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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
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MEMO TO THE PRESS

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GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE

January 5, 1969
through
January 12, 1969

Sunday, January 5
Afternoon

Arrive at Sacramento Metropolitan Airport

Monday, January 6

No public appointments scheduled

Overnight - Sacramento

Tuesday, January 7

11:00 am

State of the State Address, Assembly Chambers

Overnight - Sacramento

Wednesday, January 8

1:30 pm

PRESS CONFERENCE

Overnight - Sacramento

Thursday, January 9

8:00 am

Governor's Prayer Breakfast, Senator Hotel

Overnight - Sacramento

Friday, January 10

Afternoon

Depart Sacramento Metropolitan Airport for
Los Angeles

7:00 pm

Anniversary Ball, Century Plaza Hotel

Overnight - Los Angeles

Saturday, January 11

No public appointments scheduled

overnight - Los Angeles

Sunday, January 12

Afternoon

Return to Sacramento

PB

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Thomas Moran of San Diego and John P. Vukasin, Jr., of Oakland, both attorneys, to six-year terms on the State Public Utilities Commission.

The posts pay \$26,250 per year and require Senate confirmation.

The new appointees succeed commissioners William M. Bennett and Peter E. Mitchell whose terms expired December 31, 1968.

Vukasin, 40, has been engaged in private law practice in Oakland since 1958. A 1956 graduate of the University of California's Boalt Hall school of law in Berkeley, ~~Moran~~ ^{Moran} began his legal career the same year as a trial attorney for the State Division of Highways. During his two years with the division, he tried numerous condemnation cases and compiled a reference book on the California Law of Eminent Domain.

While in private practice, he has authored a comprehensive paper on U.S. anti-merger laws which was published in the national Anti-Trust Bulletin. In another essay, published in the Journal of the State Bar of California, he examined the usefulness and value of the Grand Jury.

Vukasin, a Republican, is a visiting professor of Business Law at California State College in Hayward. He serves on the California Auto Accident Study Commission and is chairman of its Accident Prevention Committee. He is also a member of the Alameda County Retirement Board.

Other community activities have included membership on the Board of Directors of the East Bay Activities Center for Emotionally Disturbed Children; the Citizens Advisory Committee to the Oakland Board of Education; and the Speakers' Panel for the United Crusade.

He attended Oakland Public Schools and was president of the student body at John C. Fremont High School.

From 1946-50 he attended the University of California at Berkeley and received an A.B. Degree in Public Relations.

He is a member of the State Bar, as well as the American and Alameda County Bar associations and is a member of the National Panel of Arbitrators of the American Arbitration Association.

Vukasin also is a former director and officer of the University Club of Alameda County; is a life member of the University of California Alumni Association; and is a member of the Rotary Club of Oakland.

He and his wife, the former Sue Davis of Clarksburg, have five children. They live at 250 Sheridan Avenue, Piedmont.

Moran, 50, is a native of Chicago and has resided in California since 1945.

He completed his undergraduate studies at De Paul University, Chicago in 1939 and received his law degree from Stanford University in 1948.

During World War II, Moran served in the U.S. Army and participated in the Normandy Invasion. He attended the University of Chicago from February, 1943 to February, 1944 by appointment of the U.S. Army and studied European Governments, Legal Systems, Languages, History and Economics.

He subsequently completed additional graduate studies at the University of Chicago in the Schools of Business Administration and Law.

He has spent his entire legal career, since 1949, in San Diego.

From 1948-58, he served as an assistant counsel and assistant corporate secretary for Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation and its successor by merger, the General Dynamics Corporation.

He has operated his own law practice since 1958. The practice has emphasized business law, including real estate, securities and corporate mergers.

Moran is a member of the International, American and San Diego bar associations.

Since 1962, he has served two three-year terms as a member of the State Bar's Local Administrative Committee, by appointment of the Bar's Board of Governors. He was chairman of the committee from 1963-64.

He is a founding member, and has been a director, of the World Affairs Council of San Diego, Inc., since 1955.

He and his wife, the former Johanna Maria Schilling, have three children. They live at 3029 McCall Street, San Diego.

Moran is a Republican.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#3

Governor Ronald Reagan announced today he has named Lakewood attorney M. Ross Bigelow to the Los Angeles municipal court bench, Los Cerritos Judicial District.

The post, created by the 1968 legislature, pays \$28,126.

Bigelow, 44, is a 1950 graduate of the U.S.C. Law School. He completed his undergraduate studies at U.S.C. in 1945.

He was a member of the U.S. Navy Reserve from 1942-66 and served on active duty both during World War II and the Korean War.

A partner in the law firm of Bigelow and Sullivan since 1956, he has been engaged in private practice in the Lakewood-Long Beach area during his entire legal career.

He and his wife, Mildred, have four children and live at 4916½ Hayter Avenue, Lakewood.

Bigelow is a former president of the Lakewood Chamber of Commerce, Lakewood Rotary Club, Lakewood Jaycees and Elks Lodge of Lakewood.

He is a member of the Los Angeles County and American Bar associations, and has served on the Scholarship, Membership and Military, and Veterans' Affairs committees of the Long Beach Bar Association.

He is a Republican.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#4

Governor Ronald Reagan has reappointed Robert D. Nesen of Oxnard and Mrs. Aubrey B. Jones, a Los Angeles attorney, to four-year terms on the State New Car Dealers Policy and Appeals Board.

The posts pay \$25 per diem plus expenses.

Nesen, 50, owns and operates the Robert D. Nesen Oldsmobile-Cadillac agency in Oxnard. He lives at 85 Avocado Place, Camarillo. He is a Republican.

Mrs. Jones is engaged in private law practice at 2822 South Western Avenue, Los Angeles. A Republican, she resides at 5011 Angeles Vista Boulevard, Los Angeles.

Both Nesen and Mrs. Jones were first named to the Board January 5, 1968.

Their new terms will expire January 15, 1973.

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#5

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Redlands rancher Stewart Hinckley to a four-year term on the State Aeronautics Board.

The post pays \$25 per day to attend board meetings, plus expenses. The appointment requires Senate confirmation.

Hinckley, a 66-year-old Republican and former state assemblyman from the 73rd Assembly District, succeeds Leroy Lampson whose term expired.

A graduate of Pomona College, he is a veteran of World War II and served as director of the Farmers Home Administration, U.S. Department of Agriculture, from 1954-61.

He is a member of the Flying Farmers of California, Inc., the National Pilots' Association, and the Aircraft Owners' and Pilots Association.

He lives at 1405 Kincaid Road, Redlands.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

The Governor's press conference which had been
scheduled for 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, December 8, has
been rescheduled for 9:30 a.m.

The Governor will at that time designate his
appointment to succeed Lieutenant Governor Robert
Finch.

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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION - Ed Reinecke

Name-- Ed Reinecke

Residence-- Tujunga, California and Washington, D.C.

Birth Date-- January 7, 1924, Medford, Oregon

Wife's Name-- Jeanne (Raybeck) Mietus; children, Mark, Mimi, Tommy

Education-- California Institute of Technology, 1946-50; graduated with B.S. degree in mechanical engineering

Military-- Navy Veteran, World II

Congress-- Elected to 89th Congress, November 3, 1964; 90th Congress, November 8, 1966; whip, California Republican Delegation, January 6, 1965; appointed to Interior and Insular Affairs Committee; subcommittees on Mines and Mining, Irrigation and Reclamation, and Public Lands; Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee; subcommittees on Merchant Marine, Oceanography, and Maritime Education.

Clubs,
Organizations-- Board of Directors, Sun Valley Chamber of Commerce;
National Board of Directors, American Society of Sanitary Engineering;
Water Committee, California State Chamber of Commerce;
Technical Standards Committee, Western Plumbing Officials Association;
North Hollywood, California, Sunland-Tujunga American Legion Post 250;
North Hollywood VFW Post 10040.

Former
business-- Febco, Inc. (manufacturers of lawn irrigation equipment), Sun Valley, California (1954-64)

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Governor Reagan will introduce Lieutenant Governor-
designate Ed Reinecke to the Capitol Press Corps at
10 a.m., Friday, January 10, in News Conference Room
#1190.

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The press conference set for this morning
at 10 a.m. has been rescheduled for 10:30 a.m.

Foggy weather in Sacramento has caused a
delay in the travel plans of Lieutenant Governor-
designate Reinecke.

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GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE

January 12, 1969
through
January 21, 1969

Sunday, January 12

Afternoon

Arrive Sacramento Metropolitan Airport
from Los Angeles.

Monday, January 13

No public appointments
Overnight - Sacramento

Tuesday, January 14

9:30 am

PRESS CONFERENCE
Overnight - Sacramento

Wednesday, January 15

11:45 am

Presentation of military
cross to California National
Guardsmen, Governors Office

Overnight - Sacramento

Thursday, January 16

No public appointments

Overnight-Sacramento

Friday, January 17

10:00 am

Regents Meeting - UC Berkeley

Overnight - Sacramento

Saturday, January 18

Depart for Inaugural Activities
in Washington, D. C.

Tuesday, January 21

Return to Sacramento

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Governor Ronald Reagan today named Robert E. Whyte of Los Angeles and Brenton B. Bradford of Fresno to four-year terms on the State Board of Accountancy.

The posts pay \$25 per diem for each day spent on official duty, plus expenses.

Whyte, 46, succeeds Andrew P. Marincovich of San Pedro. Bradford, a 51-year-old Republican, replaces Carl C. Dechow, Jr. of Oakland. Both outgoing members' terms expired. The new terms will end November 26, 1972.

Whyte, A Republican, is a partner in the Los Angeles accounting firm of Haskins & Sells where he has worked since 1943.

A certified public accountant, he attended Glendale High School and U. C. L. A.

He is a member of the Practice Review Committee of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and is a former director of the California Society of CPAs.

He is also a past member of the CPA Administrative Committee of the State Board of Accountancy and currently serves as its secretary-treasurer.

He lives at 1024 Granvia Altamira, Palos Verdes Estates.

Bradford, a special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation from 1942-45, is a partner in the Fresno accounting firm of Touche, Ross, Bailey and Smart.

He is a former member of the California Society of CPAs and currently serves as a director of the American Institute of CPAs.

He has been a two-year member of the CPA Qualifications and Administrative Committees of State Board of Accountancy and is a trustee of the California CPA Foundation.

Bradford is also a past president of the Fresno Rotary Club and the Valley Children's Hospital and Guidance Clinic. He is a former member of the National Advisory Board of Volunteers of America and presently serves on the organization's Fresno Advisory Board.

He resides at 5400 North Delno, Fresno.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#8

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Costa Mesa City Manager Arthur R. McKenzie to a three-year-term on the State Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training.

The governor also reappointed Stanislaus County Sheriff Dan P. Kelsay, 58, and Robert S. Seares, Arcadia chief of police, to three-year-terms on the commission.

The posts, which require Senate confirmation, pay necessary expenses. McKenzie, a 50-year-old Republican, succeeds William J. McCann of Santa Fe Springs whose term expired.

