



SEN. GEORGE RUNNER (RET.)

MEMBER
STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
CALIFORNIA'S TAX BOARD

April 17, 2012

Assembly Member Marty Block
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: Support for AB 2453

Dear Assembly Member Block,

I am writing to express my support for your Assembly Bill 2453.

This BOE-sponsored bill extends the period in which a taxpayer may file a petition for redetermination from 30 days to 60 days from the date that the notice of determination was mailed to the person against whom the notice was issued.

The Board has found that the current 30-day period does not allow some taxpayers ample time to develop and prepare their petitions. By extending the period from 30 to 60 days, taxpayers will be able to better clarify and substantiate their positions. In addition, this 60-day period is consistent with the filing period utilized by the Franchise Tax Board.

Thank you for authoring this important legislation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "G. Runner".

GEORGE RUNNER