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STATEMENT RELEASED TO PRESS

Governor Reagan asked for an opinion by the Attorney
General. He has received it and will abide by the Attorney
General's opinion. He will appoint a successor when a
vacancy occurs in the Lieutenant Governor's office.

GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE

August 5, 1974
through
August 11, 1974

Monday, August 5

9:00 a.m.	Interview, Sam Yorty Show (KGBS Radio), Universal City Tour Center
Noon	Tour, Home Furnishing Laboratory, 3401 La Grande Boulevard, Sacramento

Tuesday, August 6

10:00 a.m.	<u>NEWS CONFERENCE</u>
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Wednesday, August 7

7:30 p.m.	Santa Barbara Fiesta (Mrs. Reagan to accompany Governor), Santa Barbara
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Thursday, August 8

8:30 p.m.	Republican Telethon, KABC Studio, Hollywood
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Friday, August 9

9:00 a.m.	Change of Command Ceremonies for Admiral William Lawrence (former POW), Lemoore Naval Air Station
2:00 p.m.	Presentation of painting by Danish National Basketball Team, Governor's Office
6:30 p.m.	California State Police Officers Federation Olympics, Rancho Cordova Community Center

Saturday, August 10

11:00 a.m.	Dedication of Capitol Historical Landmark Plaque (100th Anniversary of the completion of Capitol), West Steps of Capitol
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Sunday, August 11

No appointments scheduled

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(Note: At this writing, Governor Reagan is reconsidering his travel schedule for the month of August. Any changes will be reported to you as they occur.)

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RELEASE: Immediate

#441

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he would sign, if legislation reaches his desk, a substantial augmentation to local mental health funds.

The governor said representatives of the Department of Health, the Health and Welfare Agency and the Department of Finance had been meeting with county administrators of local mental health programs since June 30, 1974 when the current budget was signed by the governor.

"These meetings," Governor Reagan said, "have convinced us that some local mental health programs might have to be cut back if there were no augmentation."

The governor "blue-pencilled" \$17.4 million in local mental health augmentations from the current state budget. Most of the \$17.4 million was added by the conference committee without public hearings.

"The legislature failed to meet the constitutional deadline of having the budget on the governor's desk by June 15," he said. "In fact, the budget did not reach my desk until June 28, leaving only 48 hours to examine literally hundreds of augmentations made by the legislature, many of them made at the last moment in the free conference and, again, without public hearings. There was simply inadequate time to establish the need for such a substantial increase in spending."

The amount of the augmentation has not been finalized but the governor gave assurance that it would be not less than \$10 million. This amount was developed by representatives of the Departments of Health and Finance as the probable amount needed to maintain programs at their current level and to fund inflationary costs.

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#442

Governor Ronald Reagan today issued the following statement:

Nixon
"As you know, I have done my best to follow the progress of the Watergate investigation. Until yesterday, I was not convinced that evidence of an impeachable offense had been presented to the Congress or the people.

"Now, for the first time, it has been revealed that neither the Congress nor the American people had been told the entire truth about Watergate.

"In view of the President's statement yesterday, I believe it is absolutely imperative that he go before the Congress immediately and make a full disclosure of all the information he has on this matter, answering any and all questions the members may have. The Constitutional process should then go forward in order to bring about a speedy resolution of this issue.

"The American people are entitled to this as well as to the whole truth---once and for all."

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#443

Governor Ronald Reagan today appointed two new members to the board of the 42nd District Agricultural Association, which operates the Glenn County Fair.

At the same time he reappointed Walter H. Jasper of Orland, who has served on the board since October 1963.

The new appointees are Vernon L. Rehse of Orland, who replaces Eugene Schonauer of the same city, who resigned at the conclusion of his term; and Rafael Perez of Willows, who replaces Glen P. Eidman of the same city, whose term expired.

Terms of the three men will expire January 15, 1978. Board members receive their necessary expenses.

Jasper, 56, has been a farmer in the Orland area for nearly 35 years. He served two terms as chairman of the Superior California chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, was on the Rural Fire Department Board for several years and was an alternate to the Agricultural Stabilization Committee. He is a Democrat.

Rehse, 48, is a cattle rancher who is a state director of the Cattlemen's Association and a director of the Farm Bureau. He also belongs to the Glenn and Colusa counties Cattlemen's Association and is a 4H beef leader. He is not registered to vote.

Perez, 44, is manager of Wentz Market in Willows. He was born in Woodland and moved in his first year of life to Orland where he attended local schools. He is a 20-year member of the BPOE, a member and past president of the Willows Lions Club, a director of the Willows Mosquito Abatement District and a member of the Willows Chamber of Commerce. He is a Democrat.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#444

Governor Ronald Reagan today reappointed three directors of the 22nd District Agricultural Association, which runs the Southern California Exposition.

Given terms which expire January 15, 1978 were Charles E. Badger of Rancho Santa Fe, Donald W. Thiel of El Cajon and Chaffee C. Young of Escondido. The three, all Republicans, have served since May 1970.

Badger, 43, is vice president and manager of R. E. Badger and Son, Inc., an agricultural contracting firm involved in engineering of pipeline placement, planting, irrigation and allied activities using tractors and other machinery. He joined the business in 1959 after serving as a laboratory technician for the Citrus Experiment Station at the University of California, Riverside. He was a personnel officer in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean Conflict.

Thiel, 51, is a professor of industrial arts at San Diego State University, a position he has held since 1957. The same year he received his doctorate at Ohio State University. He achieved his bachelor's degree from the University of Nebraska in 1949 and his master's from Stout State College in 1953. He served in the U.S. Air Force during World War II.

Young, 68, has been an avocado rancher since 1940. Prior to that he was a self-employed mining engineer. He has served on the Selective Service Appeals Board and has been involved with the National Rifle Association, the Audubon Society and Trout Unlimited. He is a graduate of the University of California, Berkeley.

Directors of the board receive their necessary expenses.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

On Sunday, August 11, Governor Reagan has a long-standing
commitment to a large group in Seattle, Washington for a major
event there. This will take him out of California for a few
hours that day.

The governor will be in constant communication with the Capitol during that time. Should the possibility of any potential emergency situation arise during that time, the governor will return to the Capitol immediately to take any actions necessary.

These steps are being taken by the governor to completely fulfill his responsibilities to the people of California, without cancelling a long-standing commitment.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

In response to requests from the California and national press for comments by Governor Ronald Reagan following President Richard Nixon's address to the nation tonight---and in the event of the President's resignation---Governor Reagan will be available approximately 20 minutes after the conclusion of President Nixon's address to make a statement and field questions and answers.

The place: Main studio, KOVR, Channel 13, Sacramento---
1216 Arden Way.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#445

Governor Ronald Reagan today made the following statement
after President Nixon addressed the nation:

Resignation

"It is a tragedy for America that we have had to come to
this, but it does mean that the agony of many months has come to
an end.

"It is a personal tragedy for Richard Nixon, who despite
these events and his recent revelations, gave so much of himself
to his country over the years and who accomplished so much,
especially in the area of foreign affairs. Now, though, we must
turn our full attention to the other problems that face our nation.

"I join with all Americans in pledging my full support to Pres-
ident Ford as he leads the nation into more tranquil times."

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Governor Ronald Reagan labeled the federal food stamp program "the newest nesting place for welfare abuse and fraud" in a Saturday night speech at the Young Republicans National Federation banquet in Stateline, Nevada.

Calling food stamps "a multi-billion dollar administrative nightmare" and a "staggering financial burden at the federal level," the California governor offered examples of a plan of action underway in his state to recommend to the federal government a list of more than 50 ways reform can be achieved in both the food stamp and Aid to Families With Dependent Children (AFDC) programs.

Along with the report, Governor Reagan said, will come a strong recommendation for immediate action in Washington. He did not indicate when the proposed reforms would be presented in the nation's capital.

The governor said many abuses and outright fraud in the food stamp program can be eliminated by federal action that would:

--Tighten up eligibility requirements. "Government--alone--is the cause of inflation. We must eliminate every area of waste and duplication."

--Establish reasonable regulations to ensure that only those who really need the stamps could get them. "Many taxpayers find it difficult to understand why a seemingly able-bodied and otherwise self-supporting individual can walk up to the grocery counter with a basket full of prime T-bone steaks and lay out free food stamps--while they (the taxpayers) are buying hamburger for their own dinners with hard-earned cash they have left after paying taxes to cover the cost of those food stamps."

--Set a minimum age for persons to receive stamps. "A 17-year-old student no longer desiring to live with his parents moved out and stays with a group of friends. He receives \$46 a month in free food stamps and five others in the same household are also drawing free stamps."

The forthcoming recommendations, Governor Reagan said, would, in some cases, require changes in state laws.

The governor agreed with U. S. Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz, who has said the administration of food stamps should be transferred from Agriculture to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

California alone would realize a savings of \$31 million a year in its costs, the governor said, through tighter administration and closer coordination of the program.

When the Federal Food Stamp Act of 1964 was passed following a small pilot project during the Kennedy Administration, the governor said, there were about 367,000 recipients and the cost was \$26 million. By next year, he said, the comparable statistics will be 16 million recipients and \$3 billion in costs.

In California, said Governor Reagan, taxpayers are contributing at least \$316 million this year toward the purchase of \$630 million in food stamps. And, he added, the administrative costs in his state have reached almost \$100 million.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

#447

GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE

August 12, 1974

through

August 18, 1974

Monday, August 12

No public appointments scheduled

Tuesday, August 13

No public appointments scheduled

Wednesday, August 14

Noon

Flournoy Luncheon, Los Angeles Club

Thursday, August 15

6:30 p.m.

Orange County Fundraiser, Disneyland Hotel,
Anaheim

Friday, August 16

Noon

Riverside County State Central Committee
Fundraiser, 6166 Brockton, Riverside

6:30 p.m.

Fundraiser for Sumner Offill, 58th Assembly
District Candidate, 3772 Parkview Drive,
Lakewood (near Long Beach)

Saturday, August 17

No appointments scheduled

Sunday, August 18

No appointments scheduled

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Walthall

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced he has vetoed the following bills:

SB 1633 (Zenovich)

Enacts the Zenovich-Chacon California Housing Finance Act providing for the creation of a 13-member California Housing Finance Corporation.

