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From: Assemblymember Tom Lackey

SUBJECT: Invitation of Legal Services Corporation funded programs to provide information and input to the California state Assembly in written and/or oral form during the 2015-2016 Legislative Session pursuant to CFR Title 45, Section 1612(a).

Please consider this a request from California State Assemblymember Tom Lackey that each of your programs provide, in written and/or oral form, information and input regarding AB 1797 to any member of State Assembly and Senate, the Assembly and Senate Committee on Human Services, the Assembly and Senate Committees on Appropriations, and any other committee that this bill may be referred to, and the Assembly and Senate Floor Analysis units regarding AB 1797.

In addition I would appreciate if your programs can:

- (1) Testify orally or in writing before any committee or subcommittee of the California State Assembly and Senate considering any action to AB 1797.
- (2) Provide information that may include analysis of or comments upon any issue embodied in AB 1797.

My office will share the programs' communications with other legislative staff committee, agencies and the executive branch as we deem appropriate.

Thank you for providing this important information for the 2015-2016 Legislative Session.

Sincerely,

Tom Lackey

Assemblymember, 36th District

cc: Kevin Aslanian, Executive Director,

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