

NEWS NO **PROP. 10**

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SANTA BARBARA -- A broad bipartisan coalition of prominent individuals and organizations has formed in the area to oppose Proposition 10, the No-Smoking Sections Initiative on the statewide Nov. 4 ballot.

Led by U.S. Senator S.I. Hayakawa, individuals who oppose Proposition 10 include U.S. Congressman Barry M. Goldwater, Jr., former California Lieutenant Governor Mervyn Dymally, State Assemblyman Richard Lehman (D-Fresno) and Waterford Police Chief Robert Pulton.

Organizations that oppose the Initiative include the California State Chamber of Commerce, the California Association of Realtors, and the California Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO, and the Santa Maria Chamber of Commerce.

John Henning, executive secretary-treasurer of the California Federation of Labor, said: "Californians would suffer at the hands of this proposed law. It is a foolish attempt to use legal restriction to write social behavior that is best governed by common sense and courtesy."

Proposition 10 would require no-smoking sections in virtually every enclosed public place in the state, including some stores, restaurants, office buildings, and indoor sports arenas.

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