



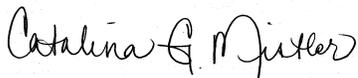
SPECIAL ALERT

Update of the California Student Aid Commission

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SUBJECT: Cal Grant Program and Participating Institution Data Reporting Requirements Notice of Proposed Regulatory Action

This Special Alert announces the California Student Aid Commission's (Commission) intent to seek adoption of regulations regarding the Cal Grant Program and Participating Institution Data Reporting Requirements.

On March 24, 2011, Senate Bill (SB) 70 was chaptered into California law amending sections 69432.7, 69432.9, and 69433.6 of the [California Education Code](#) (CEC). SB 70 also added section 69433.2 to the CEC. These changes will affect Cal Grant institutions and students beginning with the 2011-12 academic year.

As part of the process required by law for adopting regulations, beginning on July 6, 2012, the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) will post the proposed regulations on its website for public comment. Written comments need to be received by the OAL and the Commission by 5:00 p.m. on August 20, 2012, to be considered. Staff will host an online webinar later this month to present information on the proposed regulations for these reporting requirements. In addition to the webinar, segmental representatives from the various institutions will have an opportunity to arrange a conference call to ask questions related to each segment.

In addition, the Commission will hold a public hearing at 10:00 a.m. on August 20, 2012, at 10834 International Drive, Rancho Cordova, California. The room is wheelchair accessible. At the hearing, any person may present statements or arguments, orally or in writing, relevant to the proposed regulatory action. The Commission requests, but does not require, that any persons who make oral comments at the hearing also submit a written summary of their statements. No oral statements will be accepted subsequent to this public hearing.



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The enclosed Notice of Proposed Rulemaking contains information regarding the regulatory process, instructions on how to submit comments, and whom to contact at the Commission and OAL.

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Enclosures: Notice of Proposed Rulemaking
Proposed Text
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