILD SUPPORT

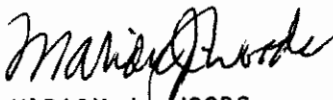
REFERENCE: DOE v. CARLESON

The injunction which was issued by the United States District Court for the Northern California District in the case of Doe v. Carleson has recently been modified by that Court. In its modified form the injunction conforms to the recent amendments to the Social Security Act and provides that cooperation of the custodial parent may be required in absent parent cases. Failure or refusal to cooperate may result in the custodial parent being found ineligible for public assistance.

The Department of Benefit Payments is presently drafting regulations, which will supersede regulations presently in effect, to implement the provisions of the injunction as modified. Prior to receipt of these regulations it is important that no action be taken by county agencies to enforce the cooperation requirements. These necessary regulations will be issued in the very near future.

A copy of the Court's Memorandum and Order is attached for your information.

Sincerely,


MARION J. WOODS
Director**OBSOLETE**Superseded by PCL 77-15
Issued 3-17-77

Attachment

cc: CWDA