A native of Pueblo, Colorado, McKenzie has lived in California since 1920. He is a 1953 graduate of Los Angeles State College. He also has done post graduate work in the field of public administration at the University of Southern California.

McKenzie has been city manager of Costa Mesa since 1965. In 1953 he became the city's first police officer and its chief of police.

He served as a Los Angeles policeman from 1941-51 and attained the rank of sergeant.

From 1951-53, he taught courses in criminal law, police administration and other related subjects at El Camino College.

He was elected "Boss of the Year" in 1962 by the Business and Professional Women's Club of the Costa Mesa Harbor Area and was named "Headliner of the Year" by the Orange County Press Club in 1965.

He lives at 2341 Ticcanderoga Way, Costa Mesa.

Kelsay, a Republican, was first appointed to the commission in 1960. A native of Idaho, he came to California in 1928.

He attended the F.B.I. Academy in Washington, D.C., and has been Sheriff of Stanislaus County since 1951.

He serves as vice president of the Stanislaus County Tuberculosis Association and is a member of the Advisory Committee of the Stanislaus County Humane Society.

He lives at 1012 Gettysburg Way, Modesto.

Searos, 59, has been chief of police of Arcadia for eleven years.

He was first appointed to the commission in 1961 and was elected its chairman in 1966.

He attended Stanford University and has worked as a part-time lecturer in police administration at U.S.C.

Prior to assuming his duties in Arcadia, he served as chief of police in San Marino for four years. He was a member of the Pasadena Police Department for 22 years.

Searos is a former president of the California Chapter of the FBI National Academy Association, the Los Angeles County Peace Officers' Association and the California Peace Officers' Association.

He is a Republican and resides at 3855 Mayfair Drive, Pasadena.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#9

Governor Ronald Reagan today named attorney J. Steve Williams, Jr.
to the San Bernardino County Superior Court bench.

The post, created by the 1968 legislature, pays \$30,572 annually.

Williams, 47, is a 1950 graduate of the Loyola University School of Law and has been engaged in private legal practice in San Bernardino since 1962.

He served as a deputy district attorney for San Bernardino County from 1952-57 and worked as superior court commissioner and judge pro-tem of the court from 1957-62.

A World War II veteran of the U.S. Army, Williams attained the rank of 1st lieutenant before he was discharged in 1946.

He was named to the State Social Welfare Board in May 1967 and was appointed its chairman in 1968.

He also served as a member of the San Bernardino City Police Commission from 1963-67 and was commission chairman for two years.

Williams, a Republican, was the recipient of a commendation from the State Attorney General for his participation in the formulation and execution of a "mass transit technique" in the enforcement of narcotics laws.

He is a member of the San Bernardino County Bar Association and serves on its Extended Legal Services Committee. He was a delegate to the Conference of State Bar Delegates in 1960, 61 and 67.

He is married, has seven children, and lives at 1002 West Marshall Boulevard, San Bernardino.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#10

Governor Ronald Reagan today named James S. Lee, executive secretary of the Building and Construction Trades Council of California, to the State Advisory Council to the Department of Employment.

The post pays necessary expenses.

Lee, a 51-year-old Democrat, will fill the unexpired term of Bryan P. Deavers of San Pablo who resigned. The term ends November 8, 1971.

Lee has been a member of the State Building and Construction Trades Council for 14 years.

He attended U.C.L.A. and is a veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps.

He lives at 5981 Holstein Way, Sacramento.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#11

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Palo Alto business executive Dean A. Watkins and Robert O. Reynolds, president of the California Angels baseball club, to the University of California Board of Regents.

Watkins, 46, will fill the unexpired term of H. R. Haldeman who resigned. Haldeman has been appointed to the White House staff of President-elect Richard M. Nixon. His term on the Regents' board expires March 1, 1984.

Reynolds, 54, will fill out the term of Samuel B. Mosher who resigned December 30. The term will end March 1, 1972.

Governor Reagan, in a letter dated January 10, accepted Haldeman's resignation "with great reluctance because I know how much you valued your service on the Regents.

"I also know how valuable that service has been to the university and to the state.

"I personally valued your counsel, your presence, and your always present assistance during both your terms on the board," the governor's letter to Haldeman said.

Haldeman, in his letter of resignation of Governor Reagan, said:

"With regret I must ask you to accept my resignation as a regent.

"It is completely clear that because of the University's role as a federal contractor, I would be in a position of serious conflict of interest if I were to continue on the board and also serve in the national administration.

"Also, of course, the time demands of my new post will be such that it would be very difficult to attend meetings regularly, and I would not want to serve on the board unless I could participate fully in all of its activities.

"I am sure you know how much I appreciate the confidence you indicated in me by appointing me to the board, and I deeply regret that I am not able to serve the full duration of my term.

"I am also sure that you and all of the rest of the regents know that the necessity of resignation in no way diminishes my deep and continuing interest in the future of the University of California," Haldeman's letter said.

Watkins, who served on the faculty of Stanford University from 1953-64, studied electrical engineering in college. He received his B.S. Degree from Iowa State University in 1944; took his M.S. Degree from Cal. Tech. in 1947 and received a Ph.D. from Stanford in 1951.

He co-founded the Watkins-Johnson Company of Palo Alto in 1957 and is presently chairman and chief executive officer of the electronics manufacturing firm.

He was an associate professor at Stanford until 1955 when he was promoted to a full professorship.

During World War II, he served as an officer with the U.S. Army Corps. of Engineers in Europe and Okinawa.

Watkins, is a former two-term member of the Portola Valley Elementary School District Board of Trustees and has been a member of Sequoia High School District Board of Trustees since 1965.

He was named as a trustee of Stanford University in 1967.

Last year he was elected to the National Academy of Engineering.

He and his wife, Bessie, have three sons and reside at 330 Alamos Road, Portola Valley.

Reynolds, a 1936 graduate of Stanford University, was president of Golden West Broadcasters, which operates a group of radio stations, for some 16 years. He sold his interest in the firm last August to give full time to his duties with the Angels ballclub, of which he is a part owner.

He also is vice president of the Los Angeles Rams football team.

He is a former director of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce and has been a member of the board of directors of Bonanza Air Lines, now Air West, for the past years.

Last year, he was chosen as "Salesman of the Year" by the Sales and Marketing Executives' Association of Los Angeles.

He has been active in community affairs for many years, having served a lengthy term as president of the board of Webb School in Claremont, a private boys' preparatory school. He is currently vice chairman of the board.

His wife, Lee, is a member of the Womens' Executive Committee of the John Thomas Dye School of Bel Air.

He has been a director of the Metropolitan Los Angeles YMCA for the past 15 years and has served as president of the Boys' Club of Hollywood during the past five years.

He is also a former director of the Stanford Alumni Association.

He and his wife have three sons.. They live at 12712 Parkyns Street, Los Angeles.

Watkins and Reynolds are Republicans.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#12

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Assistant District Attorney Ralph M. Drummond to the Monterey County Superior Court bench.

The post, created by the 1968 legislature, pays \$30,572 per year.

Drummond, 49, is a 1948 graduate of the U.S.C. Law School. He took his B.S. Degree from U.S.C. three years earlier in the field of public administration.

For the past four and one half years he has served as assistant district attorney in Monterey County. He previously worked for 15 years as a private attorney.

Before launching his legal career, he was a member of the Los Angeles Police Department for 12 years. He also worked for the U.S. Border Patrol for one year.

For five years he taught criminal law on a part-time basis at U.S.C. and the Los Angeles Police Academy.

He is presently a teacher of police science at Monterey Peninsula College.

Drummond is married, has two daughters, and lives at 4032 Mora Lane, Pebble Beach. He is a Republican.

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Caspar W. Weinberger, Director
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"The decision of Governor Ronald Reagan to return the immensely valuable Port of San Francisco to the City without any compensation to the State is part of a bold new experiment in State government -- an experiment founded on the belief that there should be a conscious effort on the part of each level of government to keep government as small as is possible and consistent with the basic obligation of meeting the real needs of the people. This requires that each level of government forego as many activities and as much power as is consistent with its ability to meet these needs," Caspar W. Weinberger, State Director of Finance, said last night.

Speaking to the annual dinner meeting of the Downtown Association at the Fairmont Hotel in San Francisco Wednesday night, Weinberger said that contrary to virtually all recent current trends of government expansionism, the present State Administration came to office pledged to try to reduce the size of government, to lessen the number of areas in which government operated, and to rely much more upon local government and the private sector of the economy to solve problems.

Consistent with this pledge, the Governor and the Administration strongly supported a proposal to return the Port of San Francisco to the City without requiring "payment of fair value" or any similar compensation for the immensely valuable Port lands.

"We felt that it was perfectly consistent with this Administration's goals for each community that wished to do so to own and operate its own port, and that this was properly a local rather than a State function," Weinberger said.

"The historical facts which placed the Port in State ownership and the enormously valuable use of the State's credit in developing the Port over the years, and the consequent demand from some

quarters that the State 'should be paid by the City,' were not strong enough factors to override the desire of the Governor and the Administration to make State government smaller, and local government stronger.

"Just as it is of the essence of home rule that local government be strong and well managed, so it is also a requirement that the State or higher echelon of government be willing to devolve duties, responsibilities and power to local government to enable it to act.

"This is contrary to virtually every modern trend, under which each governmental unit, for many years, has sought increased powers, duties, taxes, and ways to spend tax money for itself."

Weinberger also cited the current Budget which will shortly be presented to the Legislature as another example of the State government's desire to keep itself as small and as inexpensive as is consistent with the duties it must perform for a growing population. That Budget, he said, when it is presented to the Legislature in February, will show that instead of spending every available nickel of tax revenue, the Administration is proposing to return a substantial amount to the taxpayers in the form of direct income tax and property tax relief, while at the same time provision is made to take care of the growing need of the State in the field of public education, higher education, mental health, etc.

"This policy of government trying to make itself small and less expensive does not mean that there is no room for creative, imaginative efforts to meet the problems of the State," said Weinberger. "The new State Development Plan, which was completed and sent to the Legislature last year, sets the stage for substantially improved coordination of all State and local government activities, so that the development of California's future can be planned and carried out to make maximum use of available resources and give us the greatest opportunity we have

yet had to avoid wasteful and contradictory decisions.

"In the past we have had many unfortunate examples of the planning of freeways and bridges, placement of State and local institutions and parks--and even the allocation of funds--causing basic conflicts, such as the proposed freeway which a previous State administration planned to run directly through one of the finest redwood parks in the world.

"The State Development program with its sophisticated recommendations for the gathering and updating of information as to the needs, resources and goals of State and local government, and for securing better day-to-day working relationships between State and local and Federal governments, offers us the opportunity to avoid these mistakes of the past so spendthrift of both our monetary assets and our priceless natural resources.

"Another good illustration of cooperative efforts between the State and local governments is the Governor's strong recommendation for the continuance of the Bay Conservation and Development Commission."

Weinberger said that although the law creating the Commission is due to expire this October, the Governor has urged continuation of the Commission and its permit-granting powers, so that "not even a day will elapse during which San Francisco Bay would be unprotected and able to be filled at the whim of any individual who might so decide."

