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SUBJECT: POSTING OF NURSING HOME 5-STAR RATING (AB 215)

On January 4, 2010, on a motion by Supervisor Antonovich, the Department of Public Health (DPH) was instructed to provide quarterly posting compliance reports on the Health Facilities Inspection Division's routine complaint licensing inspections. This is the fifth quarterly report.

As outlined in the table below, since January 1, 2011, there have been eight citations relative to failure to comply with AB 215, out of 323 Federal Skilled Nursing Facilities surveys conducted.

	Total Surveys	Total Citations
2011		
January-March	66	0
April-June	62	1
July-September	80	1
October-December	18	1
2012		
January-March	97	5
Total	323	8

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DPH will continue to monitor the progress of nursing home compliance and provide the Board with another status report by June 15, 2012. In the meantime, if you have any questions or would like additional information, please let me know.

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