

THE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS OF THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA

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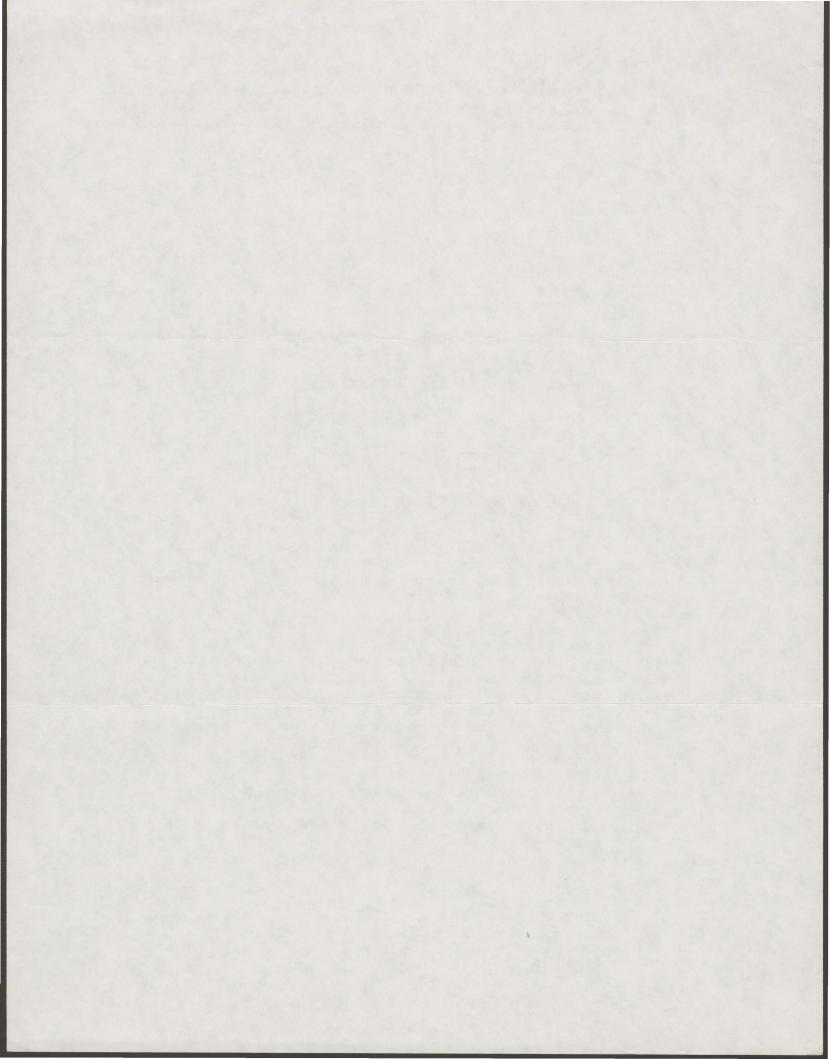
Dear Fellow Member:

Hopefully you have all received Mary Vail's notices and reminders of our next meeting on January 8, 1983, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Vintage Room of the San Francisco Airport Hilton Hotel. We would appreciate it very much if you would contact Cynthia Toronto (415)561-8200, extension 535, by January 4 if you cannot attend.

I would like to urge everyone to attend the meeting. It is the first meeting for seven new members, and we would all like to get acquainted with one another. We will be reviewing objectives and goals of the Committee and providing an outline of bill review procedures. Many of these have changed in the last few months and will require somewhat different responses on the part of all Committee members, new and old.

Ellyn Levinson and I attended a legislative representatives' orientation session early in December and will report on that conference. It is especially important that all members of the Committee are available to discuss their various specialties and areas of expertise in order to make the bill assignment process easier and more effective.

We also hope that Marta Macias, the member of the the Board of Governors assigned as liaison to our Committee, will be able to attend and discuss with us some of her views regarding the coming year at the State Bar. Many of our older members have yet to meet Marta and this would be a good opportunity.



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In addition, we have already received, and some of you have been assigned responsibility for, at least nine bills that we need to take a position on as soon as possible.

For those of you who are new to the San Francisco Airport game, white courtesy telephones are available on the lower level to call the SFO Hilton to send a shuttle bus to the Airport to pick you up and run you over to the Hotel. For those making return reservations on the same day, you can be assured that we make every attempt to finish the meeting by 3:00 p.m. as scheduled.

I hope you all can attend. I look forward to the Committee work of the coming year. We are one of the few groups with the opportunity, interest and influence to protect rights and liberties that might otherwise fall by the wayside in the legislative process. We do need your help.

Cordially yours, Gary L. Bostwick

GLB: jhf cc: Ellyn S. Levinson