It designates the corporation as the sole state agency to receive and allocate federal assistance for subsidizing housing for persons and families of low or moderate income.

The bill authorizes the corporation to make loans, through specified intermediaries and intermediary devices, or to qualified mortgage lenders for housing developments.

The bill further provides that its provisions shall become operative January 1, 1975, only if the Housing Finance Bond Law of 1974 is approved by the voters at the November 1974 election.

REASON FOR VETO:

- "SB 1633 would create a California Housing Finance Corporation. This quasi-public corporation would have vast powers and would be authorized to make loans for housing purposes through private lending institutions. Funds for the loans would come from the sale of State general obligation bonds.
- "Though I recognize the need for increased housing--especially for low and middle-income Californians--this bill has serious defects and would substantially alter the State's fiscal policies.
- "California is one of only 14 states which have the highest possible bond credit rating: AAA. One reason for this, according to Moody's Investor Service Credit Report, is that "The State does not use its credit to back agency obligations". This policy would change with the creation of this new agency and the State's credit rating would be placed in jeopardy. In fact, based on the amount of California bonds outstanding, the drop in rating could cost the taxpayers as much as \$100 million in added interest.
- "There are other substantive reasons for not signing this bill.
- "There is strong doubt this measure would benefit those who need relief the most--low-income Californians. Our estimates indicate that applicants with incomes of \$11,000-\$16,000 (the highest among those eligible) would receive all but a tiny percentage of the loans.
- "It would grant relief to big business and financial institutions--by shifting lending risks to the State--at the expense of all citizens of California.
- "With the full faith and credit of the State insuring their loans, financial institutions could conceivably become more interested in volume than quality of loans, thus exposing the State to a serious problem of defaults, foreclosures, and abandoned houses.

"In mortgage lending, financial institutions ordinarily compete in an arena of comparable economic objectives, without political objectives. There are not adequate safeguards in this bill to insure against unfair competition from a government institution with possible political objectives.

"The bill permits the Corporation to make direct loans to housing sponsors; in fact to make it possible for all loan money to be awarded solely to local public entities. Allowing for loans to non-profit housing sponsors to be made at 100 percent amounts to supplying such sponsors with direct State grants.

"The only provision for an audit of the Corporation is to verify its assets and liabilities. It should require a comprehensive periodic audit of program effectiveness; a management tool essential in government today.

"It does not contain strong enough protection against conflict of interest.

"The new agency or government created would be independent of and unresponsive to both the legislative and executive branches, thus lacking the necessary limitations and controls essential to good government.

"Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned."

SB 1634 - Zenovich

Enacts the Housing Finance Bond Law of 1974. It provides for the issuance of up to \$500 million in general obligation bonds if the voters approve the bond issue at the November election.

REASON FOR VETO:

"I am returning without my signature Senate Bill No. 1634 entitled, "An act to add Part 3 (commencing with Section 41250) to Division 31 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to housing, and providing for the preparation, issuance, and sale of state bonds to create a fund to be used by the California Housing Finance Corporation to make loans for financing housing developments primarily benefiting persons and families of low or moderate income, and providing for the submission of the measure to the people at a special election to be consolidated with the 1974 general election, to take effect immediately."

"Nothing useful would be accomplished by approving this measure. By its terms the bill does not become operative unless either SB 1633 or AB 2966 of the 1973-74 Regular Session of the Legislature or both are enacted creating in state government a California Housing Finance Corporation. I have already vetoed SB 1633. The virtually identical Assembly Bill is still before the Legislature.

"Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned."

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#449

Following is the Friday text of Governor and Mrs. Ronald Reagan's congratulatory telegram to President Gerald R. Ford:

"Congratulations and our gratitude for the words you spoke. You have the prayers of many, including ours. You have our loyal support."

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#450

Governor Ronald Reagan today appointed a Simi Valley manufacturer of pre-cast concrete products to the 31st District Agricultural Association Board, which runs the Ventura County Fair.

At the same time, the governor reappointed two other directors, Fred C. Ferro of Oxnard and Mrs. Laura J. Schreiber of Santa Susana.

The newest director is Don D. Zarraonandia, 49, owner of Pre-Con Products, Ltd. He replaces Ruben Castro of Moorpark, who resigned at the conclusion of his term.

Zarraonandia formed his own company in 1964 after being a sales engineer for Ameron for seven years and an employee of Pan American Airways for a like amount of time. He served Pan Am in South America for five years and speaks and writes Spanish. He is a graduate of the University of Miami, Florida, and spent three years in the U.S. Army. He is a Republican.

Ferro, 53, has been a fair board director since August 1967. He is in farming and land development with his brother. A graduate of Stanford University's law school, he was an attorney with Danch, Ferro, Lagomarsino and Cooper until 1970. Ferro is a Republican.

Mrs. Schreiber has been on the board since May 1970. She has lived in Ventura County since 1952 where she and her husband have had a small orchard near Simi. She has been involved in Cub and Girl scouting, PTA, women's organizations, election board work and 4-H. Born in Long Beach, Mrs. Schreiber was graduated from high school in Wilmington. She is a Democrat.

The three directors received terms that will expire January 15, 1978. They will be paid their necessary expenses.

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#451

Dr. Edwin B. Boldrey, professor emeritus of neurosurgery at the University of California Hospital in San Francisco, today was reappointed by Governor Ronald Reagan to the district review committee for the First District, Board of Medical Examiners, Department of Consumer Affairs.

Dr. Boldrey, a 68-year-old Republican, has been a member of the committee since October 1969. He will receive per diem and expenses during a new term ending September 1, 1977.

Published on at least 90 separate occasions on subjects relating to the nerves, spine and brain, Dr. Boldrey has been an active lecturer since 1946 and has been involved in consulting and in the role of visiting professor at a number of colleges and universities in the U.S. and Canada.

Much of his postgraduate training was in Montreal. He was certified by the American Board of Neurological Surgery in 1942.

He was granted the emeritus status at UC's School of Medicine last month after 15 years as an active professor. He was both chairman and vice chairman of neurological surgery during that period.

Dr. Boldrey joined the UC School of Medicine staff in 1940 as an instructor, later advancing to positions as assistant clinical professor and associate professor during the '40s.

Among his public service posts were those as a member of the medical advisor committee of the Epilepsy Foundation and as a trustee of the Princeton Conference on Cardiovascular Disease.

Dr. Boldrey is a Republican.

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#452

Governor Ronald Reagan today reappointed Richard M. Emigh of Rio Vista and Mrs. Catherine M. Southard of Dixon to the board of the 36th District Agricultural Association (Dixon May Fair).

Emigh has served since May 1970 and Mrs. Southard since January 1973. Both will receive necessary expenses during new terms expiring January 15, 1978.

Emigh, 44, is a farmer and raises sheep and cattle. He has been a director of both the Solano County Taxpayers Association and the California Wool Marketing Association. He is a past president of both the wool growers association and the farm bureau. He is a Republican.

Mrs. Southard has been a senior of flower shows conducted by the National Council of State Garden Clubs. She has served the fair for nearly 30 years and was, for several years, the Department Head of Floriculture. She is a Republican.

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#453

Governor Ronald Reagan today appointed Mrs. Maurine B. Crosby of Jackson to the Youth Authority Board to fill an unexpired term of the late Gladys L. Sanderson ending March 15, 1977.

Mrs. Crosby, a Republican, is a former member of the Amador County Board of Education and secretary of the Ione Merchants Association.

While in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, between 1964 and 1971, she was involved in the planning and implementation of a teen-age recreation center. Included was a "Rap Room," encouraged by the police department when it was learned that some of the local "problem" youngsters were using the room to talk out their problems and concerns instead of roaming the streets.

She holds a degree in fine arts from William Woods College in Fulton, Missouri, and has volunteered many hours in the presentation of entertainment programs for hospitals and organizations.

Mrs. Crosby will receive an annual salary of \$31,008.

The appointment requires Senate confirmation.

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#454

Mrs. Betty B. Hoy of Weed today was appointed by Governor Ronald Reagan to the board of the 10th District Agricultural Association.

She replaces the late Ralph R. Turk of Happy Camp.

Mrs. Hoy's husband is a cattle rancher and operates the oldest registered Hereford ranch in Siskiyou County.

She has served on the election board, is a member of the California Farm Bureau and belongs to the Order of Eastern Star and Cow Belles.

Mrs. Hoy is a Republican. Her term will expire January 15, 1976, and she will be paid her necessary expenses.

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#455

Kenneth D. Britt, acting warden at San Quentin Prison since the June 28 retirement of Louis S. Nelson, today was appointed to the post^{of Warden} by Governor Ronald Reagan.

Britt, 41, became San Quentin's associate warden last January 15 in charge of mail and visiting, inmate appeals, public information and inmate group activities.

Prior to joining the San Quentin staff, he was associate superintendent of the California Medical Facility at Vacaville in charge of the Central Services Division of the medical-psychiatric institution. He has had service in the past at Tehachapi, Tracy, Corona, Folsom, California Mens Colony (San Luis Obispo) and Soledad during a state career that began as a correctional officer in July 1955.

Britt served 16 months in Korea with the U.S. Army during the conflict there.

He received an associate in arts degree from Hartnell College in Salinas, has attended Sacramento State College and has taught one course for several semesters at Cal State-Sacramento extension.

Britt's appointment requires Senate confirmation. He will serve at the governor's pleasure at a salary fixed by the state Personnel Board. He is a Republican.

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#456

Governor Ronald Reagan today appointed Mrs. Ellen M. Newman of San Francisco to the California Council of Product Design and Marketing, replacing William J. Teague of Newport Beach, who resigned the post.

Mrs. Newman, a Democrat, operates a business bearing her name. She is a former consultant on consumer and social programs for Amfac, Inc. and a director of that firm, and formerly fashion director for Joseph Magnin Company, Inc.

She is a director of American Express Mutual Funds and a past chairman of the manufacturers-retailers liaison committee of the San Francisco Manufacturers and Wholesalers Association.

She is a member of the executive committee of the board of governors of the San Francisco Symphony Association and is a governor of the National Conference of Christians and Jews. She twice has been chairman of the KQED Auction.

