DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

744 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

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ALL COUNTY LETTER NO. 87-19

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: NOTICE OF ACTION (NOA) NA BACK 6

(MEDI-CAL, FOOD STAMP, AFDC AND REFUGEE PROGRAMS)

REFERENCE: SDSS ACWD letters, December 3, 1986 and

December 29, 1986

The Implementation Plan for the <u>Turner</u> v. <u>McMahon</u> court case included a new Notice of Action back, the NA Back 6 for the AFDC program except Foster Care. Camera ready copies of this back in English and Spanish were transmitted by All County Welfare Director's letter dated December 29, 1986. The four Asian language translations were included in the All County Welfare Director's letter dated December 3, 1986. The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the NA Back 6 will be the standard back for other programs as well as AFDC.

The other aid and benefit programs which are to use the NA Back 6 are: Medi-Cal, Food Stamps and Refugee Services. For AFDC, the NA Back 6 must be implemented no later than May 1, 1987, along with the other NOA forms and messages designed for the Turner project. The other programs should implement the new standard back as soon as administratively possible but no later than when existing stock is depleted and new forms are printed.

State Department of Social Services (SDSS) and State Department of Health Services (SDHS) will begin to print the NA Back 6 on current Food Stamp, Refugee and Medi-Cal NOA forms which are ordered for reprinting after January 31, 1987. NOAs with the NA Back 6 will be used to fill county orders for these programs as the state stock with the current NA Back is depleted. Current Medi-Cal warehouse stock of NOAs is such that the eardiest need for reprinting will be July 1987.



For AFDC, only the <u>Turner NOAs</u> with the NA Back 6 will be printed after January 31, 1987. Counties are advised to order AFDC forms according to specific revision dates prior to the <u>Turner</u> implementation date. Warehouse staff will fill orders according to the revision dates requested until stock of the <u>pre-Turner</u> forms is depleted or until May 1, 1987, whichever occurs first.

If you have any questions, please contact the appropriate program staff in SDSS or SDHS.

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