The Commission itself has proposed a master plan for the Bay to be administered by a regional agency, and Weinberger said the State Administration looks very favorably on this concept since it would provide for the participation of the voters of local governments on a sufficiently broad scale to embrace all of the interests people have in the Bay. "At the same time, the State government would lend its assistance to preserve one of the greatest natural bays in the world. The State obviously has a

major interest in seeing that an asset of this kind in California is preserved, but instead of recommending that the State take over ownership of the Bay, or keep a firm grasp on the permit-granting process, we are urging that local government on a regional basis develop the means of preserving and protecting the Bay and its shores in a way that will be consistent with orderly development, and with the recreational and esthetic needs of all."

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"The 1969-1970 State Budget illustrates again the straitjacket into which California's Executive and Legislative branches have been forced by the adoption of so many special dedicated funds which siphon off substantial amounts of our tax revenues to programs controlled by constitutional or statutory distribution formulas and which are therefore virtually immune from any priority determination or policy making by the elected Governor or the people's elected representatives in the Legislature," Caspar W. Weinberger, State Director of Finance, today told the California State Chamber of Commerce at its annual meeting in Sacramento. Weinberger emphasized that he was expressing his personal opinion.

"Over the years," Weinberger said, "a great many powerful groups who do not trust the legislative process have secured for themselves fixed formulas which earmark portions of the State's very ample revenues for certain programs such as highways, welfare, etc., thereby not only giving these programs the very highest, uncuttable priorities, but also guaranteeing that each Governor's Budget, no matter what the party or philosophy of the incumbent, will be higher than the last.

"These formulas, which are frequently tied to population, and the general inflation which the country has been experiencing, really work out in practice so that about two-thirds of each Budget is effectively isolated from any opportunity the Governor might have to determine priorities or try to secure lower expenditures.

"The 1969-1970 Budget of course can be no exception.

"However," Weinberger continued, "the philosophy of a Governor, either spending or saving, is enormously important in determining the rate and amount of increase, and here I am very glad to note that the present Administration, by means of internal economies which eventually will save nearly \$200 million a year, and by

prudent fiscal management, will be able to send to the Legislature early in February a Budget that is balanced, that will require no new taxes, and will allow for a substantial reduction in personal income taxes as well as a continuation of local property tax relief.

"In these days of steadily expanding government, where all of the visible and vocal pressures are for expansion in the size, power and cost of government, I consider this a major achievement and the fulfilling of Governor Reagan's pledge that government will be kept as small and as inexpensive as is consistent with meeting the needs of the State."

Weinberger said that there will be full recognition of increased enrollments in our University and State Colleges. He reported that the Governor had firmly resisted suggestions that the vast silent majority of decent, hardworking students, who want to complete their higher education in California's great public system, be punished, by sharp retaliatory cuts in appropriations for the University and the State Colleges, "for the highly destructive activities of a few revolutionaries whose aim is simply destruction for the sake of destruction."

Weinberger also said that the 1969-1970 Budget can provide for the growing needs of public education from kindergarten through the twelfth grade, "even though our latest population figures now show that we can, for the first time in years, see a leveling out or an actual decrease in enrollment of pupils in the lowest grades."

The new program and budgeting system fully adopted this year for the first time "offers us a management tool of great value in allocating State resources among the highest priority needs."

Weinberger also said that much thought had been given to the Budget for the year 1970-1971 at the same time the 1969-1970 Budget was prepared. "In effect," he said, "we really prepared two Budgets at once, because it would be doing the State small service to balance one Budget without new taxes, and leave a huge deficit for the next fiscal year. At this point, I am also able to assure the people of

California that not only can we present a balanced Budget without new taxes for the year 1969-1970, but we can do the same thing for 1970-1971.

"However," Weinberger said, "we must develop a system under which all of the State's tax resources are available for the highest priority projects for a particular year as determined by the Governor and the Legislature. The more we deviate from the principle of putting all our tax money in one bank account, to be spent, or returned to the taxpayers in the form of tax relief, as determined by the Governor and the Legislature each year, the more we guarantee that eventually expenditures will permanently outstrip income.

"That will be a very sorry day for all Californians, because we cannot afford, for even one month, to let our tax system become non-competitive with other states and thus put ourselves in the position of discouraging new industry or driving out existing industry. For if we lose our ability to attract job-producing new capital to this State, we have effectively denied our whole future to ourselves and to the generations still to come."

Governor Ronald Reagan today presented one of the state's highest awards to a California Army National Guardsman for extraordinary heroism in the rescue of a wounded comrade during summer field training last June

The award, the State Military Cross Medal, was presented to PFC Milton M. Davidson, Jr. (Company B, 1st Battalion, 159th Infantry, California Army National Guard) of Richmond at a ceremony in the Governor's office.

Davidson, 25, entered a burning barracks building at Fort Irwin, near Barstow, June 23, 1968, and evacuated PFC Dennis C. Garman who was seriously injured when a 3.5 inch rocket round exploded in the structure. Davidson, who was forced to break a window in order to gain access to the building, carried the wounded man to safety, even though he was 25 pounds lighter than Garman.

The Military Cross Medal is the second highest award the state can confer on an individual. Only twenty persons have received the medal during the past two decades.

On hand for the ceremony were PFC Davidson's wife, Beverly Jean; their daughter Tammy Rene; Davidson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton M. Davidson, Sr.; and Mrs. Elsie Catlin, the grandmother of PFC Davidson's wife.

Major General Glen C. Ames, commander of California's military forces, signed the citation honoring Davidson. He and Brigadier General Thomas K. Turnage, deputy adjutant general, Army; Brigadier General Bernard Nurre, commanding general of the 49th Infantry Brigade (PFC Davidson's commander); and Lt. Colonel Herbert R. Temple, Jr., military aide to the governor, also attended the ceremony.

Davidson was born in Tulsa, Oklahoma, September 29, 1943. He enlisted in the California Army National Guard on 7 May 1963. He and his family reside at 680 South 10th Street, Richmond. In civilian life, he is employed by the Alameda Naval Air Station.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#14

Governor Ronald Reagan today named retired Air Force Colonel T. R. Gillenwaters to the California Advisory Commission on Marine and Coastal Resources.

He will serve at the pleasure of the governor.

The appointment requires Senate confirmation and pays necessary expenses. Gillenwaters, a 65-year-old Republican, has served as oceanic advisor to the governor since early 1967.

Gillenwaters has been secretary-counsel of the Oceanic Research Institute, La Jolla, since 1963 and was one of its founders. The non-profit organization is funded through donations and subscriptions from the private sector and services all major marine entities, private educational and governmental, with a computerized information service which reviews the world's literature with respect to oceanographic research.

He assisted the governor in reactivating the Advisory Commission on Ocean Resources early in 1967 and worked as a liaison man and advisor to the State Interagency Council on Ocean Resources (ICOR) chaired by Lt. Governor Robert H. Finch.

Gillenwaters also was a member of the Committee on Oceanographic Information of the National Academy of Sciences from 1965-66 and has been a member of the Steering Committee of the International Association for Water Pollution Research since last June.

He is a trustee of the International Remote Sensing Institute for the study and detection of environmental problems.

The California Advisory Commission on Marine and Coastal Resources was created by the 1967 legislature.

Gillenwaters, who resides on a ranch near Palm Springs, is the father of Edgar M. Gillenwaters, State Deputy Director of Finance, in Washington, D.C.

Col. Gillenwaters' daughter, Jayne, is a member of the staff of Congressman James B. Utt of California.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today signed into law the first bill of the 1969 Legislative Session to reach his desk--legislation which enables the Republican State Central Committee to hold its first meeting of the current year in Sacramento on the fourth, rather than the third, Sunday in January.

The urgency bill was introduced by Assembly Speaker Pro Tem Charles Conrad (R-Sherman Oaks) to permit attendance at the Inauguration of President-elect Richard M. Nixon January 20, in Washington, D.C.

Prior to the governor's signature, the law required members of the California Republican Party to meet in Sacramento, for the election of state party officers, the day before the inauguration.

The bill (AB-8) was approved unanimously by both houses of the legislature.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#16

Governor Ronald Reagan announced today that California has received title to the 1,400-acre, \$7 million Pepperwood Grove addition to Humboldt Redwoods State Park.

He said the addition will increase the size of the park to 43,718 acres, and bring to approximately 110,000 the total redwood acreage in the 24 redwood park units of the California State Park System. Of this, 27,468 acres are in the three state parks that may be included along with 30,532 acres of private land to be acquired by the federal government for the National Redwood Park.

Title passes to the State with the final payment of \$2 million to the Pacific Lumber Company, from which the grove was purchased. Funds for the purchase came from contributions from the U.S. Land and Water Conservation Fund, the Save-the-Redwoods League, the State of California, and private donors.

The Pepperwood Grove addition included the gift of 27 acres, valued at \$40,000, contributed by the Pacific Lumber Company. The governor joined with State Parks and Recreation Director William Penn Mott, Jr. in commending the company for its agreement of many years' standing with the Save-the-Redwoods League that these trees not be harvested so that they could be available for state park use.

Since the Save-the-Redwoods League was created in 1918, it has contributed more than \$14 million for the acquisition of redwood acreage and watershed.

Governor Reagan noted that the new Pepperwood Grove addition will extend the famed 26-mile "Avenue of the Giants" another seven miles northward from Redcrest to Stafford along old U. S. Highway 101.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#17

Governor Ronald Reagan today named attorney Charles S. Vogel to the municipal court bench, Pomona Judicial District.

The post pays \$28,126 annually. He succeeds Judge Roland Brownsberger who retired.

Vogel, 36, is a 1959 graduate of the U.C.L.A. Law School and has been engaged in private legal practice in Pomona for the past nine years.

He served on the Pomona Planning Commission from 1966-67 and is the author of a major paper on zoning, with respect to the sale of alcoholic beverages, which was prepared for the City Attorneys' Division of the League of California Cities last May.

He is secretary-treasurer, and served for two years as a trustee, of the Pomona Valley Bar Association. For the past two years he has been a member of the Arbitration Committee of the Los Angeles County Bar Association. He was a member of the State Bar Committee on Legislation from 1965-67. He is also on the State Bar's Special Local Administrative Committee Number 19.

A Navy veteran, he is married and has two children. He lives at 444 Redlands Avenue, Claremont. He is a Republican.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#18

Governor Ronald Reagan today named attorney William H. Macomber to the superior court bench of San Diego County.

The post pays \$30,572 per year.

Macomber, a 57-year-old Republican, replaces Judge Ronald Abernathy who retired.

Macomber, a 1937 graduate of the University of Michigan Law School, has practiced law in San Diego for the past 31 years, and was city prosecutor and a deputy city attorney for San Diego from 1939-43.

He is a former president and director of the San Diego County Bar Association and serves on the Board of Directors of the Association of Southern California Defense Counsel.

He is also a member of the Ninth District Judicial Selection Committee of the Federal Bar Association and was appointed last year as chairman of the California State Bar's Committee on Rules of Court Procedure.

