

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES
744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814



August 18, 1987

ALL-COUNTY LETTER NO. 87-114

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: FOOD STAMP PROGRAM STRIKER PROVISIONS

REFERENCE: ACL 87-10 Dated January 15, 1987

This is in reference to the December 22, 1986 court order by the U.S. District Court of the District of Columbia waiving enforcement of the striker provisions for the United Auto Workers (UAW) and the United Mine Workers of America (UMWA) represented strikers and their households.

Pursuant to the federal instructions transmitted via ACL 87-10, all states and county welfare departments (CWD's) are required to report monthly the amount of food stamp benefits actually issued to affected striker households and the amount of benefits which would have been issued if the striker provisions had been applied.

Through negotiations with the Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) the Department of Social Services (DSS) has secured an alternative to monthly reporting as required under this court order. The alternative reporting requirement is that all CWD's must report to DSS once for the time period of January 1987 through July 1987. CWD's are to indicate the amount of benefits actually issued and the amount of benefits which would have been issued had the striker provisions been applied (Attachment I). If there is any activity after July 1987, please report to DSS by the 15th day of the month following the month of activity (Attachment II). If there is no activity after the first report, no report will be necessary as DSS will report monthly to FNS "0" activity for those counties not transmitting any report. Attached are two report forms (Attachments I and II) which may be duplicated. Initial reports are due to DSS Statistical Services Section by August 30, 1987.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please call Levy St. Mary of the Statistical Services Section at (916) 445-2135.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "D - J. Boyle".

DENNIS J. BOYLE
Deputy Director

Attachment

cc: CWDA

Attachment I

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM
UAW/UMWA STRIKERS PROVISION REPORT

County: _____

Month/Year: January through July 1987

Please complete the following by union affiliation:

1. UAW

_____ A. Total amount of benefits issued to affected households pursuant to the court order.

_____ B. Total amount of benefits that would have been issued to affected households had the court order not been applied.

2. UMWA

_____ A. Total amount of benefits issued to affected households pursuant to the court order.

_____ B. Total amount of benefits that would have been issued to affected households had the court order not been applied.

Date: _____

Report due to the Statistical Services Section no later than August 30, 1987.

Send report to:

State Department of Social Services
Statistical Services Section
744 P Street, M.S. 19-81
Sacramento, CA 95814

Attachment II

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM
UAW/UMWA STRIKERS PROVISION REPORT

County: _____

Month/Year: _____

Please complete the following by union affiliation:

1. UAW

_____ A. Total amount of benefits issued to affected households pursuant to the court order.

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2. UMWA

_____ A. Total amount of benefits issued to affected households pursuant to the court order.

_____ B. Total amount of benefits that would have been issued to affected households had the court order not been applied.

Date: _____

Report due to the Statistical Services Section no later than 15 days after the end of the report month.

Send report to:

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