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To: All Individuals and Groups Interested in Activities of the California  
Commission on Teacher Credentialing

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Subject: Elimination of the Application Fee Waiver for First-Time Credential  
Applicants for Multiple Subject, Single Subject, Education Specialist and  
Specialist Credentials for 2002-03 Budget Year

The 2002-2003 Budget Act, signed by Governor Davis on September 5, 2002, does not include an appropriation for the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing to waive application fees for first-time applicants of multiple subject, single subject, special education and specialist credentials. Per an e-mail sent to the county offices of education and college and universities by Dale Janssen on June 11, 2002, the Commission stopped accepting fee incentive waiver applications on July 1, 2002 in anticipation of the fee waiver not being included in the 2002-03 Budget. This coded correspondence serves as an official communication that funding for the fee incentive program was not included in the 2002-2003 Budget Act.

**Information**

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