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February 24, 2015

Honorable Stephen F. Carter, Chairman
House Committee on Education
8th Floor, State Capitol
Baton Rouge, LA 70804

Senator Conrad Appel, Chairman
Senate Committee on Education
Sub-Basement, State Capitol
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804

Re: Rulemaking – Annual Report

Dear Representative Carter and Senator Appel:

Pursuant to R.S. 49:968(K), I am submitting the enclosed report of action taken by the Student Financial Assistance Commission and Louisiana Tuition Trust Authority with respect to adoption, amendment, or repeal of rules and proposed fee adoptions, increases, or decreases. This report includes actions taken on rules which were proposed between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014. Should you have any questions regarding the enclosed material, please contact me at (225) 219-7668.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "George Eldredge".

George Badge Eldredge
General Counsel

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Student Financial Assistance Commission Actions

The following is a summary of actions taken by the Student Financial Assistance Commission with respect to adoption, amendment, or repeal of proposed rules and of actions taken with respect to proposed fee adoptions, increases, or decreases. Included are actions taken from January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014.

Proposed dates are those on which the notice of intended action was published in the Louisiana Register pursuant to R.S. 49:953. Public hearing dates are those on which the agency held public hearings pursuant to R.S. 49:953 if required or the date that a notice of no hearing was submitted to the House and Senate Education Committees. Substantial hearing dates are those on which hearings were conducted if required pursuant to R.S. 49:968(H)(2) in order to add additional regulatory language. Oversight hearing dates are those on which oversight hearings were conducted if required pursuant to R.S. 49:968. Final rule promulgation dates are those on which the actions were published in the Louisiana Register pursuant to R.S. 49:954.

SG14152NI Degree Completion

Which amends LAC 28:IV.701, 705, 805, 1903
Proposed Date: November 21, 2013
Public Hearing: No Hearing Notice February 25, 2014
Oversight Report Submittal: NA
Oversight Hearing: NA
Final Rule Promulgation Date: May 20, 2014

SG15154NI TTES 2014 Legislation

Which amends LAC 28:IV. 1001, 1003, 1005, 1007, 1009, 1011, 1013, 1015, 1017, 1901
Proposed Date: July 17, 2014
Public Hearing: No Hearing Notice October 16, 2014
Oversight Report Submittal: NA
Oversight Hearing: NA
Final Rule Promulgation Date: February 20, 2015

SG15156NI NOCCA Courses and Law Course Equivalent

Which amends LAC 28:IV.703
Proposed Date: September 16, 2014
Public Hearing: No Hearing Notice November 13, 2014
Oversight Report Submittal: NA
Oversight Hearing: NA
Final Rule Promulgation Date: February 20, 2015

SG15158NI TOPS GPA Calculation

Which amends LAC 28:IV. 301, 501, 503, 505, 507, 701, 703, 705, 801, 803, 1903, 2103
Proposed Date: November 24, 2014
Public Hearing: No Hearing Notice January 14, 2015
Oversight Report Submittal: NA
Oversight Hearing: NA
Final Rule Promulgation Date: TBD

SG15159NI 2014 Legislation

Which amends LAC 28:IV.113, 301, 502, 703, 803, 1703, 2113

Proposed Date: November 18, 2014

Public Hearing: No Hearing Notice January 14, 2015

Oversight Report Submittal: NA

Oversight Hearing: NA

Final Rule Promulgation Date: TBD

SG15160NI TTES Technical/Applied Course Definition

Which amends LAC 28:IV.1003

Proposed Date: November 18, 2014

Public Hearing: No Hearing Notice January 14, 2015

Oversight Report Submittal: NA

Oversight Hearing: NA

Final Rule Promulgation Date: TBD

Louisiana Tuition Trust Authority Actions

The following is a summary of actions taken by the Louisiana Tuition Trust Authority with respect to adoption, amendment, or repeal of proposed rules and of actions taken with respect to proposed fee adoptions, increases, or decreases. Included are actions taken from January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014.

Proposed dates are those on which the notice of intended action was published in the Louisiana Register pursuant to R.S. 49:953. Public hearing dates are those on which the agency held public hearings pursuant to R.S. 49:953 if required or the date that a notice of no hearing was submitted to the House and Senate Education Committees. Substantial hearing dates are those on which hearings were conducted if required pursuant to R.S. 49:968(H)(2) in order to add additional regulatory language. Oversight hearing dates are those on which oversight hearings were conducted if required pursuant to R.S. 49:968. Final rule promulgation dates are those on which the actions were published in the Louisiana Register pursuant to R.S. 49:954.

ST14153NI 2013 Interest Rates

Which amends LAC 28:315

Proposed Date: April 22, 2014

Public Hearing: No Hearing Notice July 16, 2014

Oversight Report Submittal: NA

Oversight Hearing: NA

Final Rule Promulgation Date: October 20, 2014

SG15157NI Residency Requirements

Which amends LAC 28:IV.301

Proposed Date: November 18, 2014

Public Hearing: No Hearing Notice January 14, 2015

Oversight Report Submittal: NA

Oversight Hearing: NA

Final Rule Promulgation Date: TBD