He is married and has five children. He lives at 2630 Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

For your information and guidance, at 10 a.m.

Governor Reagan began a one and a half hour meeting with Thomas Jordan, general manager, CSEA; Dr. Robert Comegys, president, Association of University Professors; Dr. Frank Peluso; president, California College and University Faculty Association; Jack Rees, executive secretary, California Teachers Association; College Trustee Chairman Ted Meriam and College Chancellor Glenn Dumke.

At 2:30 p.m., Governor Reagan will meet with Dr. S. I. Hayakawa.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#19

William P. Clark, Jr., executive secretary to Governor Ronald Reagan, today replied to a telegram (dated January 14) from State Democratic Central Committee Chairman Roger Boas of San Francisco concerning the forthcoming special election in the 7th Senatorial District.

The text of Clark's wire follows:

"It is extremely important that the citizens of Contra Costa County be represented in the State Senate at the earliest possible moment during the current session.

"The 33,000 persons you consider disenfranchised were in fact removed from the registration rolls for failing to vote in the November 68 general election. There is, therefore, little, if any, reason to assume that these same persons would either register or vote in the special election. Indeed, one would have to question whether many of them are still residents of the county.

"This election was called with a single overriding purpose: to provide representation for the people of the 7th Senatorial District at the earliest possible time.

"It must be emphasized that the election code requires that the Governor immediately, repeat immediately, call a special election to fill such a vacancy. This action conforms fully with that requirement."

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RELEASE: Immediate

#20

Governor Ronald Reagan today congratulated U.S. Senator George Murphy on his appointment to the Senate Armed Services Committee.

In a statement, the governor said:

"I was extremely pleased to learn of Senator Murphy's appointment to this prestigious and influential committee.

"The appointment brings signal credit to Senator Murphy and should be a source of great pride to the people of California.

"Membership on the committee by California's senior senator is particularly important because of the great number of military installations throughout the state--more than in any other state in the nation.

"Thousands upon thousands of military wives and families make California their home while their husbands and fathers serve in Vietnam and other vital military outposts around the world. In addition, many retired military families reside in the state.

"During the past fiscal year alone, California received military prime contract awards amounting to nearly \$6.5 billion, which represents some 17.4 percent of the nation's total for production, research and development. In the fields of research development, testing and engineering, California was the recipient of virtually one-third of the nation's military prime contract dollars during the same period.

"It is therefore highly significant, and most important, that California be represented on the Senate Armed Services Committee.

"Senator Murphy, whose service to California and the nation has been truly outstanding during the past four years, will now be able to render even greater service to the people of this state in his new committee assignment."

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RELEASE: Immediate

#21

Governor Ronald Reagan today reappointed Elvin B. Connolly of San Mateo to a four-year term on the State Workmen's Compensation Appeals Board.

The appointment is subject to Senate confirmation and pays \$30,572 per year.

Connolly, a 58-year-old Republican, has been a member of the board -- previously called the State Industrial Accident Commission -- since 1964. He worked as a member of the Industrial Accident Commission staff for 17 years and has been in state service for the past quarter of a century.

He is a 1935 graduate of Hastings Law School, San Francisco, and took his A.B. Degree from the University of California.

He lives at 39 Baytree Way, San Mateo.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#22

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Kerry W. Mulligan of St. Helena to a four-year term on the State Water Resources Control Board.

Mulligan, who has served as executive officer of the board since December 1, 1967, was also designated by the governor as its chairman replacing George Maul who will continue as a board member.

The \$20,500 per-year appointment requires Senate confirmation.

Mulligan, a 44-year-old Republican, succeeds Ralph J. McGill of San Francisco whose term expired.

Governor Reagan also announced he has reappointed Edward F. Dibble, a Redlands consulting engineer, to a four-year term on the board, Dibble, 53, was first appointed last November. He is a Republican.

Mulligan is a former mayor, fiscal officer, and parks and recreation commissioner of St. Helena.

He attended Yale University and is a graduate of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, Great Neck, Long Island, New York.

He served as a naval officer during World War II and the Korean conflict, and was commanding officer of the U.S. Naval Training Center at Vallejo from 1953-55.

From 1955-66, he owned and operated the Valley Chevrolet-Oldsmobile dealership in St. Helena. He was also president and treasurer of the Valley Land and Investment Company of St. Helena from 1962-66.

Mulligan is a past president of the St. Helena Chamber of Commerce and Kiwanis Club.

He is married, has three children, and lives at 2282 Spring Mountain Road, St. Helena.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#23

Governor Ronald Reagan today ~~named~~ Los Angeles Deputy District Attorney William E. McGinley to the municipal court bench, Downey Judicial District.

The post pays \$28,126 annually.

McGinley, 42, succeeds Judge Carroll M. Dunnum who was elevated to the Los Angeles County Superior Court.

McGinley, a native of Los Angeles, is a 1952 graduate of the University of Southern California Law School and has been a deputy district attorney in Los Angeles since 1953.

An Air Force veteran of World War II, he is a Republican.

He is married, has two children, and lives at 14528 San Bruno Drive, La Mirada.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

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GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE

January 18, 1969
through
January 26, 1969

Saturday, January 18

A.M. Depart San Francisco International Airport for
Washington, D.C.

P.M. Arrive Dulles Airport, Washington, D.C.

Overnight - Washington, D.C.

Sunday, January 19 INAUGURATION ACTIVITIES

Monday, January 20 INAUGURATION ACTIVITIES

Tuesday, January 21

P.M. Depart Baltimore Friendship Airport for Sacramento

Overnight - Sacramento

Wednesday, January 22

Noon State College Board of Trustees meeting, El
Dorado Hotel

Overnight - Sacramento

Thursday, January 23

Noon Picture with Easter Seal Child for poster,
Governor's Office

3 P.M. Governor's Council Meeting, Governor's Council Room

Overnight - Sacramento

Friday, January 24

P.M. Depart for Los Angeles

Overnight - Los Angeles

Saturday, January 25

A.M. Depart Los Angeles International Airport for
Sacramento

Overnight - Sacramento

Sunday, January 26

10:30 A.M. Speech to Republican State Central Committee
Convention, Senator Hotel

Overnight - Sacramento

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Governor Ronald Reagan today named nine persons to the newly created fifteen-member Citizens' Advisory Council to the State Department of Mental Hygiene.

The posts pay necessary expenses.

The council was created by the 1968 legislature (AB-1454, Lanterman) to advise the administration and the legislature on mental health, including the development of a five-year state mental health plan.

In addition to the governor's appointments to the council, the chairman of the Senate Rules Committee and the Assembly Speaker each appointed three members.

Terms are staggered. Council members will pick a chairman and will meet four times per year.

The governor's appointees are:

--Dr. Harrison Gould Gough, chairman of the University of California Department of Psychology, Berkeley. He is a 47-year-old Democrat.

--John T. Conlan, a Thousand Oaks realtor and member of the Ventura County Board of Supervisors. He is 44 and a Republican.

--Dr. Carl E. Anderson, 54, a Santa Rosa orthopedic surgeon. He is a Republican.

--Arthur P. Jost, a 50-year-old Republican. Jost is administrator of the Kings View Psychiatric Hospital, Reddley.

--Miss Dorothy V. Moses, head of nursing at San Diego State College. She is a Republican.

--Mrs. Marvin T. Smith of Sherman Oaks, a former Beverly Hills elementary school teacher and currently a member of the executive committee of the Los Angeles County Mental Health Association. She is a Republican.

--Dr. Albert G. Feldman, 59, of Pasadena. A Democrat, he is a professor of social work at U.S.C.

--Dr. Saul L. Brown, a 46-year-old Democrat, and chief of the Mt. Sinai Hospital Child Study Center, Los Angeles.

--Dr. Hiawatha Harris, 39, director of the Central City Mental Health Center, Watts. He is a Democrat.

--The terms of Gough, Conlan and Anderson will expire January 10, 1972. The terms of Jost, Miss Moses and Mrs. Smith will end January 10, 1971. Terms of the remaining three appointees will expire January 10, 1970. # # # # #

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#26

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Norman Jacoby of Van Nuys and David G. Jessop, Sr., of La Mesa to four-year terms on the State Board of Optometry.

The posts pay \$25 per day plus expenses.

Jacoby, 41, succeeds Dale Freeberg of Palos Verdes Estates. Jessop, a 57-year-old Republican, replaces Stanley D. Braff of Oxnard. Both outgoing members' terms expired.

Jacoby, a democrat, is a 1951 graduate of the Ohio State School of Optometry and has practiced in Van Nuys for nearly two decades.

He is a past president of the Los Angeles County Chapter of the National Association of Optometrists and was named "Optometrist of the Year" in 1965 by the San Fernando Optometric Society.

He is a former vice president and director of the Vision Institute of America and is a past member of the board of trustees of the California Optometric Association. He serves on the Military Affairs Committee of the Van Nuys Chamber of Commerce and is a member of the Jewish War Veterans.

Jacoby lives at 17501 Margate Street, Encino.

Jessop took his A.B. Degree at San Diego State College in 1934 where he was student body president. He graduated from the Los Angeles College of Optometry in 1936 and has practiced in the San Diego area since 1938.

He is a former president of the San Diego County Optometric Society, the San Diego County Fish and Game Association and the San Diego Marlin Club. He has served on the San Diego County Welfare Board and has been a participating Optometrist at the Lion's Club Sight Clinic

He developed the "Jessop Disc" for taking para-central corneal measurements. He also developed a set of mathematical tables for the use of such measurements in the fitting of contact lenses.

Jessop resides at 3131 4th Avenue, San Diego.

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#27

Governor Ronald Reagan today named a San Diego housewife, Taiche W. Kantner and Owen H. Peters, a Pasadena landscape architect, to the State Board of Landscape Architects.

The posts pay necessary expenses.

Mrs. Kantner, a Republican, is the wife of Richard D. Kantner of San Diego. She replaces Carolyn S. Patterson of Santa Monica whose term expired. Peters, 44, will fill the unexpired term of the late Howard O. Boltz of Glendora. The term ends January 15, 1971.

Mrs. Kantner, whose term will expire January 15, 1973, has been active in the Makua Auxiliary to the Children's Home Society and the Cabrillo Unit which is an auxiliary to the Children's Hospital.

She and her husband have three children and reside at 9422 Seltzer Court, San Diego.

Peters, a Republican, is a partner in the landscape architectural firm of Eriksson, Peters and Thoms.

He is a former secretary-treasurer, and currently holds the office of vice president, of the California Council of Landscape Architects and is a past president of the Southern California Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects.

He is a 1949 graduate of Iowa State University and has taught landscape architecture at Cal Poly, Pomona.

He lives at 425 South Berkeley Avenue, Pasadena.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#28

Governor Ronald Reagan today named North Fork lumberman John C. Dozier and Robert U. Loquaci, a Madera grape grower, to four-year terms on the 21-A District Agricultural Association's board of directors.

The Association operates the Madera District Fair.

Dozier, 35, is manager of American Forest Products Company, North Fork. He replaces Mrs. Jean Ficklin of Madera.

