

September 3, 2003



Ms. Paula Higashi, Executive Director
Commission on State Mandates
980 Ninth Street, Suite 300
Sacramento, California 95814

Re: Test Claim Representation

Dear Paula:

Below is a list of test claims my office is currently seeking authorizations to act as the claimants' representative before the Commission on State Mandates. Effective September 8, 2003, please add my name and address to each of the corresponding mail lists, as we will begin representing the claimants in these matters. We are working with the claimants and Spector, Middleton, Young & Minney, LLP to obtain new Authorizations to Act as Representative from each of the claimants and MCS/ed will file them as they are completed.

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- *Acquisition of Agricultural Land for a School Site*
- *CELDT*
- *Healthy Schools Act of 2000*
- *Notification to Teachers: Pupils Subject to Suspension or Expulsion II*
- *The Stull Act*
- *Adult Education Enrollment Reporting*
- *CalSTRS Creditable Compensation*
- *High School Exit Examination*
- *School Accountability Report Cards II*

Please use the following as the new contact information on the claims listed above:

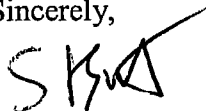
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Spector, Middleton, Young & Minney, LLP will continue representing the claimants in the following claims: (1) *Charter Schools Collective Bargaining*; and (2) *Charter Schools III*.

If you have any questions or comments concerning this letter, please feel free to contact me at (916) 669-0888.

Sincerely,



Steve Smith
Governmental & Client Relations Manager