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San Francisco - CA.
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December 16 - 1970

Governor Ronald Reagan
State Capital
Sacramento - CA.

Dear Governor Reagan

Many of us will be
watching closely to see
how you vote on the
Federal Funding of the
CRLA program for 1971

I would like to see
you vote against this
Controversial program

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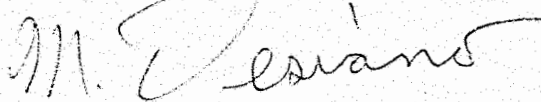
Governor Ronald Reagan
800 Capital Mall
Sacramento, Calif. 95814

Attention: Mr. Lew Uhler, O.E.O.

Dear Sir:

I am very much in favor of your veto on the \$1,600,000.00
bill for CRLA grant.

Very truly yours,


M. Desiano

cc

UNION CREDIT COMPANY

830 MARKET STREET • SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA 94102 • 392-6338

December 23, 1970

Governor Ronald Reagan
State Capitol
Sacramento, California

Re; California Rural Legal Assistance

Dear Governor Reagan:

We would like to urge that you veto the Federal grant that supports the California Rural Legal Assistance program.

Our office as well as many of our associates in the collection field find it a waste of money.

In most all instances of contacts made to us on behalf of delinquent debtors the attorney or as in some instances a law clerk of CRLA merely sets up a payment program which the debtor himself could have done with us on the same basis.

Also, the Legal Aid Society in our city has openly published statements that they can handle these situations on behalf of debtors in the same manner.

In our opinion the CRLA program is a complete waste of the tax payers money and should be terminated.

Sincerely,

Lester T. Goldmeyer
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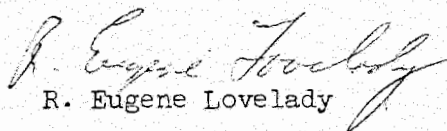
December 23, 1970

Mr. Lew Uhler
Office of Economic Opportunity
808 Capitol Mall
Sacramento, California 95814

Dear Mr. Uhler:

At a time when both the Federal and State governments are hard pressed to meet the requirements for funds in critical need areas, I see no reason why the expenditure of nearly two million dollars by the federal government and the attendant additional costs of administering the program by the state should be made for the benefit of the C R L A. I strongly recommend that you not override the Governor of the State of California in his refusal of this proposal.

Sincerely,


R. Eugene Lovelady

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December 15, 1970

Hon. Ronald Reagan
Governor of the State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, California

Dear Governor Reagan:

I received the enclosed letter and clipping from one Rev. Eugene J. Boyle, who apparently has the approval of the Archbishop of San Francisco to circulate this material among Catholic parishes and parishioners.

In response to the suggestion that I write to you regarding the California Rural Legal Assistance, this is to let you know that I completely approve of your and Mr. Uhler's stand against the refunding of CRLA under the present circumstances.

If our state is to be saved from total financial ruin, I urge that top priority should be given to drastically cutting welfare and Medi-Cal benefits. I further urge that under no circumstances should state tax money be used to carry on legal assistance programs unless you can be absolutely sure that the truly deserving needy are benefitted in a manner that does not infringe on the rights of the people who pay the bill.

My experience has been that most legal assistance programs are far more concerned with finding interesting test cases rather than helping the individual poor person with his usually uninteresting problems.

Finally, as a Catholic, I am really embarrassed that the Archdiocese is permitting Rev. Boyle or anybody to send out solicitations of this sort.

Respectfully,

Ollie M. Marie-Victoire

CC: Rev. Eugene J. Boyle
Archdiocese of San Francisco
Commission on Social Justice
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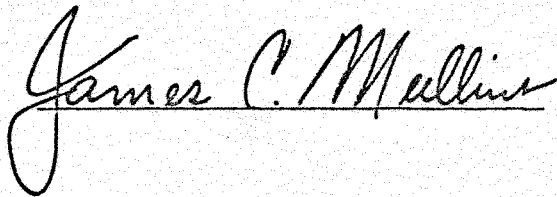
Dear Governor Reagan:

Please accept my sincere thanks for
your stand against the refunding of California
Rural Legal Assistance.

I do not feel that this or any other
legal assistance program of which I know, is
functioning for the benefit of the truly
needy people. I feel rather that the effect
of such programs has been to transgress the
rights of the very people who make their
existence possible.

I am convinced from observation of
your policies that you have the insight to see
the detrimental effect of spending tax money
on this and other wasteful programs, and,
further, that you have the integrity to resist
it. You have my enthusiastic support.

Respectfully,


James C. Mullins

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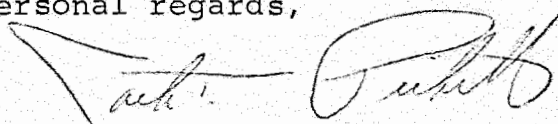
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The Honorable Ronald Reagan
Governor of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA. 95814

Dear Governor Reagan:

I know that I speak for a great number of people when asking for a "no" vote for funds for the California Rural Legal Assistance group. In theory it sounded great, but they have greatly abused their commission. Some of their class action suits have been ridiculous. They haven't even stayed within the confines of the rural community.

Personal regards,


JACK T. PICKETT
Editor

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