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ALL-COUNTY INFORMATION NOTICE I-88-79

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: FOOD STAMP PROGRAM

REFERENCE: BENEFIT COMPUTATION WITH AFDC SUPPLEMENTAL PAYMENT

Effective August 1, 1979 AFDC regulations provide for supplemental aid payments to households which suffer a loss of income. As you know, food stamp regulations also provide for supplemental food stamp benefits when a household experiences a loss of income (Manual Section 63-504.321). Depending on the time of the month the AFDC supplemental warrant is requested, it may or may not be considered as income in the food stamp computation for a supplemental food stamp issuance.

If the household reports a loss of income of \$50 or more 10 days prior to the household's normal food stamp issuance date and requests an AFDC supplemental payment, the payment will be included as income in determining the new food stamp benefit level for the current month. If the report of the loss of income is received less than 10 days prior to the household's normal issuance date no action is required for the current month. If the food stamp budget has already been adjusted to reflect the loss of income and an AFDC supplemental is requested subsequent to the adjustment, that supplemental payment will not affect the food stamp benefit level for that month since it would in effect be an increase in income and require an adverse action notice (see attached chart).

If you have any questions, please contact your Food Stamp Program Operations analyst at (916) 322-5475.

Sincerely,

Kyle S. McKinsey
KYLE S. MCKINSEY
Deputy Director

Attachment

cc: CWDA

AFDC HOUSEHOLD REPORTS A LOSS OF \$50 OR MORE IN GROSS INCOME

Time of Request	Action
<p>If the request for AFDC supplemental payment is made 10 days prior to food stamp issuance date.</p>	<p>Include AFDC supplemental payment in food stamp income recomputation for food stamp supplemental issuance.</p>
<p>If request for AFDC supplemental payment is made less than 10 days prior to food stamp issuance date</p> <p style="text-align: center;">or</p> <p>If request for AFDC supplemental payment is made and food stamp budget already reflects loss of income.</p>	<p>No action for current month. If change is ongoing adjust future month based on reported loss and regular AFDC grant amount.</p>