Loquaci, a 45-year-old Republican, succeeds Julius Dominici, Sr., of Madera.

Both outgoing members' terms expired.

Dozier, a Republican, is chairman of the Madera County Planning Commission. He has been chief forester of his firm for 15 years and is currently vice chairman of the Society of American Foresters, Northern California Section.

He is a former vice president of the Madera County Chamber of Commerce. His address is P.O. Box 66, North Fork.

Loquaci farms 1,000 acres of grapes near Madera and is a member of the Raisin Bargaining Association Board of Directors in the Fresno area.

He is also on the Raisin Advisory Board and is a member of the Raisin Administrative Committee.

He lives at 157 North Park Drive, Madera.

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#29

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Mariposa cattle rancher Clair T. Wolfson to a four-year term on the 35-A District Agriculture Association's board of directors.

The association operates the Mariposa County Fair.

The governor also reappointed Elwyn F. Reynolds, a retired manager, of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company office in Mariposa, to a four-year term.

Wolfson, a 62-year-old Democrat, succeeds Sidney C. Legare of Mariposa whose term expired.

Wolfson has been in the cattle ranching business in Mariposa County since 1940. He has been a member of the Sierra National Forest Advisory Board for the past five years.

His address is Star Route, Mariposa.

Reynolds, a 69-year-old Republican, is a director and past president of the Mariposa County Chamber of Commerce. He is a former president of the Mariposa Lions Club and is a past commander of the local American Legion Post and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

His address is P.O. Box S, Old Highway, Mariposa.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#30

Governor Ronald Reagan today named G. Raymond Arnett of Bakersfield, a long-time leader in the field of wildlife conservation, as director of the California Fish and Game Department.

Arnett, 44, has served as a director of the National Wildlife Federation, Region 12 (California-Nevada-Hawaii), for the past five years and has been a director-at-large for the California Wildlife Federation since 1963.

He replaces Walter T. Shannon of Sacramento who retired. The appointment requires Senate confirmation and pays \$23,625 annually.

A 1947 graduate of the University of Southern California, Arnett, a Republican, has also served as a director of the Kern County Wildlife Federation for the past seven years and has been a member of the governing board of the Kern County Fish and Game Protective Association for more than a decade.

He is a member of Californians for Conservation and Recreation and has served on the Advisory Board of Ducks Unlimited of Kern County for ten years.

Active in community affairs, Arnett was recently appointed to the Bakersfield Police Commission and is a former director and President of the Greater Bakersfield Chamber of Commerce.

He has been a director of the Kern County Taxpayers' Association for the past 10 years and is a former director of the Children's Home Society of California.

He is a former director and organization extension chairman of the Kern County Council of the Boy Scouts of America and currently serves as a member of the Board of Governors of Junior Achievement of Bakersfield.

Arnett is also a past director of the Kern County Cancer Society, the Kern County Tax Coordinating Council, and the Trade Club of Greater Bakersfield.

He is a former director and special gifts chairman of the Kern County Y.M.C.A.

Arnett, who served as an officer in the U.S. Marine Corps, during World War II and the Korean Conflict, is employed in the public affairs department of the Atlantic-Richfield Company, Bakersfield.

He and his wife, Virginia, have four children. They live at 2310 Bank Street, Bakersfield.

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C O R R E C T I O N

Change in location for the Republican State Central Committee
Convention on Sunday, January 26, at 10:30 a.m. to the Memorial
Auditorium.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#31

Governor Ronald Reagan today reappointed David M. Miller, president of Western Salt Company, and Ray L. Stoyer, general manager of the Santee County Water District, to four-year terms on the Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region.

The posts pay necessary expenses.

Miller, a 54-year-old Democrat, was first appointed to the board in 1961. Stoyer, 51, has been on the board since last March.

Miller has long been active in San Diego civic affairs. He is president of several firms, in addition to the Western Salt Company. They include the Pre-Mixed Concrete Company, the H. G. Fenton Material Company and the Long Beach Salt Company of San Diego.

He lives at 2329 Pine Street, San Diego.

Stoyer, a Republican, has been general manager of the Santee County Water District since 1957. He is a member of a five-man Industrial Development Commission which serves as an advisory committee to the City of El Cajon and the San Diego County Board of Supervisors.

He resides at 9349 Burning Tree Way, Santee.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#32

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Joseph T. Rishwain, Sr., president and general manager of the Equitable Finance Corporation of Stockton, to a four-year term on the board of trustees of Stockton State Hospital.

The appointment requires Senate confirmation and pays necessary expenses.

Rishwain, 60, succeeds the late William J. Hobin of Stockton.

Rishwain is a former director of the Stockton Chamber of Commerce and is a past member of the Advisory Committee to St. Joseph Hospital.

He is also a member of the Citizens' Committee for the Redevelopment of the City of Stockton.

He is a Republican and lives at 126 West Mariposa Street, Stockton.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#33

Governor Ronald Reagan today approved a declaration of emergency as a result of heavy rains and floods in the state.

The declaration was made by State Director of Water Resources, William R. Gianelli, pursuant to the state water code.

Governor Reagan said the storms and floods threaten loss and damage to public and private property throughout California.

He described the threat as pointed particularly toward damage and destruction of levees and other vital flood control, irrigation and water conservation works owned by state and local agencies.

Concurrence in the declaration of emergency was among the governor's first actions on returning to Sacramento from the inaugural of President Richard M. Nixon in Washington, D.C.

The declaration paves the way for emergency expenditures of funds as required for work and remedial measures over and above the normal flood control functions of the Department of Water Resources, Gianelli explained.

"The governor's action enables us to increase our around-the-clock operations in the department and to obtain additional outside help," he said.

"It permits the emergency purchase of additional materials and equipment for our operations and work in cooperation with other state departments, the Federal Government and local public agencies."

Gianelli said it is impossible now, in a rapidly changing flood situation, to make any estimate of the costs of the emergency.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#34

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Mrs. Elizabeth D. Erickson of San Francisco to a four-year term on the Sonoma State Hospital Board of Trustees.

The appointment requires Senate confirmation and pays necessary expenses.

Mrs. Erickson succeeds the late Lee O. Torr, Jr. of Monte Rio.

Mrs. Erickson, a Republican, is a 1942 graduate of the University of California at Berkeley where she majored in anthropology. She served as curator of the Nevada State Museum in Carson City for six years.

She is a member of the Volunteers for Institutional Aid at Sonoma, is a member and past president of the Louise Lombard School for the Handicapped Parent Teacher Association; and is a member and past treasurer of the Golden Gate Kindergarten Auxiliary.

She and her husband, Robert, have two sons. They live at 214 28th Avenue, San Francisco.

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RELEASE: Immediate
#35

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Stanley B. Williams of Bethel Island and Paul A. Kettenburg of San Diego to four-year terms on the State Harbors and Watercraft Commission.

The appointments require Senate confirmation and pay necessary expenses.

Williams, a 55-year-old yacht broker, replaces John P. Scripps of La Jolla. Kettenburg, a Republican and president-general manager of Kettenburg Marine, a yacht brokerage firm, succeeds Donald P. Loker of Rolling Hills. Both outgoing members' terms expired.

Williams, a Republican, previously served on the Yacht and Ship Brokers' Commission which was abolished by the 1968 legislature.

He is a member of the United States Power Squadrons and is on the Bethel Island Fire Commission.

His address is Route 2, Box 353W, Oakley.

Kettenburg, 55, has been in the yacht brokerage business in San Diego since 1943. He has been president and general manager of his firm for the past eleven years.

He is a former president of the Port of San Diego Propeller Club and is a past director and commodore of the San Diego Yacht Club and the Southern California Yachting Association.

He is currently a director and vice commodore of the Pacific Coast Yachting Association.

He lives at 3225 Kellogg Street, San Diego.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

On Thursday afternoon at 4:30, Ed Reinecke will take the Oath of Office as Lt.-Governor at a special ceremony in the rotunda of the Capitol.

Members of the Capitol Press Corps are invited to cover the ceremony. Television cameras should be set up and ready by 4 p.m.

All newsmen should enter the rotunda through the west steps of the Capitol.

We will issue details of the program for the ceremony early tomorrow afternoon.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today named three persons to four-year terms on the State Board of Public Health.

The posts pay travel expenses.

The three appointees are:

--William A. DeFries, M.D., Fresno County Health Officer. A Republican, DeFries, 52, succeeds Dr. Roger O. Egeberg of Los Angeles.

DeFries is a 1940 graduate of St. Louis University School of Medicine. He served for 20 years in the U.S. Air Force and retired as a colonel.

He is a fellow of the American College of Preventive Medicine and is a member of the California Medical Society and the Fresno County Medical Society.

He is a director of the Fresno chapter of the American Cancer Society and the Fresno Tuberculosis and Health Association. He is a former commissioner of the local Boy Scouts organization.

DeFries resides at 1127 West Keats Avenue, Fresno.

--Robert C. Tangeman, 44, a Santa Rosa dentist. Tangeman replaces Hugo M. Kulstad of Bakersfield.

Tangeman, a Republican, is a 1948 graduate of the University of Nebraska School of Dentistry. He has operated his own dental office in Santa Rosa since 1959.

He is a director of the Redwood Dental Society and the Northern California Society of Oral Surgeons. He is also a member of the American and Northern California societies of oral surgery and the California Dental Society.

He lives at 9433 Chalk Hill Road, Healdsburg.

--Mrs. Kathleen E. Crow, a San Marino housewife. Mrs. Crow, the wife of John B. Crow, Jr., is a Republican and mother of four children. She succeeds Mrs. Florence R. Wyckoff of Watsonville.

Mrs. Crow has played an active role in San Marino civic affairs. She co-chaired a campaign for passage of school bonds in the San Marino School District. She is a member of the Huntington Memorial Hospital Clinic Auxiliary and has been active in Cub Scouts, Little League, and P.T.A. She has worked on Red Cross drives and as a volunteer for the local chapter of the American Cancer Society and the Sister Kenny Foundation.

She resides at 842 Oxford Road, San Marino.

The outgoing members' terms expired.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

Here is the program for the swearing-in of Lt. Governor Ed Reinecke today at 4:30 p.m. in the Rotunda of the State Capitol.

Lt. Governor Reinecke will be escorted to the Rotunda for the ceremony by Governor Reagan, the state's constitutional officers, Senate Pro Tem Hugh M. Burns and Robert Monagan, Speaker of the Assembly. The escort will be made during the singing of selections by the University of California-Davis Madrigal Singers. The choir will be located in the Rotunda balcony.

The swearing-in will take place directly in front of the white Carrara marble statuary of Queen Isabella and Christopher Columbus which occupies the center floor of the Rotunda, where Governor Reagan took the oath of office.

Reverend Fred Bernlohr, pastor of the Emmanuel Lutheran Church of North Hollywood (Reinecke's pastor) will offer the invocation.

Governor Reagan will then deliver brief introductory remarks.

This will be followed by the actual swearing-in of Lt. Governor Reinecke by the Honorable Louis H. Burke, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of California.

