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TO: 4-H Youth Advisors

FROM: John A. Emo, 4-H Youth Specialist

RE: 4-H ANIMAL SCIENCE VISUALS

More than half of the 4-H animal science visuals have now been sponsored or are in the process. There are 11 sets that have not. These are listed on an enclosed order sheet. You can purchase these at the indicated price providing we can get 11 or more counties to purchase all of them. If your county is interested, please return the order by May 5. Don't send money with the order. The slides will be processed during the summer and will probably be available sometime in August. You can be billed after you receive the slides. If you want to pay for them out of this year's budget that can be arranged. The money will be handled through the California 4-H Foundation Fund.

All counties whose Cattlemen's Association has contributed the $200 will receive all the beef slide sets. If you aren't sure of your status on those, contact me. The swine visuals are a part of a proposal through the California 4-H Foundation. This proposal also includes three rabbit slide sets and two on wildlife. In addition, the California Bo-Peeps have sponsored a set on selecting market lambs for all counties. This set will be made in April and will be sent out later this spring.

There are six sets on dairy cattle projects which will be provided to the seventeen counties with the largest dairy enrollments. These will be available during the summer. These 17 counties had eighty-two percent of the dairy cattle project enrollment in the state in 1974. There will also be sets available to borrow through the loan library.

If you wish to purchase the slides, please return the order by May 5. If we don't get the 11 orders, the cost of each slide will be increased by 10c a slide and 50c for the cassette. If we fall short, I'll get in touch with you. Since a number of counties have indicated an interest, I expect to get the 11 orders. All sets will be in the loan library for those that cannot purchase.

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cc: State 4-H Youth Staff
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