

SPECIFIC WAIVER COVER SHEET
CALIFORNIA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION
MAY 2003 AGENDA
Item No. WC-7

TITLE: Renewal requests by 24 school districts to waive <i>Education Code</i> Section 49550, the State Meal Mandate during the summer school session.	<input type="checkbox"/> ACTION <input type="checkbox"/> INFORMATION <input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC HEARING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CONSENT
CDSIS: <i>various</i>	

RECOMMENDATION:

The Department recommends: Approval Denied

Summary of Previous State Board of Education Discussion and Action:

The State Board approved a school meal waiver request for Summer 2002. State Board guidelines allow for a waiver to be renewed if the waiver was approved for the prior year and circumstances in the district have not changed.

Summary of Key Issue(s):

The California Education Code (EC) Section 49550 states that each needy child that attends a public school be provided a nutritionally adequate free or reduced-price meal every school day. The following districts have requested that the waiver of EC Section 49550 be renewed for the Summer 2003 and have certified that conditions in the district that precipitated the original waiver request have not changed. EC Section 49548 allows a waiver of EC Section 49550 during summer school if the district seeking the waiver has met at least two of the following four criteria:

The summer school session is less than four hours duration and is completed by noon;

Less than ten percent of needy pupils attending the summer session are at the school site for more than three hours per day;

A Summer Food Service Program site is available within the school attendance area;

Serving meals during the summer school session would result in a financial loss to the school district in an amount equal to one-third of the food service net cash resources or, if those cash resources are nonexistent, an amount equivalent to one month's operating cost.

Agreement Number:	District(s):	Effective Period:	Local Board Approval:	Waiver Number:
02-61333-0000000-01	Alpine County USD	06/30/03-07/31/03	02/13/03	29-2-2003
36-67637-0000000-01	Bear Valley USD	06/24/03-07/18/03	03/05/03	60-3-2003
49-70623-0000000-01	Bennett Valley Un SD	06/14/03-07/31/03	02/12/03	32-3-2003
40-75465-0000000-01	Coast USD	06/11/03-07/23/03	03/13/03	31-3-2003
12-62745-0000000-01	Cutten ESD	07/07/03-08/01/03	03/10/03	45-3-2003
48-70532-0000000-01	Dixon USD	06/16/03-07/25/03	03/20/03	69-3-2003
48-70540-0000000-01	Fairfield-Suisun USD	06/19/03-07/25/03	02/27/03	26-3-2003
55-72363-0000000-01	Jamestown SD	06/10/03-07/03/03	03/05/03	22-3-2003
45-70045-0000000-01	Junction SD	06/16/03-07/11/03	02/27/03	59-3-2003
17-64048-0000000-01	Lucerne ESD	06/09/03-07/03/03	03/12/03	61-3-2003
26-73692-0000000-01	Mammoth USD	06/30/03-08/08/03	03/24/03	21-3-2003
22-65532-0000000-01	Mariposa County USD	06/16/03-08/08/03	03/05/03	17-3-2003
12-62950-0000000-01	McKinleyville Un SD	06/23/03-07/18/03	02/11/03	17-2-2003
15-63669-0000000-01	Midway SD	06/09/03-07/03/03	03/11/03	68-3-2003
09-61945-0000000-01	Pioneer Un SD	06/05/03-07/02/03	03/13/03	63-3-2003
29-66373-0000000-01	Pleasant Ridge Un SD	06/16/03-08/15/03	03/04/03	14-3-2003
21-65417-0000000-01	Pleasant Valley ESD	06/23/03-07/18/03	02/18/03	4-3-2003
41-69021-0000000-01	San Carlos SD	06/17/03-07/21/03	03/11/03	34-3-2003
42-69336-0000000-01	Solvang ESD	06/23/03-07/21/03	03/03/03	14-2-2003
12-63057-0000000-01	Trinidad Un SD	06/23/03-07/18/03	02/13/03	6-3-2003
17-64071-0000000-01	Upper Lake Un HSD	06/16/03-07/25/03	03/26/03	19-3-2003
12-62679-0000000-01	Arcata SD	06/23/03-07/18/03	02/10/03	27-2-2003
23-65573-0000000-01	Manchester Union ESD	06/30/03-07/25/03	02/07/03	30-2-2003
29-66407-0000000-01	Union Hill SD	06/09/03-08/15/03	02/12/03	37-2-2003

Authority for the waiver: *Education Code* Section 49548

Bargaining unit(s) consulted on: **Not required**

Position of bargaining unit (choose only one):

Neutral Support Oppose

Name of bargaining unit representative: **None**

Local board approval date: **See table above**

Effective dates of request: **See table above**

Fiscal Analysis (as appropriate): The approval of the renewal waiver will have no impact on local or state finances.

Background Information:

Waiver request forms and supporting documents are available for inspection in the Waiver Office. In cases where a request is recommended for denial, documentation is attached to this Executive Summary.