The appointment, requiring Senate confirmation, pays necessary expenses and is at the governor's pleasure.

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#457

Gordon P. Del Faro of North Hollywood today was reappointed to the state Athletic Commission by Governor Ronald Reagan.

The appointment, requiring Senate confirmation and paying \$25 per diem, will expire June 1, 1978.

Del Faro, 55, has been a commissioner since April 1971.

He is president of R & R Tool and Dye Corporation and has been active in civic affairs as a director of both the San Fernando Valley Business and Professional Association and the National Association of Manufacturers and Builders Rehabilitation.

He graduated from Fremont High School in Los Angeles and studied mechanical engineering at Los Angeles City College. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

Del Faro is a Republican.

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#458

Larry D. Morse, a Lancaster attorney for 19 years, was appointed today by Governor Ronald Reagan to the Municipal Court bench in Los Angeles County's Antelope Judicial District.

Morse, who turned 47 Sunday, replaces Judge William J. Wright, who retired from the \$34,605 post.

Since 1964 Morse has been a partner in the law firm of Morse, Cosgrove, Michelizzi, Schwabacher and Ward, primarily engaged personally in partnerships, corporate and civil litigation and domestic relations. He had been involved as a criminal lawyer for a number of years until 1969 when partner Thomas J. Ward joined the firm.

Before his admission to the State Bar in 1955, Morse was employed by Lockheed Aircraft Company in Burbank.

He currently is assistant secretary and general counsel for Antelope Valley Daily Ledger Gazette, Inc., secretary and a director of Blessing Buick, Inc. and vice president of Randy's Restaurants, Inc.

In 1962, Morse was president of the Antelope Valley Bar Association. For two years, he was a director of San Fernando Neighborhood Legal Services and for five years has served on U.S. Selective Service Board, Local 85, in North Hollywood, first as legal counsel then as a member and currently as chairman of the panel.

He received his law degree from Southwestern University in 1954. He is a Republican.

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TELEPHONE STATEMENT BY GOVERNOR RONALD REAGAN
August 12, 1974

TO:
AP
UPI

Governor Ronald Reagan said Monday evening he was pleased with President Gerald Ford's sincerity and candor in the new President's nationally televised address to Congress.

"I renew my pledge of loyal support to the President as he tackles the nation's urgent problems in a constructive manner," said the governor.

Commenting on the high points of Mr. Ford's address, Governor Reagan said he:

--Also recognizes runaway inflation as one of the major burdens that must be lifted from the American people and gave his wholehearted support to the President's efforts to reduce that burden.

--Felt a summit meeting on the economy bringing together labor, industry and agriculture is an excellent idea.

--Favored bringing the federal budget into balance as it has been a goal he has pursued in the largest state through his administration

--Agreed there should be no unwarranted cuts in defense spending, in order that America's strength could remain second to none.

--Strongly supported fiscal restraint, something he has advocated for some time.

--Endorsed continuing the foreign policy of the past 3½ years, commenting that no one can quibble over what America has accomplished in that regard.

--Thinks big government must learn to say no in terms of additional spending and that big government should be trimmed back in size to a realistic level.

Advocates the deterrence of crime through examples set by parents, rather than forcing the police to set that example.

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#459

Governor Ronald Reagan today appointed Riverside Municipal Court Judge Gerald F. Schulte to the Superior Court bench in Riverside County.

He replaces Judge S. Thomas Bucciarelli, who retired.

Judge Schulte, 48, has been on the municipal bench since April 1968. He was an assistant Riverside County Counsel and was a partner in the law firm of Badger, Schulte and Biddle for 11 years.

A graduate of Stanford University and the Hastings College of Law, Judge Schulte has long been an active member of the Riverside community in such activities as Riverside Family Service, Uptown Kiwanis, Riverside City Library Board, Muscular Dystrophy and the 20-30 Club.

He was a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army's Seventh Division during the Korean Conflict.

Judge Schulte is a Republican. Superior Court judges receive \$37,615 annually.

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RELEASE: Immediate

#460

David A. Winston, deputy director of the state Department of Health, today was appointed by Governor Ronald Reagan as chairman of the California Health Care Commission.

No salary is included with the appointment and Winston will serve at the governor's pleasure. He replaces Jerry W. Green of Sacramento.

Winston, 32, became the Health Department's chief deputy director last January. Prior to that he was an assistant secretary of the state Health and Welfare Agency, where he supervised legislative matters for the agency's six departments.

The native of Idaho who lives in Sacramento was employed by the state Assembly in various legislative roles. He holds a master's degree from the University of California at Santa Barbara.

Winston is a Republican.

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#461

San Francisco attorney B. John Bugatto today was appointed by Governor Reagan to the North Central Coast Regional Commission ^{Coastal Zone} for Sonoma, Marin and San Francisco counties.

The 40-year-old Republican replaces Ellen J. Johnck of San Francisco, who resigned.

Bugatto will serve a term prescribed by law and receive his actual and necessary expenses.

A San Francisco native, he attended Galileo High School, earned a bachelor's degree at St. Mary's College and his law degree at the University of San Francisco School of Law.

He has been in general law practice with Stephen L. Mana since gaining admittance to the State Bar in 1962.

He was on the board of governors of the San Francisco Lawyers Club in 1970-71 and has been active as an officer of the Columbus Civic Club, North Beach Lions, Italian Hospital and Benevolent Association, Italian Federation of California and Knights of Columbus.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

#462

Governor Reagan will visit Round Valley in Mendocino County and the Modoc County Fair at Cedarville on August 22, 1974. We have 12 seats on two different airplanes available for members of the Capitol Press Corps who wish to accompany the governor on the trip. They will be assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. Deadline for notifying the Press Office that you want to make the trip is noon Monday, August 19.

The governor has accepted invitations for both appearances. This will be his first opportunity to visit Round Valley since he took action in May of 1969 that prevented construction of the ^xDos Rios Dam on the Eel River watershed. The governor will meet with members of the Indian Council from the Round Valley Indian Reservation. Parts of the reservation would have been flooded had the dam been built.

Purpose of the trip to Cedarville is for the governor to take part in official ceremonies opening the Modoc County Fair. According to an informed source, Governor Reagan will be the first governor in California history to set foot in Modoc County.

Although I do not have a firm schedule at this time, those making the trip should plan on being away from (roughly) 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that he has signed the following bills:

AB 2617 (Nimmo)
Chapter 501

Adjusts the salaries and positions of various personnel of the Bakersfield Municipal Court.

The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.

AB 2901 - Arnett
Chapter 502

Authorizes the formation of the San Mateo County Transit District.

Formation of the district requires voter approval.

The bill becomes effective immediately.

AB 3492 - Russell
Chapter 503

Changes the name of the Department of Employment Development to the Employment Development Department.

The bill also clarifies the adjudicatory powers of the California Unemployment Insurance Appeals Board and its referees.

The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.

AB 3502 - Z'berg
Chapter 504

Specifies the annual salary for Sacramento Municipal Court District traffic referees based on years of service.

The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.

AB 3542 - Murphy
Chapter 505

Specifies that guards maintained by a sheriff to guard prisoners in hospitals may be private security guards.

The changes made by the bill become effective on January 1, 1975.

SB 2042 - Nejedly
Chapter 500

Makes changes to correct technical errors in the description of election districts of the San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District.

The bill becomes effective immediately.

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#464

Ukiah attorney John J. Golden today was appointed by Governor Ronald Reagan to the Superior Court bench in Lake County.

Golden, a 49-year-old Republican, replaces Judge Ralph Devoto, who retired. His annual salary will be \$37,615.

Golden has been a partner in the law firm of Rawles, Nelson, Golden and Hinkle since its formation in 1959. Prior to that he was in practice with another attorney in Ukiah for eight years.

He served in the U.S. Navy from 1943 through 1946, attaining the rank of ensign. Later he achieved the rank of lieutenant junior grade in the Naval Reserve.

Golden attended Long Beach City College before entering the Navy and Missouri Valley College after leaving the service. He obtained a bachelor's degree from the University of Oklahoma in 1947 and was awarded his law degree from the University of California, Berkeley (Boalt Hall) in 1950. He was admitted to the State Bar the following year.

He has served in the past on the Ukiah Unified School District's personnel commission and on the board of the Willow County Water District. He has been a member of the Mendocino County Bar Association since 1951 and was president of the association in 1954. He was on the state bar association's local administrative committee for Lake and Mendocino counties in 1952, and was president of the Legal Services Foundation of Mendocino County from 1967-69.

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#465

Stockton attorney Nels B. Fransen was appointed today by Governor Ronald Reagan to the Stockton Municipal Court bench in San Joaquin County.

Fransen, 46, replaces Judge William Woodward, who was elevated to the Superior Court bench in the same county last February 5.

The new judge has been a law partner of Peter J. Simonelli and James J. Simonelli. He began the partnership with Peter in 1959 and they were joined in the 1960s by James, a former chief assistant U.S. attorney in Sacramento.

Fransen attended the University of California, Berkeley, for two years, then entered Hastings School of Law and received his degree in 1952.

He was a U.S. Army enlistee for nearly two years in the mid-1940s.

In 1964, Fransen was president of the San Joaquin Bar Association. He also has been president of the San Joaquin chapter of the California Trial Lawyers Association and the county's Legal Aid Society.

He has been chairman of the State Bar's local grievance committee and an arbiter for the American Arbitration Association.

Fransen, will be paid \$34,605 annually.

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#466

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced that agreement has been reached on an amendment to legislation establishing a new method for determining California Highway Patrol salaries and that he would support the amended version of the bill (AB 3801, Brown, D-San Francisco).

The bill is scheduled for hearing Monday before the Senate Finance Committee.

As amended, the bill will provide that patrolmen salaries will be based on the average salaries for corresponding ranks in the five major law enforcement jurisdictions in California: Los Angeles, San Diego, Oakland and San Francisco Police Departments, and the Los Angeles Sheriff's Office.

"This is a desirable and equitable change in the present law because it is fair to the patrolmen, their families, and the taxpayers as well," Governor Reagan said.

"The California Highway Patrol is the finest organization of its kind in the nation and deserves the support of all citizens in its effort to remain competitive in recruiting new members. This legislation will go a long way in assuring the continued high caliber of the California Highway Patrol."

