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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 2017-2018 Legislative Session pursuant to CFR Title 45, Section 1612(a).

Please consider this a request from California State Assemblymember Brian Maienschein that each of your programs provide, in written and/or oral form, information and input regarding AB 236 to any member of the State Assembly and Senate, the Assembly and Senate Committees 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.

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 236.
- (2) Provide information that may include analysis of or comments upon any issue embodied in AB 236.

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

Thank you for providing this important information for the 2017-2018 Legislative Session.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brian Maienschein".

Assemblymember Brian Maienschein

cc: Jessica Bartholow, Western Center on Law and Poverty
Kevin Aslanian, Executive Director, Coalition of California Welfare Rights Orgs.