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County Clerk/Registrar of Voters (CC/ROV) Memorandum #14206

TO: All County Clerks/Registrars of Voters

FROM: /s/ Jana M. Lean

Chief, Elections Division

RE: General Election: Ballot Labels

The Public Display period for the November Ballot Labels and Titles and Summaries has now ended.

On Monday, August 11, 2014, Governor Brown signed two pieces of urgency legislation that affect the November 4, 2014, General Election Voter Information Guide, sample ballots, and ballots. Both took effect immediately.

First, Senate Bill 1195, Chapter 187 of the Statutes of 2014, postpones the printing of the November 4, 2014, General Election Voter Information Guide to Wednesday, August 13, 2014. Chapter 187 may be viewed at http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=201320140SB11 95&search_keywords=.

Second, Senate Bill 867, Chapter 186 of the Statutes of 2014, renumbers Proposition 44 (State Budget; Constitutional Amendment) to Proposition 2. Chapter 186 directs the Secretary of State and all County Elections Officials to revise all materials that reference Proposition 44 to reference instead Proposition 2. This includes any references to Proposition 44 in candidate statements. Chapter 186 may be viewed at http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=201320140SB86 7&search keywords=.

Finally, in Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association and Jon Coupal v. Debra Bowen, in her official capacity as the Secretary of State of the State of California, respondent, Legislature of the State of California, Real Party in Interest, the California Supreme Court ordered that Proposition 49 is to be removed from the November 4, 2014, General Election ballot completely.

The final ballot labels will be sent later this week.

If you have any questions, you may contact me by email at <u>jana.lean@sos.ca.gov</u> or by phone at (916) 657-2166.