TO: The California Department of Social Services, County Child Welfare Agencies, Probation Departments and Law Enforcement Agencies

The Department of Justice (DOJ) is mandated to revise the retention period for the listing of any juvenile who was entered into the Child Abuse Central Index (CACI) repository with the passage of Chapter 848, Statutes of 2012 (Assembly Bill 1707). This new law amends Sections 11169 and 11170 of the Penal Code relating to the CACI.

Effective January 1, 2013, any person listed in the CACI repository prior to reaching 18 years of age will be deleted 10 years from the date of the incident if no subsequent report concerning the same person was received during the 10-year period.

Questions regarding this bulletin may be sent to CACI-Inquiry@doj.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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