

PREFACE

The California Community Colleges Student Attendance Accounting Manual reflects the on-going efforts of the Chancellor's Office, members of the Student Attendance Accounting Committee, and the California Association of Community College Registrars and Admissions Officers (CACCRAO).

Staff have been involved in at least five revisions of the Manual since the earlier publication, and even with all of those efforts, the completion of the project never seems certain. Completion would not have been possible without the inestimable service of those mentioned above, as well as Ralph Black of the Legal Office and Helen Simmons of Fiscal Services, who have lead us through the innumerable complex issues of student attendance accounting and residency determination.

Legislative changes and the implementation of various procedures related to community colleges' measurement of student workload and residency issues have been on-going, and even as this Manual is issued, there have been changes that call for further revision. We invite any recommendations and suggestions related to improvements of this document.

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