

COMMITTEE FACT SHEET

NAME: STATE COUNCIL ON DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES,
AREA BOARD 6 (name changed January 2003 - was Area VI Board on Developmental Disabilities)

ESTABLISHED: May 12, 1970

COMPENSATION: Travel reimbursement (mileage & meals)

Members of this board are required to file Conflict of Interest Disclosure Statements with the FPPC

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Board of Supervisors Resolution #70-377
& Welfare & Institution Code 4543-4570

MEMBERSHIP: The Board has fifteen (15) members, 2 of whom are **appointed** by the Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors:

QUALIFICATION: 2 Representatives of Stanislaus County

AND RESIDENCY 2 Representatives of Amador County

REQUIREMENTS: 2 Representatives of Calaveras County

2 Representatives of San Joaquin County

2 Representatives of Tuolumne County

5 Representatives appointed by the Governor of California

Appointees shall include:

a) Persons with developmental disabilities, the parents, guardians, or conservators of such persons – 50%, and

b) Representatives of the general public – 50%

TERM 3 Year Term with two term limitation.

AND DUTIES: The responsibilities of the Board include:

- 1) Protecting and speaking out for the rights of people with developmental disabilities;
- 2) Identifying and resolving problems that persons with developmental disabilities have in receiving the services they need;
- 3) Checking to see that public agencies are providing the services the law requires them to provide; and
- 4) Improving the quality of life of persons with developmental disabilities by helping to develop services that promote independence and productivity.

MEETINGS: Fourth Tuesday of odd-numbered months (Jan, Mar, May, Jul, Sep, Nov) at 6:00 p.m., at various locations in the five-county area

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