



State of California • Arnold Schwarzenegger, Governor
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Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger
State Capitol Building
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

After AB x 4 22 (Chapter 20, Statutes of 2009-10 Fourth Extraordinary Session) was signed, the Department of General Services initiated the process required for selling the property that houses the Orange County Fairgrounds. On January 14, 2010, the department received seven bids for consideration.

Pursuant to ABx4 22, I am authorized to reject or accept the bids that were submitted. Please be advised that after careful consideration, today I have decided to reject all of the bids. The offers contained in those bids are not in the best interest of the citizens of California because they do not obtain the highest and most certain return for the state. I continue to fully share your commitment to selling the fairgrounds and the department will go forward to explore alternative means to promptly achieve that goal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ronald L. Diedrich', is written in a cursive style.

Ronald L. Diedrich
Acting Director

cc: Bill Leonard, Secretary, State and Consumer Services Agency