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



January 15, 1993

ALL COUNTY LETTER NO. 93-08	REASON FOR THIS TRANSMITTAL
TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS	[] State Law Change [] Federal Law or Regulation Change [] Court Order [] Clarification Requested by One or More Counties [X] Initiated by SDSS

SUBJECT:

IMPLEMENTATION OF MONTHLY AFDC PAYMENTS' REGULATIONS

PACKAGE

REFERENCES: ALL COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE (ACIN) I-57-92

The purpose of this letter is to notify you that the regulations authorizing counties to issue AFDC payments monthly rather than semimonthly became effective January 1, 1993.

Conversion to monthly payments is optional. Except for the monthly payment option, these regulations do not supersede existing policies or practices concerning the timing of warrants or the provision of timely notice as required by the <u>Saldivar vs. McMahon</u> decision. Counties opting to convert to monthly payments must provide a 90-day notice to this Department, and a 30-day notice to recipients prior to the conversion as specified in the attached regulations package.

If you have questions, please contact Julie Lopes at (916) 654-1786 or CALNET 454-1786.

Sincerely,

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Deputy Director

Welfare Programs Division

Attachments