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BP 5130 Financial Aid Information

Reference:

Education Code Section 66021.6 and 76300;

20 United States Code Sections 1070, et seq.;

34 Code of Federal Regulations Section 668; (U.S. Department of Education Regulations on the Integrity of Federal Student Financial Aid Programs under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended)

U.S. Department of Education regulations on the Integrity of Federal Student Financial Aid Programs under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended.

ACCJC Accreditation Standard III.D.15;

WASC/ACS Criterion 7, Indicators 7.1, 7.2, 7.3, and 7.4

- 1.0 A program of financial aid to students will be provided, which may include, but is not limited to, scholarships, grants, loans, and work and employment programs.
- 2.0 All financial aid programs will adhere to guidelines, procedures and standards issued by the funding agency, and will incorporate federal, state and other applicable regulatory requirements.
- 3.0 All potential Baccalaureate Pilot Program students who wish to apply for a Board of Governors Fee Waiver pursuant to Education Code 76300 are required to complete and submit either a Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a California Dream Act application in lieu of completing the Board of Governors Fee Waiver application.
- 4.0 The Chancellor shall establish, publicize, and apply satisfactory academic progress standards for participants in Title IV student aid programs.

5.0 Misrepresentation

- 5.1 Consistent with the applicable federal regulations for federal financial aid, the District shall not engage in "substantial misrepresentation" of 1) the nature of its educational program, 2) the nature of its financial charges, or 3) the employability of its graduates.
- 5.2 The Chancellor shall establish procedures for regularly reviewing the District and college Financial Aid Office web pages, informational materials, and communications for currency, accuracy, and completeness, and for training District employees and service providers with which the District has contracted to provide educational programs, marketing, advertising, recruiting, or admissions services to ensure that their communications and representations to students are accurate.
- 5.3 This policy does not create a private cause of action against the District or any of its representatives or service providers. The District and its governing board do not waive any defenses or governmental immunities by enacting this policy.

See Administrative Procedure 5130

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