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TO COUNTY ASSESSORS:

TODD GILMAN
NEWLY APPOINTED TAXPAYERS' RIGHTS ADVOCATE

At its March 23, 2004 meeting, the Members of the Board of Equalization appointed Mr. Todd Gilman to serve as the Taxpayers' Rights Advocate. In addition to the statutory duties of the Advocate, Todd will also assume the responsibilities of the Chief of the Taxpayers' Rights and Equal Employment Opportunity Division.

Todd has over 17 years of service with the Board. He has worked as a technical advisor to the Taxpayers' Rights Advocate since August 2001. The majority of Todd's career with the Board has been as a Business Taxes Specialist and a Tax Compliance Specialist in the Sales and Use Tax Department.

Todd is a native Californian born in Merced. He earned a B.S. degree in Business Administration and Finance from California State University, Fresno.

Please join with the Board Members and staff in extending best wishes to Todd in his new role.

Sincerely,

/s/ David J. Gau

David J. Gau
Deputy Director
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