The new lieutenant governor will then offer brief remarks in response.

The ceremony will conclude with the singing of America by the Madrigal Singers.

Guests invited to the ceremony will include members of the legislature, the Governor's Cabinet, directors of the departments of the Executive Branch, key members of Governor Reagan's staff and friends of the new lieutenant governor.

Invited guests will then adjourn to the Governor's Council Room for a reception in Reinecke's honor.

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In a joint statement, Governor Ronald Reagan and Lt. Governor Ed Reinecke today announced the appointment of Winfred (Win) W. Adams as executive assistant to the new lieutenant governor. Adams, 51, has served as cabinet secretary to the governor for the past 16 months. He joined the administration in November, 1966, and was a member of the interim government until his appointment in January, 1967, as assistant secretary of the state Resources Agency. He was promoted to cabinet secretary in September, 1967.

Governor Reagan also announced the appointment of Herbert E. Ellingwood as his Legal Affairs Secretary.

Ellingwood, 37, is a 1960 graduate of the Stanford University Law School and has served as legislative representative for the State Bar of California since 1966. He replaces Edwin Meese III, who has been elevated to the post of executive secretary to the governor, effective February 1.

At the same time, Governor Reagan announced that his appointments secretary, Paul R. Haerle, will return to private law practice March 1. Haerle, 37, is a 1956 graduate of the University of Michigan Law School. He will be succeeded by Edward B. (Ned) Hutchinson, a special assistant to the governor for the coordination and implementation of recommendations made by the Governor's Survey on Efficiency and Cost Control, since last February.

Governor Reagan said Adams' new assignment met with his greatest approval because "in his new post he will continue to be a close advisor on key governmental and political matters while at the same time furnishing the lieutenant governor with a keen insight into state government."

Lt. Gov. Reinecke said he was "grateful that Win Adams has agreed to join my staff. We are old friends. Win's close association with the governor, the governor's staff, agency secretaries and department heads will provide the essential liaison between my office and that of the governor.

Governor Reagan said he accepted Haerle's resignation "with regret but with the understanding when he first joined my staff that it could not be indefinite. Like many others, Paul interrupted a very promising career to help this administration carry out its goals.

Haerle said he will rejoin the San Francisco law firm of Thelen, Marrin, Johnson & Bridges as a partner on March 1. The firm, which engages in general law practice, is the same one he left in February of 1967 to join the governor's staff.

"When I left the firm two years ago I indicated I could serve for at least one year but certainly no longer than two years. Because of this commitment, I felt I could no longer delay acting on the firm's request for me to rejoin them."

The governor said he would announce the replacement for Adams shortly.

Ellingwood was a deputy district attorney in Alameda County from 1960-66. He has also served as legislative advocate for law and legislative committees; the District Attorneys' and Peace Officers' Associations.

He served in the U. S. Army Counter-Intelligence Corps, Europe, from 1953-56. He entered the service as a private and worked himself up through the ranks to 1st lieutenant when he was discharged.

He is a 1953 graduate of Yale University where he majored in political science and economics.

In 1964, he was a part-time instructor in criminal law at Chabot College.

Ellingwood is a former director of the Oakland Junior Chamber of Commerce and served as chairman, last year, of the College Council of Bethany Bible College. He is also a member of the board of trustees of Monte Vista Christian High School.

He is currently vice president of the California Junior Statesmen of America Foundation and was chairman of its summer school from 1965-67.

He is a member of the Advisory Committee on Guidelines for Moral Instruction in California Schools to the State Department of Education.

Ellingwood was selected as one of the Outstanding Young Men of America by the Junior Chamber of Commerce in 1965 and was named as Oakland's Outstanding Young Man of the Year in 1967.

He is a member of numerous professional organizations in the field of law, including the American Bar Association, Alameda County Bar Association and the American Judicature Society.

He is married and has two children.

Prior to joining state service, Adams worked for four years as campaign director for the Republican State Central Committee. He was also director of the "Cal-Plan" to elect Republican legislators.

He previously had served as district supervisor for the Census Bureau in the U. S. Department of Commerce.

He is married and lives in Sacramento.

Haerle was admitted to the State Bar in 1956. During law school, he was editor-in-chief of the Michigan Law Review for two years.

He is a member of the Commonwealth Club of California, the American Bar Association and the San Francisco Bar Association.

He is a native of Portland, Oregon, is married and has two children.

Hutchinson, 38, joined the administration as deputy director of the Department of General Services in January, 1967. Prior to his appointment he was a Palo Alto real estate developer.

A graduate of Stanford University, Hutchinson is a veteran of the Korean war. In late 1965, he served as director of transportation for the American Christmas Train and Trucks -- a relief program for the people of Vietnam.

Under his direction more than 50 boxcars and 7,000 truckloads of supplies were gathered from throughout the United States. Hutchinson supervised distribution of the materiel to the Vietnamese people while spending January and February of 1966 in that country.

The program was jointly sponsored by the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce, the National Young Republicans and the National Young Democrats.

He served in 1964-65 as governor of area six of the United Republicans of California.

He and his wife, Kirsten, have four children.

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#38

Governor Ronald Reagan today proclaimed a state of disaster in Los Angeles and San Luis Obispo counties as the result of heavy rains and flood damage during the past week.

The governor's action paves the way for the boards of supervisors in both counties to provide tax relief for persons whose property has been damaged or destroyed as a result of flooding and mudslides.

"As a result of storms, flooding and other conditions which, by reason of their magnitude, were beyond the control of the services, personnel, equipment and facilities (of both counties), I therefore proclaim the existence of a State of Disaster in the counties of Los Angeles and San Luis Obispo," the governor said.

His proclamation noted that the chairmen of the boards of supervisors in the two counties requested the governor's action.

It also cited "conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property" in the counties since January 17.

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GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE

January 27, 1969
through
February 2, 1969

Monday, January 27

- 1:30 P.M. Pictures: President of the Sacramento Exchange Club will present plaques of Historical Documents.
- Signing of Safety Week Proclamation, Governor's Office.
- 6:30 P.M. Greater San Francisco Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner and Reception, Terrace Room, Fairmont Hotel. (Brief Remarks)

Overnight - Sacramento

Tuesday, January 28

- 10:00 A.M. PRESS CONFERENCE
- 11:00 A.M. Depart Office for Sacramento Unified School District Warehouse, 3051 Redding Avenue, where Ford Motor Company will donate to the schools \$100,000 worth of equipment.
- 3:15 P.M. Signing of Proclamation for Chinese New Year, Governor's Office.

Overnight - Sacramento

Wednesday, January 29

- 1:00 P.M. Greetings to California Tomato Growers, El Dorado Hotel.
- 4:30 P.M. Proclamation signing for Junior Achievement of Sacramento, Governor's Council Room.

Overnight - Sacramento

Thursday, January 30

- 10:30 A.M. Depart for Ibraga
- Noon Arrive Saint Mary's College for Executives Symposium Luncheon. (Speech)

Overnight - Sacramento

Friday, January 31

- 9:15 A.M. Proceed with Lieutenant Governor Reinecke for remarks to YMCA Model Legislature, Assembly Chambers.
- 1:30 P.M. Dedication of "Tot Lot" as part of project Sandlot, Del Paso Heights. (Firehouse Lane, 1/2 block south of Grand Avenue)

Overnight - Sacramento

Saturday, February 1

A.M.	Depart Sacramento Metropolitan Airport for Los Angeles.
Noon	Special Regents Meeting in Los Angeles.
Evening	California Young Republican Convention, Oakland.
	<u>Overnight - Sacramento</u>

Sunday, February 2

No appointments scheduled.

Overnight - Sacramento

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#40

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Rancho Santa Fe realtor Peter T. Fletcher to a six-year term on the State Fish and Game Commission

The appointment, which requires Senate confirmation, pays \$10 per day for actual service, plus expenses.

Fletcher, 38, replaces William P. Elser of La Jolla whose term expired.

He is a long time member and supporter of "Ducks Unlimited." Two years ago, he assisted the San Diego County Board of Supervisors in drafting a new county shooting ordinance.

Fletcher is the son of former Congressman Charles K. Fletcher and the grandson of the late Col. Ed Fletcher, a state senator and San Diego pioneer.

He is a graduate of Stanford University and took additional courses at the University of Hawaii where he studied oceanography and animal husbandry. He participated in oceanographic research at the University of Hawaii's Marine Biological Laboratory -- research which included experiments in the schooling of tuna as well as the suitability of certain reef fish for bait in commercial fishing.

He has long been interested in wildlife conservation and in pursuing his hunting and fishing interests in the United States, Canada and Mexico, Fletcher has gained a broad understanding of regional and national wildlife problems.

Active in community affairs, Fletcher, a Republican, has served as a director of Goodwill Industries of San Diego and the San Diego Council of Camp Fire Girls.

He was named by the San Diego City Council to its Planning Advisory Committee for Downtown San Diego as well as the city's Midway Community Planning Committee.

He is married, has three children, and lives on a 20-acre citrus and horse ranch which he operates in the Rancho Santa Fe area.

His address is P.O. Box 936, Rancho Santa Fe.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today named Dr. Howard J. Marshall of ~~Tujunga~~ ^{Tujunga} and Dr. Paul R. Eschbacher of San Jose to four-year terms on the State Podiatry Examining Committee.

The appointments pay \$25 per day plus expenses.

Dr. Marshall, replaces Robert M. Barnes of Burbank.

Dr. Eschbacher, a past president of California Podiatrists' Association succeeds Frank G. Fields of Oakland. Both outgoing members' terms expired.

Both new appointees are Republicans and graduates of the California College of Podiatric Medicine in San Francisco.

Dr. Eschbacher has served two terms as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the California College of Podiatric Medicine.

Dr. Marshall is Chairman of the Insurance Relations Committee on the Podiatric Association and is active in the Los Angeles Foot Health Center.

He is married, has three sons, and resides at 10801 Kurt Street, Lakeview Terrace. He is a member of the Tujunga Chamber of Commerce and Kiwanis Club.

Dr. Eschbacher is married, has two daughters, and lives at 2346 Gunar Drive, San Jose. He has been active in Kiwanis and Exchange Club activities.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

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All of Governor Reagan's office appointments for Tuesday, January 28, have been cancelled so that the governor may meet with local officials about the recent flood damage.

The governor will depart Sacramento Municipal Airport at 9 a.m. and stop in Fresno, Santa Barbara and Burbank. The Burbank and Fresno stops will be limited to airport meetings with local officials.

In addition to meeting with local officials in Santa Barbara, the governor may inspect some of the damage there.

Accompanying the governor will be legislators from the areas affected as well as Charles Sampson of the California Disaster Office; James Moe, director of Public Works; Major General Glenn C. Ames, Adjutant General; William Gianelli, director of Water Resources; and Caspar Weinberger, director of the Department of Finance.

The governor and the accompanying party will return to Sacramento following the tour.

The specific itinerary is not available at this time, but we expect to have a complete itinerary with arrival and departure times the first thing tomorrow morning.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE GOVERNOR'S PRESS CONFERENCE SCHEDULED FOR 10 A.M. HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL 9:30 A.M., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

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Here is the itinerary for today's trip to Fresno, Santa Barbara, and Burbank.