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GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE

August 19, 1974
through
August 23, 1974

Monday, August 19

No public appointments scheduled

Tuesday, August 20

11:30 a.m.

San Jose Cal-Plan Fundraising Luncheon,
Chinchen House, 1630 University Avenue.
Speech.

4:30 p.m.

Jerry Lewis Muscular Dystrophy Telethon
Taping, News Conference Room #1190

Wednesday, August 21

Noon

Orange County Flournoy Fundraiser Luncheon,
Balboa Bay Club, Newport Beach

5:00 p.m.

Flournoy Fundraiser Reception, Cuyamaca
Club, San Diego

Thursday, August 22

Approx. 9:00 a.m.

Tour of Round Valley, Mendocino County

Noon

Lunch at Wilson Ranch, Covelo

2:00 p.m.

Modoc County Fair, Cedarville

Friday, August 23

p.m.

Depart for Baltimore to attend Saturday's
Bull Roast (GOP fundraiser) at Centerville,
Maryland.

(Note: Governor will return to California
on Saturday after speaking at the
fundraiser)

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Governor Ronald Reagan has called for a revival of his campaign reform bills in the legislature, following a series of meetings between members of his staff and representatives of the People's Lobby.

After legislative committees voted to shelve the bills in June, Governor Reagan invited both People's Lobby and Common Cause to join with him in pushing again for the reforms.

"I was delighted with the prompt response we received from both groups. A series of meetings with People's Lobby was initiated almost at once and these have proved to be mutually productive," Governor Reagan said.

Following the People's Lobby meetings, the Governor and the organization which originated Proposition Nine on the June ballot, agreed to work for passage of the following bills.

--AB 3962 (Arnett), which would move the primary election to September. The original bill called for the first Tuesday as election day. The conferees agreed instead on the second Tuesday, to facilitate college student voting.

--AB 4262 (McLennan), to limit campaign contributions to those from individuals only. Current law allows labor unions and corporations to contribute directly to political campaigns. This proposal would prohibit such donations, however, amendments agreed to would permit voluntary contributions by individuals in organizations.

--AB 4291 (Russell), would require the legislative analyst to confer with reading experts in the preparation of ballot measure analyses. To accomplish this, the conferees agreed that an amendment to Section 88003 of Proposition Nine would be developed.

--AB 4301 (Badham) would prohibit political activities of public employees during working hours. It was agreed that amendments to the bill would assign enforcement responsibilities to the new Fair Campaign Practices Commission (FCPC); would clarify the status of student volunteers working on campaigns for course credit; and would specify penalties for violations of the bill's provisions.

--AB 4258 (Antonovich) would have prohibited judges from making or arranging for campaign contributions with funds other than their own. Amendments agreed upon by the conferees would extend the bill's provisions to prohibit attorneys from contributing any funds to judicial candidates; would prohibit all elected officials from contributing other than personal funds to candidates; and would stipulate penalties and enforcement responsibilities of the FCPC.

In addition, both Governor Reagan and the People's Lobby oppose public financing of campaigns. The conferees agreed to study further a People's Lobby suggestion that some public services be made available to bona fide candidates (for example, office space and free printing of candidates qualifications on ballots).

Other subjects which will be further discussed by the conferees are People's Lobby proposals that the law should be changed to require office holders to resign their positions when seeking election to another office and caretaker appointments in case of vacancies in elected positions, and that California's initiative process be adopted for nationwide use.

He added that telephone conversations and correspondence with Common Cause had resulted in that group's California Board advising him of its support of the objectives of two of the reform bills, AB 4301 and 4262.

Governor Reagan said a letter has been sent to California Citizen Action Group (the Ralph Nader political action organization) requesting their support of the election reform proposals.

"Election reform still has a high priority in this administration. The legislature still has ample time to act on the above measures. I would hope the members of the legislature would accomplish this job before they adjourn at the end of the month," the governor concluded.

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#469

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointments of Roy L. Wonder and Richard P. Figone of San Francisco as judges of the city's Municipal Court.

Wonder, 45, who has been a commissioner on the Workmen's Compensation Appeals Board since 1972, succeeds Judge James J. Welch who has retired. He is a 1950 graduate of the University of Kansas and received his law degree from Georgetown University.

Wonder is a former associate counsel for the California Division of the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation.

Figone, 40, fills the vacancy created by the recent elevation to the Superior Court of Judge Harry Low. He is a 1956 graduate of Stanford University and received his Law Degree in 1961 from the University of San Francisco.

He is a member of the San Francisco law firm of Paolini, Paolini, Dobbins and Figone.

Municipal Court judges receive \$34,605 annually.

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#470

Governor Ronald Reagan today appointed Amelio Curti of Waukena and reappointed two others to the Tulare County Fair Board (24th District Agricultural Association).

Curti, 59, secretary of a dairy and general farming operation, replaces William A. Silveira of Tulare, whose term expired. He is a member of the California Milk Pooling Review Board, vice chairman of the board of the Dairymen's Cooperative Creamery Association and is a past president of the Tulare County Dairy Herd Improvement Association.

Terms of Curti and reappointed directors Mrs. Evelyn C. Beck and Edward E. Tellalian will expire January 15, 1978. The three are Republicans.

Mrs. Beck, a Tipton housewife, has been on the board since March 1969. She has had lengthy affiliations with the Tulare County Cowbells and Tipton PTA and was a 4-H leader. She also belongs to the community's Womens Club.

Tellalian, 56, of Oroshi, joined the fair board in March 1970. He is a farmer of deciduous fruits and grapes and teaches political science at Oroshi High School. He is a graduate of San Jose State University and has served Tulare County on its grand jury, its school boards association and its farm bureau.

Fair board directors are paid their necessary expenses.

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#471

Jay M. Ver Lee, Oakland's retired director of parks and recreation, today was appointed by Governor Ronald Reagan to the board of the 1st District Agricultural Association, which operates the California Spring Garden and Home Show.

Ver Lee, 61, replaces Wallace Bruener of Oakland, who moved away from the district and whose term expired.

The new appointee retired as Oakland's parks and recreation director last May 7. In that capacity he was for four years the city's liaison with the 1st Agricultural District.

He is on the boards of directors of the American Park and Recreation Society, California Park and Recreation Society, League of California Cities and Junior Achievement of the East Bay, Inc. He also is on the executive committee of the Metropolitan YMCA of Alameda County.

Ver Lee's term will expire January 15, 1978, and he will receive necessary expenses. He is a Republican.

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#472

Dr. Edgar K. Rose of Napa today was appointed by Governor Ronald Reagan to the California Hospital Commission, replacing Dr. Gary D. London of Bel Air, who resigned.

Dr. Rose will receive \$100 per day while on duty during a term which expires next March 4. The appointment requires Senate confirmation.

A 52-year-old radiologist who has had a private practice in Napa and Fairfield since 1953, Dr. Rose was named man of the year by Napa's Queen of the Valley Hospital Foundation.

He has been a member of the advisory council of the California Hospital Commission and has been active on the boards of the Chamber of Commerce and the Napa chapter of the American Cancer Society.

Dr. Rose, a Democrat, received his medical degree from the University of Louisville (Kentucky) in 1943 and served as a captain in the U.S. Army between 1944 and 1946.

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#473

Governor Ronald Reagan today reappointed John B. Zimmerman of Norwalk to the state Structural Pest Control Board in the Department of Consumer Affairs.

Zimmerman, 60-year-old owner of Norwalk Travel Center, has served on the board since May 1971. He will receive \$25 per diem during a term which expires June 1, 1978.

In addition to his own business, Zimmerman is director of maintenance operations and transportation for Cerritos College and is mayor of Norwalk. He also served as mayor in 1960 and 1963 and has been on the city council since 1957.

He is active in Boy Scout work, Toastmasters International, Kiwanis and Chamber of Commerce. He is a Republican.

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#474

Governor Ronald Reagan today congratulated Nelson Rockefeller on his nomination as vice president by President Gerald Ford:

"I have had the pleasure of working with Nelson Rockefeller for several years while he was governor of New York. He is a fine citizen who can make an effective contribution to the leadership of our country.

"Both Vice President Rockefeller and the President have my support in the difficult tasks ahead."

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#475

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the reappointment of Wayne L. Scott of Culver City as a member of the state Teachers' Retirement Board.

Scott, a 48-year-old Democrat, has been a member of the board since 1971. He was named to a full four-year term, expiring July 1, 1978.

A teacher in the Industrial Arts Department of the Culver City Junior High School, Scott holds Bachelor and Master's degrees from Los Angeles State College. He has been a teacher for 20 years.

Board members receive their actual expenses when on official business.

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#476

Mrs. Cleatter H. Saul of El Cerrito was appointed director of the state Office of Economic Opportunity, Governor Ronald Reagan announced today.

Mrs. Saul, who served three years as a member of the advisory board to the Department of Human Resources Development, fills the vacancy created by the resignation of Salvador J. Espana, Jr. Espana resigned to enter private business.

She is the wife of Harold Saul, a supervising parole officer in the state's Department of Corrections.

Mrs. Saul is a member of the El Cerrito branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, a past president of the League of Women Voters for the Richmond area, and is a member of the nominating committee of the Contra Costa County Mental Health Association.

She attended Southern University at Baton Rouge, Louisiana and Xavier University in New Orleans.

Mrs. Saul will receive an annual salary of \$28,404.

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#477

Governor Ronald Reagan today appointed Robert J. Keyes of Burbank as a member of the Council on Intergovernmental Relations.

Keyes, a 38-year-old Republican and former professional football player with the San Francisco 49ers and the Oakland Raiders, served as assistant to the governor for community relations from 1967-72. He resigned to become corporate director in charge of urban affairs with the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation in Burbank.

A 1962 graduate of the University of San Diego, Keyes succeeds Ruth A. Green of San Diego. Mrs. Green resigned. His term expires in December, 1975.

He is a member of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, the Urban League, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and a former member of the President's Advisory Council on Minority Business Enterprises.

Council members receive their necessary expenses.

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#478

Governor Ronald Reagan today nominated Robert L. Vickers, director of the Office of Emergency Services, and Charles L. Swezey of Palo Alto to four-year terms as commissioners on the state's Workmen's Compensation Appeals Board.

