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Executive Directors, Legal Services Corporation-Funded Entities
c/o Kevin Aslanian
Coalition of California Welfare Rights Organizations
1111 Howe Avenue, Suite 150
Sacramento, CA 95825

~~RE: Invitation to Participate in the Legislative Process for SB 1065~~

Dear Executive Directors of legal aid programs:

I am writing to invite you to engage on and provide input into Senate Bill 1065, a measure I recently introduced that would increase options for California's poorest families with children by making small, yet significant adjustments to the critical safety-net that is the Homeless Assistance Program within CalWORKs. Your insight and experience would be much appreciated. I should note that my office may share information that you provide with other legislative offices, state agencies, and executive branch shareholders.

As I understand it, the LSC-funded programs in California are:

Bay Area Legal Aid
California Indian Legal Services
California Rural Legal Assistance, Inc.
Central California Legal Services
Greater Bakersfield Legal Assistance
Inland County Legal Services
Legal Aid Foundation of Los Angeles
Legal Aid Society of Orange County
Legal Aid Society of San Diego, Inc.
Legal Services of Northern California
Neighborhood Legal Services of Los Angeles

Please let me know if I have missed any appropriate organizations, and feel free to share this information with those organizations. Thank you for your ongoing efforts to provide services to Californians and for any feedback you are willing to provide on this legislation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "R. Hertzberg", written over a horizontal line.

Senator Robert M. Hertzberg
Senate Majority Leader, Eighteenth District