## DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

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ALL COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE NO. 1-109-87

TO: ALL-COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: VERIFICATION OF FOOD STAMP AND AFDC PARTICIPATION FOR

FREE SCHOOL MEALS

We have been notified by the Food and Nutrition Services (FNS), Western Region Office, of the requirement for local agencies to confirm for school officials an individual household's participation in the Food Stamp and/or AFDC Programs in order to be eligible for free school meals.

You are authorized to release information to school districts verifying households' Food Stamp or AFDC eligibility status. The attached letter from FNS provides information regarding local agencies' responsibility for disclosure to school officials.

If you have any questions, you may call the AFDC and Food Stamp Policy Implementation Bureau at (916) 322-5330.

ROBERT A. HOREL Deputy Director

Attachment

cc: CWDA