The appointments require confirmation by the state Senate.

Vickers, a 55-year-old Republican, has been director of the Office of Emergency Services since June of this year. He had been deputy director since April of 1971. He will resign his OES position to assume his new responsibilities.

A retired member of the Judge Advocate General's Department with the U.S. Air Force, Vickers is a graduate of East Texas Baptist College and received his law degree in 1949 from Tulane University in New Orleans.

Vickers will replace Robert W. Sigg of Carmichael who is resigning effective September 1 of this year.

Swezey, a career civil servant, has been a member of the board's staff since July, 1971. He has served as a referee, staff counsel and was named deputy commissioner in 1973.

A 51-year-old Republican, Swezey succeeds Roy L. Wonder of San Francisco. Wonder resigned to accept appointment as a judge of the Municipal Court in San Francisco.

Swezey is a graduate of Cornell University in Ithaca, New York and received his law degree from Stanford University.

Workmen's Compensation Appeals Board commissioners receive an annual salary of \$37,615.

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#479

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointments of F. Herschell Mills, assistant director of the state Department of Food and Agriculture; David K. Marty, assistant secretary for the Resources Agency, and Wayne E. Rodgers, chief of the administrative services division of the state Water Resources Control Board, as members of the Intergovernmental Board on Electronic Data Processing.

The governor also named O. D. Russell, associate superintendent of the Department of Education, as an alternate member.

Mills, a 50-year-old Republican, replaces Raymond S. Long of Sacramento. Long has resigned. Mills has been assistant director of the Department of Food and Agriculture since 1972.

Marty, a 37-year-old Republican, fills the vacancy created by the resignation of Terry Eagan of Sacramento. He has been assistant secretary for the Resources Agency since April of this year.

Rodgers, a 37-year-old Democrat, succeeds Laurance Turner of Sacramento. Turner has resigned. Rodgers has been chief of the division of administrative services for the state Water Resources Control Board since June of 1973.

Russell is a 50-year-old Democrat and has been associate superintendent for the Department of Education since 1973.

Board members receive no compensation in addition to their regular state salaries.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

Representatives of the Governor's Office, People's
Lobby and the California Citizen Action Group (the
Ralph Nader political action organization) will hold a
news conference at 2 p.m. today in Room 1190 of the
State Capitol.

Subject of the news conference will be the program
of campaign reform legislation on which the legislature
has thus far failed to take action.

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Governor Ronald Reagan announced today that he has signed the following bills:

- AB 729 (McAlister)
Chapter 512
- Defines terms regarding employment, classification, status, and disciplinary action, for purposes of provisions applicable to school classified personnel employed by nonmerit system school districts. The bill makes such definitions inapplicable to any school district which during the 1973-74 school year had an average daily attendance of 100,000 or more. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 1234 (Wilson)
Chapter 513
- Requires that the application or proposal for a claims-made policy of legal or medical malpractice insurance shall recite prominently and conspicuously at the heading thereof that it is an application or proposal for a claims-made policy, and that the face page of the policy contain a notice that it is limited to claims made while the policy is in force. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 1946 (McAlister)
Chapter 514
- Mandates that the court obtain an assignment of wages from all parents who are delinquent in payment of child support for two or more months. Provides for the termination of the assignment of wages upon petition of the assignor after eighteen months of continuous and uninterrupted payments of the full amounts currently due. The assignment of wages is directed to all future employers, and is for future wages. The employer pursuant to this bill has the right to deduct one dollar from the employee's wages for each assignment order so processed. In addition, the bill prohibits the employer from dismissing any employee because his check is attached. Also appropriates \$54,000 to the Department of Justice. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 2786 (Chappie)
Chapter 515
- Makes certain collection procedures for delinquent water and sewer service fees or charges applicable to garbage service fees or charges. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 2859 (Dunlap)
Chapter 531
- Requires local agency formation commissions to consider the existence and maintenance of agricultural preserves and other open space lands in determining the sphere of influence for each local governmental agency. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 2878 (Duffy)
Chapter 516
- Revises educational and training requirements for licensure as a registered nurse. Requires an accredited school of nursing which is not an institution of higher education to agree with a local community college to grant an associate of arts degree to such nursing school's graduates. Also requires the Board of Nursing Education and Nurse Registration, effective January 1, 1975, to determine the educational requirements required for licensure as a registered nurse and to deny accreditation to any school of nursing which does not offer all the courses required for licensure as a registered nurse within specified time limits. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 2919 (Bannai)
Chapter 517

Provides that no ward or dependent child of the juvenile court detained or committed to any state facility shall be permitted to come or remain in contact with any adult who has been charged with the commission of any sex offense for which registration is required of the convicted offender and who has been committed to any state hospital or other state facility under specified provisions of law regarding the commitment of insane persons. "Contact" for purposes of the bill does not include participation in supervised group therapy or other supervised treatment activities. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3003 (Chappie)
Chapter 518

Makes it unlawful to enter upon any posted lands or waters of a licensed domesticated fish breeder without the written permission of the owner or lessee of the land. Prohibits posting of signs to prevent the public from fishing in any waters where such public fishing rights existed prior to the effective date of the act or to exclude public access to waters impounded by a dam where the public is accorded the right to fish pursuant to specified provisions. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3104 (Meade)
Chapter 519

Prohibits a petroleum corporation or distributor from compelling or influencing retail dealers to engage in the free giveaway of any item of value. Provides that the decision to participate in giveaways shall be solely that of the retail gasoline dealer. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3122 (Papan)
Chapter 509

Authorizes the legislative body of any city to compensate the trustees of the public library for their services in an amount not to exceed \$50 per month. Also changes the termination of terms of specified trustees of unincorporated library districts. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3156 (Quimby)
Chapter 520

Clarifies the definition of "unmatured principal", as used in the bond redemption provisions of the Improvement Act of 1911, to specify that unmatured principal means only those installments of principal of assessment bonds payable in the future for which no corresponding interest installments will be payable in the course of discharging the assessment lien by paying off the bond. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3162 (Powers)
Chapter 521

Specifies that on or after July 1, 1980, any license of a real estate broker or salesman which has been inactive for a continuous period of 5 years, rather than 10 years, may be reinstated or renewed if the licensee has met the examination requirement of an original applicant.

AB 3195 (MacDonald)
Chapter 522

Amends various provisions of the Land Surveyors Act and Subdivision Map Act relating to the correction of records of survey and subdivision maps. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3245 (Cory)
Chapter 523

Revises provisions of the Education Code and Labor Code relating to the participation by minors in horseback riding exhibitions, contests, or events, as defined. Permits such participation without the need of obtaining a work permit. Effective immediately.

- AB 3260 (Chappie)
Chapter 524
- Repeals the provision prohibiting the Fish and Game Commission from adopting artificial flies or lures only fishing in Placer, Nevada, and Sierra counties, and further requires the Department of Fish and Game to post any stream restricted to the use of artificial flies or lures at logical places of entry. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 3319 (Craven)
Chapter 525
- Allows the San Diego Flood Control District to regulate by permit the discharge of pollutants into its water supplies. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 3499 (Knox)
Chapter 526
- Provides that boards of supervisors, by a four-fifths vote, may provide that amounts received from insurance which are either in excess of the amount anticipated or not set forth in the county budget may be made available for specific appropriation. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 3564 (Kapiloff)
Chapter 527
- Permits the legislative body issuing bonds pursuant to the Improvement Act of 1911 to establish different periods of maturity so that some assessments, rather than smaller assessments, may be made to mature in less time than others. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 3601 (Deddeh)
Chapter 528
- Provides for execution and delivery to the Insurance Commissioner of a power of attorney to deal with workmen's compensation securities deposited with the commissioner. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 3646 (Thurman)
Chapter 529
- Changes the composition of the advisory committee to the Board of Vocational Nurse and Psychiatric Technician Examiners. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 3901 (Wood)
Chapter 530
- Includes contracts of sale within the Code of Civil Procedures provision precluding a condemnation award for encumbered land from including any penalty for prepayment of the encumbrance. Effective January 1, 1975.
- AB 3951 (Briggs)
Chapter 508
- Provides that the Orange County Transit District may impose a sales tax of up to one percent for any district purpose, provided that the proposition is approved by board of directors by a 2/3 vote and by a majority of the voters. Also provides that 25 percent of the revenue, for the first three years be allocated to Orange County, and the cities therein, on the basis of population for transit purposes. Effective immediately.
- AB 4057 (Beverly)
Chapter 507
- Provides that the maximum property tax rate of a general law city shall be \$1 if an election to form such city was held prior to the effective date of the legislation imposing limitations on property tax rates but such formation was completed after such date. Effective immediately.
- AB 4491 (Mobley)
Chapter 506
- Permits the board of directors of the Kingsburg Hospital District to call an election on the matter of tax rate increase for the Kingsburg Hospital District and validates acts of the district board calling such election. Effective immediately.

SB 1941 (Way)
Chapter 510

Provides that the failure of handlers or cooperative bargaining associations to negotiate in good faith for price, terms of sales or compensation for commodities produced under contract, is an unfair trade practice. Effective January 1, 1975.

SB 2067 (Bradley)
Chapter 511

Provides that a person who is not otherwise entitled to appointment as an administrator with the will annexed may be so appointed, if nominated by a person who is a resident of the United States and who takes more than 50 percent of the estate under the decedent's will. This amendment will permit the person who takes the bulk of the estate to nominate the personal representative (administrator with the will annexed), thereby facilitating administration of the estate by persons, including the nominator, most closely related to the decedent or associated with his estate. Effective January 1, 1975.

