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TELECOMMUNICATIONS DEVICE NOTIFICATION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ADULT RESIDENTIAL FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> FOSTER FAMILY HOME |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ADULT DAY PROGRAM | <input type="checkbox"/> GROUP HOME |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTIAL CARE FACILITY FOR THE
CHRONICALLY ILL | <input type="checkbox"/> SMALL FAMILY HOME |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL REHABILITATION FACILITY | <input type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTIAL CARE FACILITY
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NOTICE

Any deaf or hearing impaired, or otherwise impaired resident of any community care facility is entitled to equipment and service, pursuant to Section 2881 of the California Public Utilities Code, to improve the quality of their telecommunications. Any resident who has a declaration from a licensed professional or a qualified state or federal agency, that he or she is deaf or hearing impaired, or otherwise disabled should contact the California Telephone Access Program at 1-800-806-1191 and ask for assistance in obtaining this equipment and service.

This section shall not be construed to require, in any way, the licensee to provide a separate telephone line for any resident.

CLIENT/RESIDENT SIGNATURE		DATE
CONSERVATOR/RESPONSIBLE PERSON/AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE (IF ANY)		DATE
FACILITY NAME	FACILITY ADDRESS	
FACILITY REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE		DATE

CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES CODE SECTION 2881 (a) and (c)

2881. (a) The commission shall design and implement a program to provide a telecommunications device capable of serving the needs of individuals who are deaf or hearing impaired, together with a single party line, at no charge additional to the basic exchange rate, to any subscriber who is certified as an individual who is deaf or hearing impaired by a licensed physician and surgeon, audiologist, or a qualified state or federal agency, as determined by the commission, and to any subscriber that is an organization representing individuals who are deaf or hearing impaired, as determined and specified by the commission pursuant to subdivision (e). A licensed hearing aid dispenser may certify the need of an individual to participate in the program if that individual has been previously fitted with an amplified device by the dispenser and the dispenser has the individual's hearing records on file prior to certification.

(c) The commission shall also design and implement a program whereby specialized or supplemental telephone communications equipment may be provided to subscribers who are certified to be disabled at no charge additional to the basic exchange rate. The certification, including a statement of visual or medical need for specialized telecommunications equipment, shall be provided by a licensed optometrist or physician and surgeon acting within the scope of practice of his or her license, or by a qualified state or federal agency as determined by the commission.