Memorandum 77-34

Subject: 1977 Legislative Program

Adopted or Enacted

- Res. Ch. 17, Statutes of 1977 Continues authority to study previously authorized topics; authorizes Commission to drop two topics.
- Ch. 49, Statutes of 1977 (AB 13) Damages in Unlawful Detainer Actions
- Ch. 155, Statutes of 1977 (AB 1007) Use of Keepers on Writs of Execution
- Ch. 198, Statutes of 1977 (AB 570) Liquidated Damages
- Ch. , Statutes of 1977 (AB 85) Enforcement of Sister State Money Judgments

On Third Reading (Awaiting Floor Vote) in Second House

- AB 393 ~ (Wage Garnishment) (This bill was amended by the Senate Judiciary Committee to reinstate the federal standard for determining the amount to be withheld and to restore the "common necessaries" exception to the hardship exception. Bill approved by Committee as amended by 5-2 vote. The bill was opposed by the California Association of Collectors and the California Bankers Association. Assemblyman McAllister intends to request that the Assembly not accept the Senate amendments and that a conference committee be appointed.)
- SB 221 (Effect on Attachment of Bankruptcy or General Assignment for Benefit of Creditors) (This bill has been amended to insert the legislation recommended by the Law Revision Commission with a couple of technical changes.)

No Action to Be Taken in 1977

- SB 623 Nonprofit Corporations (conforming revisions) (Bill set for hearing on May 3 but not taken up because not enough favorable votes; bill not set for second hearing.)
- SB 624 Nonprofit Corporations (comprehensive statute) (Bill set for hearing on May 3 but not taken up because not enough favorable votes; bill not set for second hearing.)

Respectfully submitted,

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