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#481

ROUND VALLEY/MODOC CO. FAIR VISIT - AUG. 22, 1974

7:50 Press planes depart for Covelo Air Strip
a.m. Governor Reagan depart SEX for Covelo Air Strip (passenger list below) "fly over" Round Valley to view general area
9:30 Arrive Covelo for tour of Round Valley
Met by: Richard Wilson, Cattle Rancher in Round Valley
Joe Russ, Chairman, Indian Council
Board school bus to tour Chadwick Project, Site of Indian Medical Clinic (destroyed by fire this year), Indian farm lands
10:45 Arrive Round Valley Inn - proceed to banquet room
Meet with Indian Council
11:05 General Reception - Round Valley Inn Banquet Room
11:25 Depart Round Valley Inn for Wilson Ranch
11:40 Arrive Wilson Ranch - lunch
12:05 Press depart for Covelo Air Strip
12:15 Press planes depart Covelo Air Strip for Cedarville Air Strip
12:45 Depart Wilson Ranch for Covelo Air Strip
1:00 Depart Covelo Air Strip for Cedarville Air Strip
1:30 Press planes arrive Cedarville Air Strip
1:45 Proceed to Modoc Fair
3:30 Press planes depart Cedarville Air Strip
4:15 Arrive SEX

Fish and Game Plane

Jim Stearns (co-pilot)
John Teerink
Brunel Christensen
Senator Behr
Senator Berryhill
Harold J. Powers
Jack Woodard

Walt Wiley

Agriculture & Services Plane (King Air)

Clyde Walthall (co-pilot)
~~Harlin Smith~~ - Sacramento Bee Photographer
Geo. Frank - United Press International
Evans Witt - Associated Press
Bill Ihle - KHSL-TV
Tom Woods - Group W
Karl Kramer - UPI photographer
Walt Zeboski - AP photographer

Agriculture & Services Plane (310)

Norman Livermore, Secretary, Resources Agency
Al Donner - Sacramento Union
John Iander - McClatchy Radio
Paul Artian - McClatchy Television

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointments of Assemblyman Robert G. (Bob) Wood (R-Greenfield), and Rudy C. Garcia, communications director of the state's Health and Welfare Agency, to four-year terms as members of the Adult Authority.

The nominations require confirmation by the state Senate.

Wood, a 58-year-old Republican, has represented the 34th Assembly District in Monterey County since winning a special election in June of 1969. His district was eliminated when the legislature was reapportioned by the state's Supreme Court in 1973. He did not seek election after the court's decision.

A former chairman of the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, Wood attended Ventura Junior College, the University of California at Davis, and received his BS degree in 1938 from the University of California at Los Angeles.

He served on the Greenfield Board of Education for 10 years, is a former district president of the Monterey County Farm Bureau, and is a former chairman of the Central Coast Counties Supervisors' Association.

He will fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Charles E. Brown of Moraga. Wood will assume his new responsibilities with the Adult Authority December 2, 1974.

Garcia, 44, who makes his home in Sacramento, is a retired lieutenant commander with the U.S. Navy.

As commanding officer of several naval ships, Garcia served as president of special court martials and was also a summary court officer. He was also legal assistance officer on a number of ships and graduated from the Navy's Career Counseling School at Newport, Rhode Island.

Garcia, former associate press secretary to Governor Reagan, attended San Diego City Evening College and successfully completed the Navy's College Level Examination. He also is a graduate of the Naval School of Justice.

He is active in Boy Scouts of America and organized new scouting units in minority areas of San Diego.

Garcia, a Republican, succeeds Daniel R. Lopez of Sacramento. Lopez has resigned. His appointment is effective immediately.

Adult Authority board members receive an annual salary of \$31,008.

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#483

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the reappointments of Mrs. Frank (Virginia) Murphy of Oroville and Mrs. John (Sally) Rakow of Ross to four-year terms as members of the state Scholarship and Loan Commission.

Mrs. Murphy, a Republican and a graduate of the University of Kansas, has been a member of the commission since 1967.

She is a member of the Board of Trustees of the Oroville Union High School District and a past president of the Oroville Red Cross.

Mrs. Rakow, a 1948 graduate of Dominican College, is a former elementary school teacher and received a Life Diploma in elementary education in 1955.

She is a member of the Board of Trustees of the Ross Elementary School District, secretary of the Marin County School Boards Association executive committee, and was elected in 1967 to the Marin County Committee on School District Organization.

Commission members receive their necessary expenses.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment of Brock Peters of Los Angeles as a member of the California Arts Commission and reappointed four members. All require confirmation by the state Senate.

Those named to new three-year terms were: Mrs. Martha S. Mosher of Portola Valley, Mrs. William (Jean) Smith of San Marino, Thomas C. Howe of San Francisco and Mrs. Christian (Nancy) Ebsen of Agoura.

Peters is the black actor-singer-producer-writer and the star of numerous motion pictures, television plays and stage productions. A native of Harlem, he is the co-founder with Arthur Mitchell and Cicely Tyson of the Dance Theatre of Harlem.

He also is a founding member of the board of Third World Cinema, set up as a training program for disadvantaged youngsters in the film industry to produce commercial films. Peters is a member of the board of directors of the National Urban League. He received his education at New York City, Chicago and the University of Chicago.

Peters, a Democrat, succeeds producer and director Mervyn Leroy of Beverly Hills. Leroy requested that he not be reappointed to the Commission.

Howe, director emeritus of the California Palace of the Legion of Honor in San Francisco, has been a member of the Commission since 1969. He is a political independent.

Mrs. Mosher, a Republican, has served on the Commission since 1973. She is a graduate of Stanford University with a major in drama.

Mrs. Smith, a Republican, has been a member of the Commission since 1971. A leader and patron of the arts in Southern California, she is a member of the board of directors of the Costume Council of the Los Angeles County Museum of Art.

Mrs. Ebsen, a Republican, was first appointed to the Commission in 1973. A 1940 graduate of Vassar, she is the wife of actor Buddy Ebsen. She taught drama at the Oakwood School in North Hollywood and has worked with a variety of community theater groups.

Commission members receive their necessary expenses.

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#485

Governor Ronald Reagan today issued the following statement while touring the Round Valley community of Mendocino County:

"It gives me great pleasure to visit this beautiful valley and its town of Covelo for the first time.

"Although in 1969, at the time of my Dos Rios decision, I was briefed in detail about this beautiful valley, its historic town of Covelo, and the Indian and other residents of the valley, I have not been able to visit it until now.

"By my action in 1969 in requesting that our Department of Water Resources and the Corps of Engineers seek water project alternatives that would not flood Round Valley, and by my signing the wild rivers legislation in 1972, I have affirmed my strong feeling that the protection in its natural state of this superb valley, and the preservation for as long a time as possible of the present status of free flowing rivers in this whole north coast country, has been and is a prime objective of my administration.

"While it is obviously not possible for me to make accurate long-term forecasts either social, economic, or environmental, let me emphasize to you members of the Round Valley community here today my strong hope that this valley and its community will never be flooded out of existence."

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#486

Michael B. Hingson, who is studying for a doctorate in physics at the University of California at Irvine, today was appointed by Governor Ronald Reagan to the state Board of Guide Dogs for the Blind.

Hingson, 24, is blind and has used a guide dog for 10 years. He replaces Harrison C. Alper of San Carlos, who resigned from the board. The unexpired term ends June 1, 1976.

The new appointee received a bachelor's degree with honors in physics at UC Irvine in June 1972. While on campus he aided in the development of a braille computer terminal for blind communication. Currently he is working on a project for the National Federation of the Blind which would lead to the building and marketing of an electronic calculator with a braille display.

Hingson was given a President's research fellowship which is partially financing exploration of a device that would permit blind persons to read printed books. During the spring he was a student teacher at University High School. In June he obtained a secondary teaching credential.

Off campus, Hingson tape records a radio program for station KUTY in Palmdale, which is aired each Sunday. He is program director of the UC Irvine campus radio station, KUCI, and has his own program.

He is president of the Orange County chapter of the National Federation of the Blind in California, co-chairman of the broadcast media subcommittee of the federation's public relations committee, and is a member of the NFBC's research and evaluation committee.

As a guide dog board member, Hingson will receive \$25 per day. He is not a registered voter.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

#487

GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE

August 26, 1974
through
September 2, 1974

Monday, August 26

No public appointments scheduled

Tuesday, August 27

11:30 a.m.

NEWS CONFERENCE

Wednesday, August 28

No public appointments scheduled

Thursday, August 29

Noon

Eureka Cal-Plan Luncheon, Eureka Inn

6:00 -

8:00 p.m.

Cal-Plan Reception for 8th Assembly District
candidate Ed Maybrun, Bob Kerr Residence,
2800 Warrington Road, Santa Rosa

Friday, August 30

No public appointments scheduled

Saturday, August 31

No public appointments scheduled

Sunday, September 1

No public appointments scheduled

Monday, September 2

Labor Day

No public appointments scheduled

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RELEASE: 2 P.M.
8-24-74

#488 (Released to UPI and AP
only)

Governor Ronald Reagan, speaking at a campaign event for Maryland Congressman Robert Bauman, today called for a reaffirmation of "the mandate of 1972 and the issues for which the great majority of Americans stand."

He cited federal legislation to create a Consumer Protection Agency, compulsory national health insurance and federal control of land use planning as examples of "ideas which are contrary to the wishes of the American people as expressed in that mandate."

Addressing a crowd of more than 3,000 of Bauman's campaign workers at the annual Bull Roast picnic in Centerville, outside of Baltimore, Reagan said of the 1972 Presidential election, "never in the lifetime of any of us have the issues been more clearly defined. The people were offered a planned Utopia, the culmination of 40 years effort by those who would redefine our national purpose. This involved confiscation and redistribution of earnings on a scale never before attempted, to be administered through centralized planning of the economy and domination of our private lives. The voters rejected this invitation to Utopia and reaffirmed the basic values on which our system has been built. They voted for fiscal responsibility and a determination of their own individual destinies. If you had to label it, you would say America voted to be conservative, not liberal.

"They repudiated the idea that government should grow bigger and bigger; that we should have deficit spending and higher and higher taxes; that we should embrace more costly programs to alleviate human misery---programs which somehow never succeed no matter how much money is spent on them."

He said, "The mandate of 1972 was a matter of The People versus Big Government---what Cicero called 'the arrogance of officialdom.'"

Reagan urged voters to question the 1974 candidates sharply. "Many may pay lip service to reducing government's size and pervasive influence, but pin them down as to their stand on specific issues." He cited the recently defeated land use bill as an example. "It will surface again, wearing the respectable label of 'environmental protection.' In fact, it is a threat to the basic concept of private ownership of property."

