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TO: ALL COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS LETTER NO.: 08-12  
ALL COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS  
ALL COUNTY MEDI-CAL PROGRAM SPECIALISTS/LIASONS  
ALL COUNTY HEALTH EXECUTIVES  
ALL COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH DIRECTORS

SUBJECT: ECONOMIC STIMULUS ACT OF 2008

The purpose of this letter is to instruct the counties regarding the Economic Stimulus Act of 2008 (H.R. 5140) signed by President George W. Bush on February 13, 2008.

H.R.5140, Title I, Section § 101 amends Section § 6428 of the Internal Revenue Code. In general, the amendment allows a credit for individuals (\$600) and married couples (\$1,200) for the first taxable year beginning in 2008.

The stimulus bill language provides that credits or refunds issued under the stimulus bill are **not** to be counted income or resources in the month of receipt, and for the following two months for the purposes of determining Medi-Cal eligibility or share of cost.

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