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AND COUNTY SUPERINTENDENTS OF SCHOOLS**

SUBJECT: **CALIFORNIA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT LAW (PERL) 2009**

The **California Public Employees' Retirement Law** (PERL) effective January 1, 2009, has been published. A complimentary copy of this publication is enclosed.

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