About the Consumer Protection Agency Act, which has passed the House and is now being debated in the Senate, Reagan said it would permit the administrator of the new agency to have virtually unlimited authority to challenge existing regulatory agencies and to set standards for everything produced and sold.

Although compulsory national health insurance appears dead for this session of Congress, Reagan questioned the need for it at all. "We have a right to ask if anyone has established whether this is truly needed," he said. He called for finding ways "to cover the approximately five to 10 percent of our people not now covered by private or public health programs, and to open a national dialogue on insurance which would cover catastrophic illness."

Of inflation, Reagan said that sharp cuts in government spending are necessary without delay, and that attempts to fight inflation by raising taxes are "like giving a drunk another drink to sober him up."

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#489

Governor Ronald Reagan today reappointed Dr. John P. Morris of San Bernardino and Mrs. Juanita W. Shaffer of Palo Alto to the state Developmental Disabilities Planning and Advisory Council.

Both are Republicans and have served on the council since March 1972, receiving their actual and necessary expenses.

Dr. Morris, 48, is associate director of pediatrics at San Bernardino County General Hospital. He also is associate clinic professor of pediatrics at UCLA's Pediatric Neurology Clinic and superintendent of the health department of the San Bernardino City Unified School District.

He is a long-time director of the San Bernardino County Epilepsy Society and member of several professional societies.

Dr. Morris is a graduate of the University of Virginia and Yale University's Medical School.

Mrs. Shaffer is a health education consultant associated with Santa Clara County's public health nurses and the Santa Clara County Office of Economic Opportunity.

A member of the American Association on Mental Deficiency and the National Association to Aid Retarded Children, Inc., Mrs. Shaffer holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Southern California and a master's from Stanford University.

She has been a guest lecturer at San Jose State, San Francisco State and the University of California Medical Center's School of Nursing in San Francisco.

New terms for the appointees will expire March 4, 1976.

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#490

Arthur A. Walton, Newport Beach DPM, and James B. Kuhn, San Diego accounting firm executive, today were appointed by Governor Ronald Reagan to the state Podiatry Examining Committee in the Department of Consumer Affairs.

Walton, a 34-year-old graduate of the California College of Podiatric Medicine in San Francisco, replaces Robert J. Hughes, Jr., of Highland, whose term expired.

Kuhn, 45, is a principal in West, Blue and Kuhn Accounting Corporation. He replaces William L. Marlin of Panorama City, whose term expired.

Walton has been an active member of the Orange County Podiatry Association during his seven years practice there and is the current association president. He is actively affiliated with Beach Community Hospital in Buena Park and Fountain Valley Community Hospital.

Kuhn, prior to joining his firm last year, was vice president of ESD Corporation and Colorado Corporation and had been in three CPA partnerships since his graduation from San Diego State University in 1953. His CPA certificate was earned in 1955.

Both appointees are Republicans. They will receive \$25 per day while on committee duty. Their terms will expire June 1, 1978.

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#491

Dr. Earl W. Brian, Jr., former California Secretary of Health and Welfare, today was reappointed by Governor Ronald Reagan to the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education.

Dr. Brian, 32, has served on the commission since December 1972, receiving necessary travel expenses. His new term, subject to Senate confirmation, will expire October 12, 1977.

The appointee, while serving his surgical internship at Stanford University in 1967, was appointed executive secretary of the state Social Welfare Board.

The following year he began a two-year tour of duty in the U.S. Army, earning the Silver Star, Bronze Star and the Air Medal with a "V" for valor for service in Vietnam.

Upon leaving the military, Dr. Brian was appointed by the governor as director of the state Department of Health Care Services, which today is a part of the Department of Health. He was 27 then and the youngest department director in the history of California government.

In May 1972 Governor Reagan appointed Dr. Brian to his cabinet, as health and welfare secretary, giving him the responsibility for formulating and implementing policies and programs for six departments with a \$6.6 billion budget. The doctor left that post last January to seek the Republican nomination for U.S. Senator, losing in the June primary to state Senator H. L. (Bill) Richardson.

The graduate of Duke University's School of Medicine is now an associate professor at the University of Southern California School of Medicine.

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Governor Ronald Reagan announced today that he has signed the following bills:

AB 2289 - Keene
Chapter 548

Permits the Fish and Game Commission to authorize the live capture and relocation of fully protected birds pursuant to a permit for the protection of livestock. Includes the brown pelican and the golden eagle as fully protected birds which may not be taken or possessed at any time. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 2994 - Alatorre
Chapter 549

Requires local health departments in counties containing a population of which 10 percent or more speak a native language other than English, to make available family planning informational materials in such language. Also requires the State Department of Health to make available, upon request, a translation, other than in English, of family planning informational materials normally distributed to the general public. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3022 - Dunlap
Chapter 550

Increases the mileage fee of trial jurors in all cases in the Solano County Superior Court from \$0.14 to \$0.15 per mile traveled one way each day. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3065 - Boatwright
Chapter 551

Provides that when one person has been appointed trustee by will or appointed by the court to execute trusts under decrees which are substantially identical, the court may upon a trustee's application order combination of the trust assets and administration of the trusts as one if it determines such administration is consistent with trustor's intent and will not defeat or impair the beneficiaries' interest. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3126 - Greene, L.
Chapter 552

Specifies that the Industrial Welfare Commission instead of the California Division of Industrial Welfare may specify exceptions to requirements regarding gratuities. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3227 - Lewis
Chapter 553

Permits the governing board of any school district to provide ambulance service for individuals in attendance at district athletic activities. Also revises the requirement that physicians employed by a school district hold specified credential to perform health services in addition to the valid certificates to practice medicine by exempting physicians employed for less than half time from the health service credential requirement. Effective immediately.

AB 3275 - Lewis
Chapter 554

Provides for purposes of retirement systems established pursuant to the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 that persons who have been retired may serve temporarily as judges when assigned by the chairman of the judicial council without reinstatement or loss of benefits. Also permits receipt of credit by elective or appointive county officials for uncompensated service as city councilman if provision is adopted by the board of supervisors. Effective immediately.

AB 3391 - MacGillivray
Chapter 555

Increases mileage reimbursement of jurors in Santa Barbara County from 10 cents to 13 cents for each mile actually traveled to attend court or meetings of the grand jury. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3468 - Brown
Chapter 556

Revises requirements which prohibit the Trustees of the California State University and Colleges from charging a non-resident tuition fee to foreign students who have lived continuously in the United States for three years, have graduated from California high schools, and have not received assistance from any public or private agency or a foreign government by providing instead, that such students must not have been admitted into the United States for permanent residence, must have attended California public schools, having a regular curriculum, as full-time students for six consecutive academic semesters, culminating in receipt of a high school diploma during their required three years stay in California immediately preceding the residence determination date; and any assistance received did not come from any public or private agency or any government. Effective immediately.

AB 3544 - Ralph
Chapter 557

Provides that local retirement systems investments report to the Joint Legislative Audit Committee shall be in the form prescribed by the committee. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3565 - Boatwright
Chapter 559

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Permits county board of supervisors to contract for architectural and building security matters as well as other special services. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3566 - Boatwright
Chapter 558

Permits a county board of supervisors to delegate to a county official or employee the power to accept any gift, bequest, or devise made to or in favor of the county, if the value does not exceed \$100. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3624 - Knox
Chapter 560

Eliminates Revenue and Taxation Code provision allowing suspension of a corporation for failure to notify the Franchise Tax Board of its accounting period for tax purposes within nine months after incorporation or qualification. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3638 - Greene, L.
Chapter 547

Revises Education Code provisions affecting the lease or lease-purchase of school equipment, building, and property. Includes provisions for formation of a non-profit corporation for the sales of bonds, to finance the lease-purchase of school facilities and equipment. Effective immediately.

AB 3705 - Kapiloff
Chapter 561

Validates technical or procedural errors or omissions in functions of taxing agencies and revenue districts. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3792 - Gonsalves
Chapter 532

Authorizes the Southern California Rapid Transit District to expend the funds derived from a specified transactions and use tax for the maintenance and operation of the district's mass transit guideway system and its related fixed facilities, as well as for capital financing. Redefines "included municipal operator." Also authorizes the district to submit a single proposition, and use tax for

(1) capital financing and (2) fare reduction and maintenance and operation. Requires the special election for the submission of such a single proposition to be consolidated with the November 5, 1974, general election if certain requirements are met. Effective immediately.

AB 3933 - Murphy
Chapter 562

Changes the terms "exemption claimant" and "claimant" to "debtor" in Code of Civil Procedure provision granting specified exemption from execution for a motor vehicle. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3938 - Deddeh
Chapter 563

Revises provisions of the Unruh Act relating to the allocation of payments to various purchases under retail installment accounts. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 3954 - Badham
Chapter 564

Increases jurisdiction of county assessment hearing officers to hear applications for reductions in assessments on property having an assessed value of not more than \$25,000 rather than \$12,500. Effective January 1, 1975.

AB 4158 - Nimmo
Chapter 565

Directs the Department of Transportation to transfer without cost, 38 acres known as Moonstone Beach, in San Luis Obispo County to the Department of Parks and Recreation. Effective January 1, 1975.

SB 1501 - Rodda
Chapter 533

Permits the issuance of an alcoholic beverage club license to any non-profit corporation whose principal purpose is to promote cultural ties and understanding between citizens of a foreign country or commonwealth and citizens of the United States, provided that such club does not restrict its membership on the basis of race, religion, national origin, or sex. Effective immediately.

SB 1562 - Way
Chapter 534

Increases the maximum annual compensation that may be paid the chairman of the California Water Commission from \$2,500 to \$3,000. Effective January 1, 1975.

SB 1588 - Way
Chapter 536

Revises amounts of certain approved expenditures for recreation land acquisition, and certain approved joint cost allocations for recreation and fish and wildlife enhancement associated with state water projects, made by the Department of Water Resources. Effective January 1, 1975.

SB 1630 - Biddle
Chapter 537

Designates Interstate Route 15 between Devore and Temecula as State Route 15 and rennumbers other state routes in the vicinity. Effective immediately.

