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TO COUNTY ASSESSORS:

CHANGES TO THE PROPERTY TAX DEPARTMENT

February 1, 2018

On July 6, 2017 the Board of Equalization (BOE) issued Letters To Assessors (LTA) 2017/027, *Changes to the Property Tax Department*, to notify county assessors and other interested parties that the Timber Yield Tax Program, the Tax Area Services Section (TASS), the Legal Entity Ownership Program (LEOP), and the Welfare Exemption Program were moved from the BOE's Property Tax Department to the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration (CDTFA) effective July 1, 2017.¹

Effective February 1, 2018, CDTFA staff conducting duties related to TASS, LEOP, and the Welfare Exemption Program, will be transferred back to the BOE. Because the duties of staff in these programs are intertwined with the Constitutional duties that remained with the BOE, CDTFA and BOE agreed that these Property Tax Programs should be moved back to the BOE. The Timber Yield Tax Program remains with CDTFA for now.

Sincerely,

/s/ Dean R. Kinnee

Dean R. Kinnee Executive Director Board of Equalization

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¹ See AB 102, Chapter 16, Stats. 2017, operative July 1, 2017.