

STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

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December 13, 1984

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Dear REDACTED TEXT:

Your letter of November 1, 1984, has been referred to me for response. You state that you have received a newsletter statement to the effect that:

"Effective August 3, 1984, all veterans service organizations chartered by Congress are exempt from State Sales Taxes on food and drink prepared for consumption on their premises."

You then ask if and when such legislation was passed. We are unable, from the information provided, to determine which newsletter you have quoted. We have generally researched the question of whether there has been any recent legislation creating a sales tax exemption for veterans service organizations. We have found no federal or California law creating an exemption such as is described in the newsletter.

If you locate the specific legislation mentioned in the newsletter and have further questions, please feel free to write this office.

Sincerely,

James A. Davis Tax Counsel

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