SB 1785 - Berryhill
Chapter 538

Includes any person who for compensation assists another person to locate, take, photograph, or view any bird, mammal, fish, amphibian, or reptile as a guide who must secure a guide license from the Department of Fish and Game. Provides for a \$25 fee for residents and \$100 fee for nonresidents for issuance of a guide license. Requires applicants for a guide license to submit proof of possession of a surety bond and to possess an unexpired first aid certificate. Also authorizes the Fish and Game Commission to revoke a guide license upon specified grounds. Effective January 1, 1975.

SB 1795 - Way
Chapter 540

Amends the Food and Agricultural Code to exempt the requirement that honey can be marketed only in containers for export in specified standard units of net weight. This will permit honey to be packed for export in unit weight containers which are in conformity with requirements in foreign countries. Effective January 1, 1975.

SB 1797 - Nejedly
Chapter 541

Prohibits commencement of operations of certain new solid waste sites except under specified circumstances and subject to specified exceptions, and requires that such sites be in conformance with the county solid waste management plan as approved by the Solid Waste Management Board. Effective January 1, 1975.

SB 1907 - Grunsky
Chapter 542

Authorizes the Director of General Services to acquire a fee or lesser interest in real and personal property located in San Benito County designated by the Director of Parks and Recreation. Requires the interest acquired to be transferred to the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks and Recreation for administration as a unit of the state park system. Requires the department to carry out a program in the unit of development, maintenance, administration, and conservation of trails and areas for the recreational use of off-highway vehicles and for other related state park purposes. Also appropriates \$1,900,000 from the Off-Highway Vehicle Fund to the Department of Parks and Recreation for the purposes of acquiring, developing, and administering the unit. Effective immediately.

SB 1917 - Nejedly
Chapter 543

Permits county purchasing agents to lease personal property of the county or of a special district not otherwise required for public use. Present law allows county purchasing agents to sell or dispose of such property. Effective January 1, 1975.

SB 2375 - Song
Chapter 544

Makes nonsubstantive amendments to Financial, Government, Insurance, Labor, Revenue and Taxation, and Unemployment Insurance Codes. Effective January 1, 1975.

SB 2376 - Song
Chapter 546

Makes nonsubstantive amendments to the Business and Professions, Civil, Elections, Evidence, Penal and Welfare and Institutions Codes. Effective January 1, 1975.

SB 2378 - Song
Chapter 545

Makes nonsubstantive amendments to the Education, Food and Agricultural, Health and Safety, Public Resources, Public Utilities, Street and Highways, Vehicle, and Water Codes. Effective January 1, 1975.

Governor Reagan also announced that he has vetoed the following bill:

AB 3301 - Bannai

Expands the present prohibition in the Civil Code against a deed restriction on real property which would preclude an owner from displaying a "for sale" sign on his property to similarly prohibit a deed restriction precluding a "for sale by agent" sign. Also allows the owner of residential real property or his agent to display a sign no larger than 18" x 24" advertising that the property is for sale, lease or exchange. The bill would preempt the provisions of local ordinances with regard to such signs.

REASON FOR VETO: "While I have no objections to the proposed change relating to void restrictions on the transfer of real property, I am concerned with the provisions which preempt local ordinances with respect to signs advertising the sale, lease, or exchange of residential real property. I agree with the position of the League of California Cities and several individual cities that the bill is contrary to the principle of local control and home rule."

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

At 3 p.m. today in the Governor's Council Room, Governor Reagan will meet with United Way campaign chairmen to kick off the 1974 United Way Campaign.

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At 4 p.m. today in the Governor's Office, Governor Reagan will sign AB 4513 (Lanterman) which restores \$18 million to the mental health budget.

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#493

California is experiencing another destructive wildland fire as a result of an arsonist who has set the Soboba fire in the mountains east of Hemet. By Thursday morning, the fire had burned 17,500 acres including more than two million board feet of valuable timber. The person or persons who started the fire have not been apprehended and continue to start fires in the Hemet, San Jacinto, Banning and Cabazon areas.

"I call upon the people of California and particularly those in Riverside County to be alert and report any information they may have which will lead to the arrest of those starting this or any other fire," Governor Reagan said.

"In accordance with the provisions of the Public Resources Code, a reward of \$500 will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons starting the Soboba or other wildland fires. If you have information, please contact your nearest unit of the California Division of Forestry or any local law enforcement agency."

Fires such as the one now raging out of control in Southern California consume enormous quantities of natural and recreational resources and require the utilization of massive amounts of firefighting personnel and equipment. The California Division of Forestry and the U.S. Forest Service now have 2,200 firefighters, 93 fire trucks, 15 bulldozers, 6 helicopters, and 14 airtankers trying to control this single fire. Six miles of the more than 30 mile perimeter of the fire is still open. Injuries to 10 firefighters have been reported as a result of the fire.

"I urge all Californians to help reduce man-caused fires by making information available so those who deliberately set fires such as this can be brought to justice," the governor concluded.

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointments of Richard E. Vahlstrom of Villa Park, Brian P. Parker of Pinole, James M. Geary of San Jose and Peter A. Hogenson of Long Beach as members of the board of directors of the California Crime Technological Research Foundation. The appointments require confirmation by the state Senate.

Vahlstrom, a 43-year-old Republican, is technical director of the computer development and manufacturing firm of Microdata Corporation in Irvine.

He fills the vacancy created by the resignation of Lambert T. Dolphin, Jr., of Palo Alto.

Vahlstrom is a graduate of Yale University. He will provide the board with expertise in research and development of computer systems technology.

Parker, 45, and a Democrat, succeeds Paul M. Whisenand of Costa Mesa. Whisenand has resigned.

A professor in the Department of Criminal Justice at California State University in Sacramento, Parker is a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He also holds a law degree from Northwestern and Masters and Doctorate degrees from the University of California at Berkeley.

Geary, 52, is sheriff of Santa Clara County. A political independent, he replaces Michael N. Canlis of Stockton. Canlis has resigned.

Elected sheriff in 1971, Geary attended the University of Connecticut and received his bachelor and master's degrees in Sociology from San Jose State College.

Hogenson, a 42-year-old Democrat, is a senior research engineer with the North American Aviation Space and Information Systems Division at Downey. He succeeds the late Alan A. Burrows of Orange.

A graduate of Yale University, Hogenson also holds a master's degree from Long Beach State College.

Members of the Foundation serve at the governor's pleasure. They are paid their actual and necessary expenses.

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#495

Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the appointment to a four-year term of Mary E. Bennett of Los Angeles as a member of the Physical Therapy Examining Committee in the Department of Consumer Affairs.

Miss Bennett, a Republican and associate professor, is director of the Physical Therapy Education Program in the Department of Health Science at California State University at Northridge. She succeeds Frank W. O'Neill of Manhattan Beach. O'Neill resigned and his term has expired.

A licensed physical therapist, Ms. Bennett is a 1945 graduate of Willamette University at Salem, Oregon and received her master's degree in 1952 from the University of Southern California.

Committee members receive \$25 a day per diem when on official business.

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MEMO TO THE PRESS

There will be a signing ceremony at 10 a.m., Friday,
August 30, in the Governor's Office on Senate Bill 1678,
which amends the law dealing with evidence in rape cases.
Senator Alan Robbins, author of the bill, will be present.

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El Centro businessman Bob L. Ellison today was appointed by Governor Ronald Reagan to fill a vacancy on the Imperial County Board of Supervisors.

Ellison, 47, owner of a wholesale bakery firm, lives in Imperial where he has been mayor and councilman. He replaces the late Supervisor Thomas Boley of Imperial County's Third District in the \$11,004 post.

The appointee is a past president of the Imperial Valley chapter of the League of California Cities, has been a director of the county's California Mid-Winter Fair since 1970 and served on the state Planning Advisory Committee in 1967.

Ellison is a Republican.

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GOVERNOR'S SCHEDULE
September 3, 1974
through
September 7, 1974

Tuesday, September 3

No public appointments scheduled

Wednesday, September 4

10:00 a.m.

NEWS CONFERENCE

2:00 p.m.

YPTV (High School Students from Rancho
Cotate, Casa Grande, Petaluma) News
Conference Room 1190

Thursday, September 5

10:00

SPECIAL NEWS CONFERENCE

Friday, September 6

7:30 a.m.

Host Committee Breakfast, Woodlake Inn

10:30 a.m.

AAA Pedestrian Safety Award Presentation
to the Governor

p.m.

Fundraiser for John Kehoe, 2210 Orlando
Road, San Marino

Saturday, September 7

No appointments scheduled

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Governor Ronald Reagan today announced the following bill has been vetoed:

AB 4500 - Berman This bill would move the meeting of the state Democratic Convention from August to January.

REASON FOR VETO:

1. State party conventions serve a genuine purpose. They array each party's candidates, as a ticket, in a public forum and they present for the voters' consideration the platform of issues on which the party's candidates run for office. It would have deprived the candidates of the Democratic Party of a platform on which to campaign and it would have deprived the voters of knowing the party's stand on issues, for it would have moved the date of the party's convention from August to next January. The problem would have reoccurred subsequently in each general election year.
2. The bill would have made the Democratic Party the only one to hold its convention and adopt its platform after the election.
3. The bill was hastily and tardily conceived in order to cover the embarrassment of the chairman of the Democratic Party, who violated the Elections Code by failing to notify the Secretary of State by July 1, 1974 of the date of his party's convention, prescribed by law to take place in August. The Secretary of State ignored the violation until it was brought to his attention by the news media. Then, rather than enforce the law, he and the party chairman sought to change it.
4. The bill was passed as an urgency measure. This is an inappropriate and spurious use of the urgency clause, for the bill was not, in fact, "necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety" of the state or its people.

Accordingly, I am returning the bill unsigned.

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#499

Z'berg

Governor Ronald Reagan today signed legislation, AB 4428, to
compensate state employees for the loss of budgeted salary increases
denied last year by the Federal Cost of Living Council.

The one-time payment will average 4.2 percent a month for most state employees for the 10-month period when the money was withheld.

The Federal Cost of Living Council ruled that the average increase granted by the legislature for 1973-74 be limited to 7.8 percent for civil service and related employees and 7.5 percent for non-academic employees at the University of California and the State Colleges.

The bill appropriates funds necessary to increase the salary of state employees for the month of September, 1974 in an amount equal to what they would have received from July 1, 1973 to April 30, 1974.

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