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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC AVAILABILITY OF MODIFIED TEXT AND
AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS ADDED TO THE RULEMAKING FILE**

**Amendments to Article 15, of Chapter 1, of Division 4, of Title 5,
CA Code of Regulations
California Military Department GI Bill Award Program
(Formerly California National Guard Education Assistance Award
Program)**

Pursuant to the requirements of Government Code section 11346.8(c) and section 44 of Title 1 of the California Code of Regulations, the California Student Aid Commission is providing notice of text modifications to the proposed regulations for the California Military Department GI Bill Award Program. Pursuant to the requirements of Government Code sections 11346.8(d), 11346.9(a)(1), and 11347.1, the California Student Aid Commission is also providing notice that an Addendum to the Initial Statement of Reasons has been added to the rulemaking file and is available for public inspection and comment.

The Notice of Proposed Rulemaking for the originally proposed amendments was published in the Office of Administrative Law's California Notice Register on January 22, 2021 (Register 2021, No. Z2021-0112 01.) The 45-day comment period for the amendments began on January 22, 2021 and ended on March 9, 2021.

MODIFIED REGULATION TEXT

Commission staff is now proposing revisions to the regulations as set forth in the attached Modified Regulation Text. The revisions are sufficiently related to the originally proposed text and are being provided for public review and comments for 15 days, prior to adoption. All revisions are shown with double underline for new language and ~~double-strikeout~~ for deleted language.

ADDENDUM TO THE INITIAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

Commission staff has also drafted an Addendum to the Initial Statement of Reasons (ISOR). The Addendum includes supplemental information to better clarify and provide an expanded analysis of the purpose and necessity of the proposed text modifications. The Addendum to the ISOR can be accessed online at:
<https://www.csac.ca.gov/proposed-regulations-rulemaking-documents>.

WRITTEN COMMENT PERIOD

The Commission will accept written comments regarding the modified regulation text and the Addendum to the Initial Statement of Reasons for 15 days beginning on August 24, 2021, till September 8, 2021. Please address your comments to:

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Written comments may also be faxed to (916) 464-8033, attention of Gary Collord or emailed to rulemaking@csac.ca.gov.

All written comments must be RECEIVED no later than September 8, 2021, in order to be considered. Written comments received after that time will be added to the rulemaking file, but the Commission is not obligated to consider or respond to late comments. Comments on the revised text of the proposed regulations should be limited to the current modifications denoted by double underline for new language and ~~double-strikeout~~ for deleted language.

Inquiries regarding technical aspects of the proposed regulations should be directed to Gary Collord at the address indicated above, at rulemaking@csac.ca.gov or by telephone at (916) 347-0632. If Mr. Collord is unavailable, please contact Synequeen Alasa-as at (916) 464-6411. However, oral inquiries are not part of the rulemaking record.

AVAILABILITY OF THE DOCUMENTS

The Commission has made the entire rulemaking file available for download and review on the Commission's website at <https://www.csac.ca.gov/proposed-regulations-rulemaking-documents>.

Copies of the relevant documents may also be received by contacting Gary Collord at (916) 347-0632 or via email at rulemaking@csac.ca.gov or by viewing them in person between 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. at the Legal Service Unit, located at 11040 White Rock Road, Rancho Cordova, California. If Mr. Collord is unavailable, please contact Synequeen Alasa-as at salasa-as@csac.ca.gov or at (916) 464-6411.