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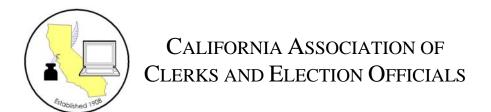
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March 24, 2008

Assembly Member Mike Feuer P.O. Box 942849 Sacramento, CA 94249-0042

Re: AB 2953

Dear Assembly Member Feuer:

The Elections Legislative Committee of the California Association of Clerks and Election Officials (CACEO) reviewed AB 2953 (as introduced February 22, 2008), which requires pollworkers to inform unaffiliated voters of their right to request a ballot of a political party that has allowed unaffiliated voters to participate in that party's primary election.

The Committee voted to Support this proposal and is grateful for the clarifying language that leaves no doubt as to the proper procedure for pollworkers and should provide consistency in this matter across the State.

Should you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to contact me at the Sonoma County Clerk-Recorder-Assessor's Office, (707) 565-1877.

Very truly yours,

Janice Atkinson, Correspondence Secretary **Elections Legislative Committee** California Association of Clerks and Election Officials

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