



**Memorandum**

To: Interested Parties  
From: Political Department  
Date: February 15, 2018  
Subject: Update: 2018 Democratic Statewide Candidate Ballot Order on CDP Endorsement Ballot

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On Friday, February 2, 2018, Mr. Pat Harris, U.S. Senate candidate, filed a challenge regarding the decision of the Statewide Officers to not include Mr. Harris on the endorsement ballot, due to a determination he did not reach the threshold to be considered viable. Per the decision of the Compliance Review Commission (CRC) issued on Tuesday, February 13, 2018, The CRC finds Mr. Harris shall be eligible to participate in the CDP Endorsement process. Further, the CRC instructs CDP staff to include Mr. Harris on the statewide ballot in the following order: Kevin de León; Dianne Feinstein; Pat Harris. This order adds the name Mr. Harris following the ballot order of the other candidates as drawn on February 2, 2018.

**California Democratic Party  
2018 Statewide Candidates Eligible for Endorsement Consideration  
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*Ballot Order Drawn on 2/2/18; U.S. Senate Ballot Order Amended 2/13/18*

**U.S. Senate**

Kevin de León  
Dianne Feinstein  
Pat Harris

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Dave Jones  
Xavier Becerra

**Superintendent of Public**

**Instruction**

Tony Thurmond  
Marshall Tuck

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