Governor Reagan cancelled his Tuesday office schedule in order to meet with local officials to discuss recent flood damage.

Governor Reagan will be accompanied by Lt.-Governor Ed Reinecke, legislators from the affected areas, Charles Sampson of the California Disaster Office; James Moe, Director of Public Works; Major General Glenn C. Ames, Adjutant General; William Gianelli, Director of Water Resources; and Caspar Weinberger, Director of Finance.

Itinerary

9:15 a.m.	Depart Sacramento Metropolitan Airport
10:00 a.m.	Arrive Fresno Airport for meeting in Air National Guard Building.
11:30 a.m.	Depart Fresno
12:15 p.m.	Arrive Santa Barbara Airport followed by bus tour of Carpinteria area.
2:00 p.m.	Meeting in County Administration Building, Santa Barbara.
3:15 p.m.	Depart Santa Barbara
3:30 p.m.	Arrive Burbank Airport for meeting at Airport.
4:30 p.m.	Depart Burbank
5:30 p.m.	Arrive Sacramento Metropolitan Airport

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#44

Governor Ronald Reagan today praised a/Ford Motor Company project which will enable thousands of Sacramento area high school students interested in auto mechanics to learn the trade using new car engines and equipment as classroom aids in manual arts classes.

The equipment, which features the latest in technological, scientific and engineering improvements, is being donated to the automotive training departments of 25 high schools in the Sacramento area by local Ford and Lincoln-Mercury dealers, and the Ford Motor Company.

Presentation of the \$75,000 in equipment was scheduled to be made to the schools at a luncheon ceremony in the Sacramento Unified School District Warehouse in Sacramento today. Governor Reagan had planned to participate in the ceremony, but was forced to cancel the engagement when it became necessary today to meet with local officials in Fresno, Santa Barbara and Burbank about recent flood damage.

The governor called the Ford project "an excellent example of corporate citizenship and private sector involvement in the task of helping young people to prepare themselves for future job opportunities.

"I salute Ford and its dealers in the Sacramento area for the initiative they have taken to assist our schools in better preparing students to qualify for apprenticeship programs in the private sector following completion of their studies," he said.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today named Gilbert L. Sheffield of San Francisco, a Pacific Telephone assistant vice president, as director of the State Department of Human Resources Development.

Sheffield, 39, has been in charge of statewide coordination for telephone company programs designed to recruit employees from minority areas during the past two years.

He is resigning his company post to accept the \$25,725 -a-year job and succeeds Lucian Vandegrift who has served as acting director of the new department since last September. Vandegrift will retain his position as assistant secretary of the State Human Relations Agency.

The Department of Human Resources Development was created by the 1968 legislature (AB-1463) and will become operational later this year.

Sheffield's appointment is subject to Senate confirmation.

Departments to be consolidated under HRD will be the State Office of Economic Opportunity, the California Multi-Service Center Program, the State Department of Employment and the California Commission on Aging.

Sheffield, a Republican, played a key role in the formation of the Management Council for Bay Area Employment Opportunity which was established to further the efforts of Bay Area employers in the field of minority employment and training.

A 1951 graduate of the University of California at Berkeley, Sheffield joined Pacific Telephone in Sacramento as traffic staff assistant in 1953. He was promoted to district traffic manager in Stockton in 1961 and, in turn, was elevated to division traffic manager in Los Angeles in 1962.

He was again promoted to general traffic manager of the company's Bay administrative area in 1964 and became an assistant vice president for personnel at Pacific Telephone headquarters in San Francisco three years ago.

Sheffield is a native of Oakland and graduated from Fremont High School.

He was an officer in the U.S. Army infantry during the Korean War. He was decorated with the Silver Star, Bronze Star and Purple Heart for gallantry in action.

He is a past president of the Happy Valley School Parents' Club, Lafayette; is a former director and officer of the Sacramento Junior Chamber of Commerce; and has been a business advisor to Junior Achievement in San Francisco.

He is a member of the University of California Alumni Association, the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, the American Management Association, Walnut Creek Y. M. C. A., and the Lafayette Young Life Committee.

He is married, has three children, and lives at 3718 Rose Court, Lafayette.

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Plumas County District Attorney Stanley C. Young, Jr. to the Plumas County Superior Court bench.

The post pays \$30,572 per year.

Young, a 43-year-old Republican, succeeds Judge Bertram Jones who was elevated to the District Court of Appeal.

Young is a 1952 graduate of Hastings School of Law, San Francisco. He was elected as district attorney three years ago.

He was admitted to the State Bar in 1953.

He serves as secretary of the Plumas-Sierra Bar Association and is a member of the Disciplinary Committees of the Northern California Division of the California Bar Association and Plumas-Sierra Bar Association.

Young is married and has four children. He lives at 182 Buchanan Street, Quincy.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today named Long Beach attorney ~~John D. Miller~~ to the State Law Revision Commission.

The post pays \$20 per day, plus expenses.

Miller, 41, replaces Joseph A. Ball of Long Beach who resigned.

Miller, a Republican, is the son of Retired Superior Court Judge Fred Miller of Long Beach.

He is a 1953 graduate of the Stanford University Law School and has been engaged in private legal practice since.

He is on the Board of Governors of the Long Beach Bar Association and is chairman of its Arbitration Section.

Miller is married, has two children, and lives at 3838 Cedar Avenue, Long Beach.

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#48

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Physical Therapist
Robert A. Teckemeyer as a member of the State Physical Therapy
Examining Committee.

He will serve a four year term and receive \$25 per day, plus expenses. The post was created by the 1968 legislature.

Teckemeyer, 48, has been a registered Physical Therapist for twenty-six years and has practiced in Santa Rosa for the past two decades.

He is past president of Sonoma County National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis.

A Republican, Teckemeyer is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin Medical School and has long been active in the American Physical Therapy Association.

He is currently a Director of the Santa Rosa Rotary Club.

He is married, has two children, and lives at 2160 Geary Drive, Santa Rosa.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today named four persons to the State Health Review and Program Council.

The posts pay necessary expenses. The appointees will serve at the pleasure of the governor.

Named were:

--Charles E. Dixon, a 45-year-old Republican and former state chief deputy director of finance.

Dixon, who serves as Stanislaus County chief administrative officer, succeeds Robert T. Andersen of Riverside who resigned.

Dixon has held his county post since 1962, except for a one-year period beginning in October, 1967, when he took a leave of absence to serve in the Reagan administration.

He lives at 2117 Parkridge Drive, Riverbank.

--Sidney Friedman, 51, executive director of the Jewish Home for the Aged in San Francisco.

Friedman, a Democrat, replaces Robert L. Jackson of Fresno who resigned.

Friedman was assistant director of the Jewish Home for the Aged in Detroit from 1952-56 prior to moving to San Francisco to take his current assignment.

He lives at 1379 Lasuen Drive, Millbrae.

--Henry B. Peters, 52, associate professor, and assistant dean and director of clinics for the University of California School of Optometry.

Peters, a Republican, succeeds Paul C. Mowery of Roseville who resigned.

Peters has been a member of the University of California faculty since 1962 and is considered to be one of the leaders in the field of Optometry.

He lives at 225 Water Street, Point Richmond.

--Rev. George W. Smith, 40, pastor of the Golden Hills United Presbyterian Church, San Diego.

Smith, a Republican, replaces Carel E. H. Mulder of Sacramento who resigned to accept an appointment by Governor Reagan as director of the State Department of Health Care Services.

Smith has served as pastor of his church since 1956 and is immediate past president of the San Diego Unified School District Board of Education, of which he has been a member since 1963. He resides at 5514 Mira Flores Drive, San Diego.

Governor Ronald Reagan today named Stockton City Manager Frank D. Fargo as executive secretary to the State Council on Intergovernmental Relations.

The job pays \$19,512 per year.

Fargo, who succeeds Philip G. Simpson of Sacramento, will serve at the pleasure of the governor.

Fargo, a 47-year-old Republican, has served as Stockton city manager since 1963. He was city administrator of Santa Maria from 1959-63 and held the same post in Davis from 1955-59.

He was Stanislaus County's first planning director from 1949-51 when he was named assistant city manager in Monterey. From 1953-55, he worked as a planning consultant in Sonoma County.

Fargo, a graduate of the University of California at Berkeley, completed the University of Chicago's first Advanced Management Training Program in 1960 on a Ford Foundation scholarship.

He is a member of a number of professional societies; was on the Technical Coordinating Committee of the State Water Quality Control Board from 1966-67; has served on the Citizens' Advisory Committee on Alcoholism to the State Director of Public Health since 1965; and was a member of the State Water Quality Control Board's Cannery Research Advisory Committee from 1964-68.

He was chairman of the Interagency Coordinating Committee last year and is a former member of the League of California Cities' Salary Survey Advisory and Executive committees.

Fargo is married, has three children, and lives at 2621 Kensington Way, Stockton.

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#51

Governor Ronald Reagan announced today he has named attorney William J. Fernandez to the municipal court bench, Sunnyvale-Cupertino Judicial District.

The post pays \$28,126 annually.

Fernandez, 37, succeeds Judge James Scott who was elected to the Superior court.

Fernandez, a Republican, is a native of Hawaii and received his law degree from the Stanford University School of Law in 1955.

He has served as a Sunnyvale city councilman since 1963 and was mayor from 1966-67.

He is a former member of the Santa Clara County Economic Development Advisory Commission and has also served as a member of the Santa Clara County Water Commission.

In 1964, Fernandez was selected as Sunnyvale's "Outstanding Young Man of the Year."

He is a former president of the Sunnyvale Bar Association and is a past trustee of the Santa Clara County Bar Association.

Fernandez, is married, has four children, and resides at 1637 Edmonton Avenue, Sunnyvale.

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#52

Governor Ronald Reagan has named attorney Charles H. Church to the Los Angeles County Superior Court Bench.

The post pays \$30,572 per year.

Church, 56, succeeds Judge Donald Wright who was elevated to the State District Court of Appeal.

Church is a 1937 graduate of the University of Southern California Law School and has been engaged in private practice during his entire legal career except for four years during World War II when he served as a member of U. S. Air Force Intelligence.

He is a former president of the Junior Barristers of Los Angeles and is a past chairman of the Disciplinary Committee of the State Bar of California.

He is also a former president of the Los Angeles Tennis Club and has served on the executive council of the U.C.L.A. Alumni Association. He did his undergraduate work at U.C.L.A. where he received a B. A. Degree.

He and his wife, Mary Sue, have two children and live at 5015 Los Feliz Boulevard, Los Angeles. He is a Republican.

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Governor Ronald Reagan has named attorney Robert K. Byers
to the municipal court bench, San Leandro-Hayward Judicial District.

The post pays \$28,126 per year.

Byers, 37, succeeds Judge Gordon Minder who was elevated to
the superior court.

