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TO: COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS

SUBJECT: ASSEMBLY BILL 2438 - WORKERS' COMPENSATION TEMPORARY DISABILITY PAYMENTS FOR SCHOOLS

Assembly Bill 2438, concerning Workers' Compensation temporary disability payments for school employees, was recently passed. This bill adds these payments to the definition of "compensation," effective January 1, 2007. Therefore, under the new definition, temporary disability payments pursuant to sections 44043 or 87042 of the Education Code should be reported to CalPERS.

This provision is not retroactive. Any industrial temporary disability payments received prior to January 1, 2007 should not be reported to CalPERS.

If you have any questions or require additional clarification, please contact CalPERS Employer Contact Center at **888 CalPERS** (or **888-225-7377**).

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