**DEPARTMENT OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS**
4 P Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

January 14, 1976

ALL-COUNTY LETTER NO. 76-10

TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: SUGGESTED SCHOOL ATTENDANCE STUFFER NOTICE

REFERENCE:

Last year, All-County Letter No. 74-182 provided a school attendance stuffer notice to remind recipients of school attendance requirements for their aided children 16 to 20 years old. Use of the stuffer was judged to have been an effective augmentation of WR 7 reporting requirements and was felt to have impacted on the school attendance error category.

The spring school semester will be beginning shortly. Some AFDC children will be completing their schooling at the close of the fall semester and others will choose not to return in the spring. Quality Control findings for the January to June 1975 period show that errors for the 16 through 17-year-old category have a projected annual cost of almost $2 million and for the 18 through 20-year-old category, a projected annual cost of $4.8 million.

Below is suggested stuffer language in both English and Spanish:

DO YOU HAVE CHILDREN AGE 16 OR OLDER?

To be eligible for AFDC, children 16 and 17 years old must attend school full time or be registered with the Employment Development Department. Children 18 through 20 years old must attend school or a training program full time to be eligible for AFDC. If your child 16 years or older finishes or drops out of school, you must report this fact immediately. You must also report it on your WR 7 Monthly Report for the month when it occurs.

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¿TIENE UD. NIÑOS QUE TIENEN 16 AÑOS O MÁS?

Para ser elegibles para Asistencia a Familias con Niños Dependientes (AFDC), los jóvenes que tienen 16 años y 17 años de edad deben asistir a la escuela el tiempo completo o estar inscritos con el Departamento del Desarrollo del Empleo. Los jóvenes entre los 18 y los 20 años de edad deben asistir a la escuela o a un programa de adiestramiento el tiempo completo para ser elegibles para AFDC. Si su joven de 16 años de edad o más acaba con o se da de baja (drops out) de la escuela, Ud. debe reportar este dato immediatamente. Ud. debe reportarlo también en su Reporte Mensual WR 7 del mes en que ocurre.

Counties are encouraged to send the stuffer at the beginning of the spring term. If you have any questions, please contact your AFDC Management Consultant at (916) 445-4458.

Sincerely,

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