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TO: Members of the Los Angeles County Board of Education
Dr. Stuart Gothold, L.A. County Superintendent of Schools

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RE. Issues raised by the the L.A. County Office of Education
Conference on THE ARAB WORLD

I wish to address the following issues:

- Issue 1. Involvement of Foreign Governments with **U.S. public** educational agencies fully supported by **public** funds.
- Issue 2. Role of public educational agencies in guaranteeing U.S. Citizens their **First Amendment** Rights.
- Issue 3. Role of public educational agencies in recommending the use, for instructional purposes, of publications provided free of charge by Foreign Governments, such publications having **NO** approval by any State of California agency.
- Issue 4. Conduct of public employees from a public educational agency in making decisions as to the participation of U.S. citizens and taxpayers at public meetings.

I specifically would like to make the following recommendations:

1. That the Los Angeles County Board of Education adopt specific **GUIDELINES** in reference to Issues 1, 2, and 3, above, such **GUIDELINES** as recommended by the L.A. County Multicultural Steering Committee.
2. That the Los Angeles County Board of Education adopt specific **GUIDELINES** in reference to Issue 4, above, such **GUIDELINES** as recommended by appropriate internal committees after public hearings.