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ALL-COUNTY LETTER NO. 81-75

- TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS
ALL COUNTY AUDITORS
ALL COUNTY FISCAL OFFICERS
ALL COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICE OFFICERS

AFDC-FG AND U REVISED CLAIMING INSTRUCTIONS EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1981

This is to provide counties information relative to the discontinuance of state funding of the county share of the six percent AFDC grant increase which became effective January 1, 1977.

Chapter 348, Statutes of 1976, increased the AFDC welfare payment in order to provide a higher standard of living for AFDC recipients. Normally, counties pay a portion of AFDC grant costs. However, because the state mandated the six percent increase, it was obligated to reimburse counties for their share of the cost.

Chapter 282, Statutes of 1979 (AB 8) shifted property tax revenue from school districts to the counties to provide counties with a revenue source to fund their share of the AFDC grant costs. The method for calculating the amount transferred for assistance payments resulted in the shift of funds to the counties for their share of the six percent AFDC grant increase. Therefore, Chapter 69, Statutes of 1981 (SB 633) provides for discontinuance of separate state funding of the county's share of the six percent grant increase.

Form CA 800, Summary Report of Assistance Expenditures Aid to Families with Dependent Children, is being revised to implement this change in funding by deleting Line 20, Column F. An initial supply of the revised form will be sent to you under separate cover and must be used when submitting the AFDC-FG and U claims for July 1981.

Additional instructions on other changes mandated by the budget act or other legislation will be issued at a later date.

If you have any questions, please contact your fiscal consultant at 916/323-0270.

Sincerely,


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Deputy Director
Administration

cc: CWDA