

Honoring
TELLA R. BARREDA
On Her Retirement

WHEREAS, *Tella R. Barreda, Tax Technician II in the Norwalk District Office, will retire on June 30, 2008, after more than 17 years of outstanding and meritorious service to the State of California and the State Board of Equalization; and*

WHEREAS, *Tella began her career with the Board of Equalization on July 16, 1990, as a Program Technician Trainee in the Santa Ana District Office; and*

WHEREAS, *as a result of diligent work and demonstrated ability, she advanced to positions of increasing responsibility, first earning appointment to the position of Program Technician I on October 31, 1991, and Program Technician II on June 1, 1992; and*

WHEREAS, *after ably serving the Santa Ana District Office, she transferred to the Norwalk District Office as a Tax Technician II on October 24, 2005; and*

WHEREAS, *throughout her many years of service, Tella has provided exceptional customer service to all taxpayers visiting the Santa Ana District Office, and the Norwalk District Office, and she has reflected great credit upon the State Board of Equalization and the Sales and Use Tax Department, and has served the people of this state with fairness and dedication: Therefore be it*

RESOLVED, *that we, the Members of the Board, do hereby extend to Tella R. Barreda our sincere and grateful appreciation for her dedicated service to the State Board of Equalization and to the State of California, our congratulations on her well-earned retirement, and our best wishes to her and her family for continued success, happiness, and good health in the years to come.*

Adopted at Sacramento, California, this twenty-fourth day of June 2008, by the State Board of Equalization.

Honoring
DENNIS W. ENSLEY
On His Retirement

WHEREAS, *Dennis W. Ensley, Business Taxes Specialist I in the Sacramento District Office will retire on July 1, 2008, after more than 34 years of outstanding and meritorious service to the State of California and the Board of Equalization; and*

WHEREAS, *Dennis began his career with the Board of Equalization on January 7, 1974 as a Tax Auditor in the West Los Angeles District; and*

WHEREAS, *as a result of diligent work and demonstrated ability, he advanced to positions of increasing responsibility, first earning appointment to the position of Tax Auditor II; and*

WHEREAS, *in recognition of his outstanding leadership skills and proven professionalism, he moved to the Hollywood District Office, advancing to the position of Associate Tax Auditor, and after ably serving the Van Nuys District Office and the Ventura District Office, he moved to the Sacramento District Office and in September 2005, he was appointed to the position of Business Taxes Specialist I; and*

WHEREAS, *throughout his many years of service, Dennis has served the people of this state with fairness and dedication: Therefore be it*

RESOLVED, *that we, the Members of the Board, do hereby extend to Dennis W. Ensley our sincere and grateful appreciation for his dedicated service to the State Board of Equalization and to the State of California, our congratulations on his well-earned retirement, and our best wishes to him and his family for continued success, happiness, and good health in the years to come.*

Adopted at Sacramento, California, this twenty-fourth day of June 2008, by the State Board of Equalization.

Honoring
BONNIE JEANENE GELLER
On Her Retirement

***WHEREAS,** Bonnie Jeanene Geller, Tax Technician II in the West Covina District Office, will retire on August 30, 2008, after thirty-one years of outstanding and meritorious service to the State of California and the State Board of Equalization; and*

***WHEREAS,** Jeanene began her career with the State Compensation Insurance Fund in June of 1972 before coming to work for the Board of Equalization in December of 1975; and*

***WHEREAS,** she began her career at the Board as a Clerk Typist in the Pasadena District Office, and as a result of diligent work and demonstrated ability, she successfully advanced through the clerical ranks with a promotion to Tax Technician II in July 1977; and*

***WHEREAS,** subsequent to leaving state service in March of 1982, she reinstated in the Board's Covina Branch Office in March of 1985, she participated in the consolidation of the district and Covina Branch Office which became the Industry District Office in December of 1994, and it was later moved to its present facility in West Covina in July of 2000; and*

***WHEREAS,** she was promoted to Tax Technician III in June 2001 in the West Covina District Office, and throughout her career, she has been especially effective in helping the district meet its annual work plan goals; and*

***WHEREAS,** throughout her many years of service, Jeanene has served the people of this state with fairness and dedication: Therefore be it*

***RESOLVED,** that we, the Members of the Board, do hereby extend to Bonnie Jeanene Geller our sincere and grateful appreciation for her dedicated service to the State Board of Equalization and to the State of California, our congratulations on her well-earned retirement, and our best wishes to her and her family for continued success, happiness, and good health in the years to come.*

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Honoring
CAROL A. HOLMAN
On Her Retirement

WHEREAS, Carol A. Holman, Supervising Tax Auditor I, in the San Diego District Office, will retired on December 28, 2007, after more than thirty-five years of outstanding and meritorious service to the State of California and the State Board of Equalization; and

WHEREAS, Carol began her career with the Board of Equalization on April 17, 1972, a Tax Auditor in the San Diego District Office and continued there as an auditor in sales and use tax; and

WHEREAS, as a result of diligent work and demonstrated ability, she advanced to positions of increasing responsibility, first earning appointment to the position of Associate Tax Auditor on January 1, 1977, and then earning appointment to the position of Staff Tax Auditor on July 1, 1980; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of her outstanding leadership skills and proven professionalism, she was appointed to the position of Supervising Tax Auditor I in the San Diego District Office on October 1, 1982; and

WHEREAS, throughout her many years of service, Carol has served the people of this state with fairness and dedication: Therefore be it

RESOLVED, that we, the Members of the Board, do hereby extend to Carol A. Holman our sincere and grateful appreciation for her dedicated service to the State Board of Equalization and to the State of California, our congratulations on her well-earned retirement, and our best wishes to her and her family for continued success, happiness, and good health in the years to come.

Adopted at Sacramento, California, this twenty-fourth day of June 2008, by the State Board of Equalization.

Honoring
JIM LOMAN
On His Retirement

WHEREAS, Jim Loman, Business Taxes Specialist II in the Compliance and Technology Section, retired on May 31, 2008, after thirty-five years of outstanding and meritorious service to the State of California and the State Board of Equalization; and

WHEREAS, Jim began his career with the Board of Equalization on March 26, 1973, as a Tax Auditor I in the San Mateo Branch Office, and as a result of diligent work and demonstrated ability, he advanced to positions of increasing responsibility, first earning appointment to the position of Tax Auditor II on March 26, 1974 and Tax Auditor III on April 1, 1977; and

WHEREAS, after ably serving the San Mateo Branch Office, he transferred to the Out-of-State District Office on May 1, 1981, and in recognition of his outstanding leadership skills and proven professionalism, he was appointed to the position of Tax Auditor IV on February 1, 1984; and

WHEREAS, on March 31, 1989, he transferred to the Business Taxes Administration Department to the position of Staff Tax Auditor, and on December 1, 1995, he moved to the Planning, Evaluation and Technology Section and promoted to a Business Taxes Specialist II on September 1, 2003; and

WHEREAS, on November 1, 2003, he moved to the compliance and Technology Section; and

WHEREAS, throughout his many years of service, Jim has served the people of this state with fairness and dedication: Therefore be it

RESOLVED, that we, the Members of the Board, do hereby extend to Jim Loman our sincere and grateful appreciation for his dedicated service to the State Board of Equalization and to the State of California, our congratulations on his well-earned retirement, and our best wishes to him and his family for continued success, happiness, and good health in the years to come.

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