Byers, a Republican, is a 1959 graduate of the University of
California's Boalt Law School at Berkeley. He received an A. B.
Degree from the University of California School of Criminology in 1953
and was graduated cum laude.

He was an assistant public defender in Alameda County from 1960-
61 and has been engaged in private legal practice since.

He is a veteran of both the U. S. Navy and Army Reserves.

Byers was appointed to the Castro Valley Fire Commission in
1962 by the Alameda County Board of Supervisors. For the past six
years, he has been a member of the Alameda County Local Agency
Formation Commission and has served as chairman of the commission since
1967.

He was chairman of the Alameda County Bar Association's Law Day
Committee in 1966, served for two years on the Association's Board
of Directors, and is currently its vice president-elect.

He was also a director of the Southern Alameda County Bar
Association from 1964-65 and served as a delegate to the State Bar
convention from 1967-68.

Byers is married, has two children, and lives at 18601 Capricorn
Court, Castro Valley.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

Governor Ronald Reagan today signed a proclamation declaring
16 counties as disaster areas.

The counties involved are: Monterey, Kern, San Joaquin,
Solano, Kings, Madera, Mono, Stanislaus, El Dorado, Shasta, Placer,
Modoc, Tuolumne, Sacramento, Amador and Orange.

This brings the total number of affected counties to 25.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

Governor Ronald Reagan today signed a proclamation declaring
Merced and Mariposa Counties as disaster areas.

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#54

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of three persons to the State Hospital Advisory Board.

The posts pay necessary expenses.

Named were:

--Robert R. Roberts, 43, of Redding, administrator and chief executive officer of the Memorial Hospital Corporation and Memorial Foundation since 1953.

Roberts, a Republican, succeeds Sister Frances Dunn of Orange.

Roberts served as manager of the Redding Credit Bureau Collection Department from 1949-52.

He lives at 2338 Canal Drive, Redding.

--Harry L. Miller, 48, executive officer and administrator of the San Gabriel Community Hospital.

Miller, a Republican replaces Louis M. Peelyon of La Jolla.

Miller also supervised architectural planning for the new Los Robles Hospital in Thousand Oaks. Prior to 1960, he was administrator and treasurer of the Antelope Valley District Hospital in Lancaster for four years.

He resides at 2425 Monterey Road, San Marino.

--Arlene W. Lillie, a Stockton housewife and a Republican.

Mrs. Lillie attended the University of the Pacific and has been active in Stockton civic affairs. She replaces Mrs. Esther E. Smith of San Francisco.

She and her husband, Wilbur, live at 1335 North Baker Street, Stockton.

Outgoing members' terms expired.

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Governor Ronald Reagan will break ground tomorrow for the first "Tot Lot" recreational facility to be developed in the Sacramento area under his statewide "Project Sandlot" program.

The ground-breaking ceremony will be held at 12:30 p.m. on a one-acre site which Sacramento County has leased to the Del Paso-Robla Neighborhood Council. It is located one half block south of Grand Avenue on Firehouse Lane, Del Paso Heights.

The new "Tot Lot," the second of its kind to be developed in the state, will be built under the sponsorship and direction of the Sacramento Jaycees. Construction, which will be undertaken by Jaycee members and neighborhood citizens, is expected to be completed by May 1.

The first "Tot Lot" was developed and dedicated in Stockton last December.

The "Project Sandlot" program, suggested by Governor Reagan, was developed at his request by the State Department of Housing and Community Development. At a meeting in his office last June, Governor Reagan met with prominent service club presidents from around the state and urged them to provide leadership and financial assistance in the creation and development of recreational facilities in low income areas.

The governor's appeal has resulted in plans by a number of community service organizations throughout California to develop "Tot Lot" facilities.

In Sacramento, the Jaycees responded by laying plans for creation of the Del Paso Heights project. The Sacramento City Parks and Recreation Department will maintain the "Tot Lot" when it is completed.

The Del Paso-Robla Neighborhood Council will be responsible for the supervision and management of the site.

Governor Reagan praised the Sacramento Jaycees for the initiative they have taken to make the "Tot Lot" a reality.

"The work of the Jaycees in Sacramento, in behalf of the Project Sandlot Program, is an excellent example of the kind of leadership we look to in the independent sector for helping to meet the challenges of an urban society.

"The contribution they are making toward improving recreational conditions for youngsters in this area of Sacramento will, I am certain, have long-range benefits for the community as a whole.

"Again, my congratulations to the Jaycees for the initiative they have taken in this regard," the Governor said.

He also commended Charles Bradley, Director of the Neighborhood Council, the City Parks and Recreation Department, the County of Sacramento, City Councilman Milton McGee, and the State Department of Housing and Community Development for their joint public-private partnership in developing plans for the facility.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today pledged "the full resources of the State of California" to assist federal authorities in clearing the Santa Barbara Channel of oil which escaped around a drilling operation six miles off-shore late Monday.

The Governor requested Resources Secretary Norman B. Livermore, Jr., to supervise the state's assistance efforts.

"We must move immediately to do everything possible to prevent major pollution of our coast." He requested that every precaution be taken to preserve marine life in the area of the oil escape.

Yesterday, Governor Reagan discussed the oil pollution problem with Secretary of the Interior Walter J. Hickel. Secretary Hickel informed the Governor that operations to spread an oil dispersing agent over the oil slick are underway.

Resources Secretary Livermore reported, "It is presently impossible for us to determine whether all of the oil escape is a direct result of drilling operations or has resulted partially from reactivation of sea floor oil seeps, or possibly even from previously drilled core-holes in the area."

Governor Reagan said he supports a resolution by Senator Robert Lagomarsino (R-Ojai) which calls for inspection by the state of all off-shore oil developments outside the three mile limit. The Governor also reiterated his stand that the state should be granted this authority by the Federal Government, including necessary funding to carry on the inspection program.

Under existing federal law, off-shore oil development is controlled by the U.S. Geological Survey's Branch of Oil and Gas Operations.

Within the three-mile limit and in all on-shore areas, development and inspection is controlled by the State Department of Conservation's Division of Oil and Gas. Within Federal on-shore lands, the Division of Oil and Gas inspects all oil wells through an agreement with the U.S. Geological Survey.

Governor Reagan noted that last year he urged the Federal Government to establish a reserve fund using a portion of revenues received from oil leases outside the three-mile limit to assist California and other states in efforts to abate coastal pollution from such oil escapes.

"I again call upon the Federal Government to meet this responsibility, he said.

Livermore informed the Governor that the oil producer is making every effort to stop the escape of oil and to control pollution. This is being actively implemented by means of massive aerial drops of chemical dispersing agents. A team of oil disaster specialists have been brought to Santa Barbara by the producer.

A combined State-Federal Disaster Plan to coordinate all government activities was put into effect yesterday. Under the plan, federal authorities have been granted authorization to extend their oil pollution suppression activities into coastal waters within state jurisdiction.

Resources Secretary Livermore stated that the State Departments of Conservation, Fish and Game, the State Water Resources Control Board and the Central Coastal Regional Water Quality Control Board are all contributing to the coordinated plan and are working closely with legislators from the affected areas, including Assemblymen Don McGillvray (R-Santa Barbara) and Ken MacDonald (D-Ojai).

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

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For your information and guidance, the budget will be available to the press between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. Monday, February 3, in the Finance Department conference room. At 11 a.m., Finance Director Cap Weinberger and his staff will brief the press at a background session in the press conference room, room 1190. The budget is embargoed for release by the press at 5 p.m. As you may know, the budget this year will consist of two volumes--the regular, line-item budget and a complete program budget. Because of the added volume, the printers cannot deliver the book prior to 8 a.m. Monday. As you also may know, Governor Reagan will give a "report to the people" which will be televised and broadcast on radio Tuesday evening. Times and stations carrying the telecast will be made available to you later.

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C O R R E C T I O N

The budget will be for release by the press at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, February 4, not Monday, as was indicated inadvertently in an earlier memo issued today.

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GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE

February 3, 1969
through
February 9, 1969

Monday, February 3

1:45 pm

Proclamation signing for Japanese
Centennial Year, Governor's Office

6:30 pm

National Conference on Crime, Fairmont Hotel,
San Francisco

Overnight - Sacramento

Tuesday, February 4

1:30 pm

PRESS CONFERENCE
Overnight - Sacramento

Wednesday, February 5

1:45 pm

Courtesy visit by National President of
the Eagles, Governor's Office

Overnight - Sacramento

Thursday, February 6

1:30 pm

Signing of National Defense Week Proclamation,
Governor's Office

Afternoon

Depart for Los Angeles:

Arrive Los Angeles International - Proceed
to San Diego

6:45 pm

Commission of the California's reception,
Residence of Mrs. Norman C. Roberts, 530
Silver Gate Avenue, San Diego

Overnight - Los Angeles

Friday, February 7

12:15 pm

Industrial Safety Conference luncheon,
Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles (Speech)

Evening

Proceed to San Francisco for California
Newspaper Publishers Association Convention,
Fairmont Hotel

Depart for Los Angeles

Overnight - Los Angeles

Saturday, February 8

No appointments scheduled
Overnight - Los Angeles

Sunday, February 9

pm

Depart for Sacramento
Overnight - Sacramento

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At today's 12:30 p.m. ground-breaking for Sacramento's first "Tot Lot" recreational facility (one half block south of Grand Avenue on Firehouse Lane, Del Paso Heights) California Junior Chamber of Commerce President Rob Reifschneider will announce that the organization's 300 chapters in California will immediately begin an overall survey of flood damage to determine community needs as a result of the damage. In addition, Reifschneider will announce that the California Jaycees have offered to coordinate a state-wide person-to-person flood assistance program at the local level.

This ties in with the Governor's request that the private sector lend assistance, on a neighbor-to-neighbor basis, in those areas which have suffered flood damage.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today instructed James E. Johnson, State Director, Department of Veterans Affairs, to make every service available to Cal-Vet home owners in storm devastated areas.

Cal-Vet loan holders were requested to report property damage to their local DVA Cal-Vet farm and home office or their County Veterans Service Office.

"We stand ready to help with the restoration of their homes and to settle their insurance claims," said Johnson. "The sooner we know of each loss, the sooner our people can get the restoration process under way."

Offices are located in:

Telephone

Anaheim	2157 West La Palma Ave.	635-2160
Bakersfield	516 Kentucky Street	327-5728
Fresno	2550 Mariposa Street	268-7151, Ext.331
Inglewood	830 North La Brea Ave.	674-7474
Modesto	1700 McHenry Avenue	523-6465
Oakland	1111 Jackson Street	834-3460, Ext.448
Redding	2135 Akard Avenue	241-4125, Ext.1022
Sacramento	1227 O Street	445-7033
San Bernardino	303 West Third Street	888-9281, Ext.281
San Diego	1350 Front Street	232-4361, Ext.276
San Francisco	350 McAllister Street	557-1566
Santa Clara	68 North Winchester Blvd.	296-4267
Santa Rosa	1739 Fourth Street	542-5752, Ext.130
Van Nuys	16917 Enadia Way	345-5510

County Veterans Service Offices are located in each County except Alameda, Alpine and San Francisco.

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