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December 4, 1987

TO ALL REGISTRARS OF VOTERS, OR COUNTY CLERKS, AND PROPONENTS (87105)

Pursuant to Section 3513 of the Elections Code, we transmit herewith a copy of the Title and Summary prepared by the Attorney General on a proposed Initiative Measure entitled:

**CIGARETTE AND TOBACCO TAX. BENEFIT FUND.
INITIATIVE STATUTE AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.**

Circulating and Filing Schedule

1. Minimum number of signatures required.....595,485
Cal. Const., Art. II, Sec. 8(b).
2. Official Summary Date.....Friday, 12/04/87
Elec. C., Sec. 3513.
3. Petition Sections:
 - a. First day Proponents can circulate Sections for signatures.....Friday, 12/04/87
Elec. C., Sec. 3513.
 - b. Last day Proponents can circulate and file with the county. All Sections are to be filed at the same time within each county.....Monday, 05/02/88
Elec. C., Secs. 3513, 3520(a).
 - c. Last day for county to determine total number of signatures affixed to petition and to transmit total to the Secretary of State.....Thursday, 05/09/88

(If the Proponents file the petition with the county on a date prior to 05/02/88, the county has five working days from the filing of the petition to determine the total number of signatures affixed to the petition and to transmit the total to the Secretary of State.) Elec. C., Sec. 3520(b).

+ PLEASE NOTE: To the Proponents who may wish to qualify for the November 8, 1988 General Election. The law allows approximately 85 days for county election officials to check and report petition signatures and transmit results. The law also requires that this process be completed 131 days before the election in which the people will vote on the initiative. It is possible that the county may not need precisely 85 days. But if you want to be sure that this initiative qualifies for the November 8, 1988 General Election, you should file this petition with the county before April 6, 1988.

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d. Secretary of State determines whether the total number of signatures filed with all county clerks meets the minimum number of required signatures, and notifies the counties.....Monday, 05/16/88**

e. Last day for county to determine total number of qualified voters who signed the petition, and to transmit certificate with a blank copy of the petition to the Secretary of State.....Tuesday, 05/31/88

(If the Secretary of State notifies the county to determine the number of qualified voters who signed the petition on a date other than 05/09/88 the last day is not later than the fifteenth day after the county's receipt of notification.)
Elec. C., Sec. 3520(d), (e).

f. If the signature count is more than 655,033 or less than 565,711, then the Secretary of State certifies the petition has qualified or failed, and notifies the counties. If the signature count is between 565,711 and 655,033 inclusive, then the Secretary of State notifies the counties using the random sampling technique to determine the validity of all signatures.....Wednesday, 06/08/88**

g. Last day for county to determine actual number of all qualified voters who signed the petition, and to transmit certificate with a blank copy of the petition to the Secretary of State.....Thursday, 07/21/88

(If the Secretary of State notifies the county to determine the number of qualified voters who have signed the petition on a date other than 05/31/88, the last day is not later than the thirtieth working day after county's receipt of notification.)
Elec. C., Sec. 3521(b), (c).

h. Secretary of State certifies whether the petition has been signed by the number of qualified voters required to declare the petition sufficient.....Sunday, 07/24/88

**Date varies based on receipt of county certification.

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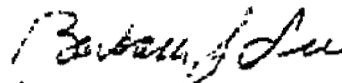
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4. The Proponents of the above named measure are:

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Sincerely,



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NOTE TO PROPONENTS: Your attention is directed to Elections Code Sections 41, 44, 3501, 3507, 3508, 3516, 3517, and 3519 for appropriate format and type considerations in printing, typing, and otherwise preparing your initiative petition for circulation and signatures. Your attention is further directed to the campaign disclosure requirements of the Political Reform Act of 1974, Government Code Section 81000 et seq.

Attachment: POLITICAL REFORM ACT OF 1974 REQUIREMENTS

12/04/87