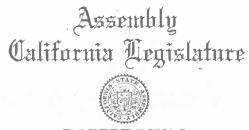
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Re: Invitation to Legal Service Organizations to Participate in the Legislative Process for AB 987

Dear Executive Directors of legal aid programs:

I am writing to invite information and feed-back from representatives of California's Legal Services Corporations (LSC) funded programs for AB 987 that impacts low income Californians. The information provided can either be in writing or in oral form, and it should be shared with my immediate office and any Senate or Assembly Committees that AB 987 is referred to. My office and the Senate or Assembly committees that AB 987 is referred to may share this "information with other legislators, their staff, committees, agencies, and the executive branch as we deem appropriate.

We understand that 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

Thank you for providing important information on AB 987. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact my representative, Rita Durgin, at (916) 319-2030.

Sincerely,

Robert Rivas Assemblymember, 30th District RR:rd

CC: Western Center on Law and Poverty, Jessica Bartholow