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TO: Financial Aid Advisors
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SUBJECT: California Dream Act Workgroup

This Special Alert from the California Student Aid Commission (Commission) invites you to participate in the Commission’s California Dream Act Workgroup; established to provide feedback and explore enhancements to the administration of the California Dream Act program.

- The Commission coordinates a California Dream Act workgroup comprised of Commission staff, campus financial aid administrators, segmental representatives, high school counselors, and other external stakeholders.

- The workgroup meets via webinar on a monthly basis or as needed, to discuss issues related to Dream Act students and the California Dream Act Application.

- The Commission invites interested parties to join these meetings to share their perspective and provide feedback and suggestions on improving the application process and educating students on receiving Cal Grant payments.

- If you are interested in joining or wish to remain in this workgroup, please contact Alessandra Morrison at alessandra.morrison@csac.ca.gov.

The California Dream Act allows certain students who meet the requirements, to apply for and receive state financial aid at California public and private colleges as well as private scholarships administered by California public colleges. For more information please visit the Commission’s website at http://www.csac.ca.gov.

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