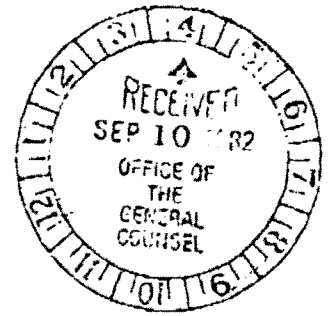


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Re: Request for Confirmation of Exempt  
Status under Section 501(c)(3) of  
the Internal Revenue Code of 1954

Dear Agents:

This is in reference to your letter of July 13, 1982 requesting confirmation of the exempt status of The Regents of the University of California under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.

In our letter of September 14, 1939, Code IT:P:T:l CQ, it was held that you were entitled to exemption under the provisions of section 101(6) of the Revenue Act of 1938.

A determination or ruling letter issued to an organization granting exemption under the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or under a prior or subsequent Revenue Act remains in effect until exempt status has been terminated, revoked or modified.

Our records indicate that you are the regularly constituted state university of the State of California originally created by a state legislative act of 1868; that you are engaged in educational activities; that your income is derived from investments, endowments, tuition, and miscellaneous sources; and that your income is used in furtherance of your educational activities.

In addition, it appears from our records (including the information submitted with your letter of July 13, 1982), that there has been no change in your organization's exempt status. Accordingly, our letter of September 14, 1939 is still in effect. This letter does not constitute a no change examination letter.

Because section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 was derived from and continues, without substantive change, the language of section 101(6) of the Revenue Act of 1938 ('1939 Code') and because our letter of September 14, 1939 is still in effect, it appears that you and your constituent units are entitled to exemption as an organization described in section 501(c)(3) of the 1954 Code.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 (formerly section 23(0) of the Internal