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**CALIFORNIA COMMISSION ON THE FAIR ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE  
ANNOUNCES PUBLICATION OF ITS FINAL REPORT AND  
RECOMMENDATIONS. THE FINAL REPORT IS A COMPIATION OF ALL  
TEN REPORTS ISSUED BY THE COMMISSION COUPLED WITH  
BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON THE COMMISSIONERS, THEIR  
PROCESS OF DELIBERATION, AND SUBSEQUENT ACTION TAKEN IN  
LIGHT OF ITS WORK.**

The California Commission on the Fair Administration of Justice was created by the California State Senate in 2004 to “study and review the administration of criminal justice in California, to determine the extent to which that process has failed in the past” and to examine safeguards and improvements. The Commission completed its work on June 30, 2008 in Sacramento by delivering a report on the fair administration of the death penalty in California to the Legislature and the Governor.

The bound version of the Commission’s Final Report and Recommendations will be mailed to the Governor, the Legislature, all State and Federal Judges in California, District Attorneys, Public Defenders, Alternate Defenders, Conflict Defenders, CAP Offices, and Indigent Criminal Defense Panel Administrators. In addition, the report will be mailed to County Sheriffs, Chiefs of Police, Law Schools, California Law Libraries, and various organizations interested in California’s criminal justice system.

For more information on the Commission, please visit <http://www.ccfaj.org> or contact Prof. Jerry Uelmen, Executive Director, at 408-554-5729 or [guelmen@scu.edu](mailto:guelmen@scu.edu)

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