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The Honorable Reginald Byron Jones-Sawyer, Sr.  
Assembly Member, <sup>59th</sup> District  
State Capitol, Room 4164  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Assembly Bill 1783: SUPPORT

Dear Assembly Member Jones-Sawyer:

On behalf of California Statewide Law Enforcement Association and our 7,000 public safety professionals, we support your Assembly Bill 1783 which would clarify that the statute of limitations for adverse actions against state employees is one year, except in the cases of fraud, embezzlement or falsification of records. For those specific cases, the statute of limitations would continue at three years after the discovery of the alleged violation.

It is to the advantage of both the state as the employer and the employee to resolve alleged disciplinary actions in a timely manner. AB 1783 provides the appropriate balance between allowing adequate time for investigations to be completed and the need to resolve these issues within a reasonable amount of time.

We are pleased to inform you of our support for this important measure.

Sincerely,

Alan Wayne Barcelona  
Special Agent, DOJ  
President, CSLEA

CC: Mr. Craig Brown, Lobbyist