

Exhibit 12

Information/Action Item

Consideration of amendments to committee charter

The Student Impact Committee initially considered amendments to its charter at the February 19-20, 2015 meeting. At that time, several amendments were discussed, and the Committee asked that proposed wording for the amendments be presented at the April 16-17, 2015 meeting.

The proposed amendments included:

- Revise item 3 to include updates for other programs administered by the Commission, in addition to the Cal Grant, Dream Act/AB 540 and Middle Class Scholarship programs;
- Add language indicating that the Committee will review programs as assigned by the full Commission; and
- Add language indicating that the Committee will receive updates on outreach and social media efforts by the Commission and provide feedback on the different campaigns.

Exhibit 12.1 includes draft language the proposed amendments, as well as the amendment proposals considered at the last meeting.

Recommended Action: Consider and adopt revisions to the committee charter.

Responsible person(s): Devon Graves, Chair
Student Impact Committee

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Student Impact Committee
Proposed Charter

(to be reviewed and adopted at April 2015 Commission Meeting)

The Student Impact Committee is responsible for:

1. Examining policy issues and outreach associated with financial aid from a student and parent (family) perspective such as the impact of loan debt and financial literacy programs, and bringing those issues to the attention of the California Student Aid Commission with recommendations for appropriate actions;
2. Identifying and recommending policy and legislative proposals associated with student impact for Commission consideration.
3. Reviewing program updates, at its discretion or upon assignment by the full Commission, for Cal Grant, Dream Act/AB540, and Middle Class Scholarship and other programs administered by the Commission, and making any necessary recommendations for Commission consideration.
4. Engaging student organizations in periods of transition and encourage the invitation of student leaders to attend committee and Commission meetings for introductions and to discuss organizational goals for the year.
5. Reviewing outreach and social media efforts by the Commission and providing feedback on the different campaigns.

Proposed to

California Student Aid Commission
on January 16, 2015, and, as revised, on
April 16, 2015