Memorandum 79-33

Subject: Report on 1979 Legislative Program

Attached is a report on the 1979 Legislative Program. I do not plan to go over this report at the meeting unless a member of the Commission wishes to raise a particular question. I will, however, make a comment concerning the views expressed by legislative committee members concerning AB 714 (confessions of judgment).

Respectfully submitted,

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Executive Secretary
ADOPTED OR ENACTED

Res. Ch. 19 (ACR 8--Continues authority to study existing topics, authorizes dropping of one topic, authorizes study of two new topics)

Ch. 31 (AB 135—Ad valorem taxes when property taken for public use)
Ch. 66 (AB 11—Wage garnishment procedure)
Ch. 165 (AB 212—Probate Code construction)
Ch. 177 (AB 617—Effect on attachment of bankruptcy or assignment for benefit of creditors)

SENT TO FLOOR IN SECOND HOUSE

AB 714 (Confessions of judgment)
This bill is awaiting a vote on the Senate floor. The bill is opposed by the district attorneys. We are attempting to remove opposition of various Senators.

APPROVED BY POLICY COMMITTEE IN SECOND HOUSE

AB 261 (Guardianship-conservatorship revision)
This bill and AB 167 were approved (with technical amendments) by the Senate Judiciary Committee on July 17. AB 261 now goes to the Senate Finance Committee where it will be considered late in August when the Legislature returns from its summer recess.

AB 167 (Conforming revisions to guardianship-conservatorship revision)
This bill will be sent to the Senate floor for a vote when the Legislature returns from its summer recess.

TO BE SET FOR HEARING IN FIRST HOUSE NEXT YEAR

AB 1676 (Quiet title)
This is a "spot bill." The Commission plans to submit a recommendation on this subject in 1980.

DEAD

AB 145 (Undertaking for costs)