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AGENCY WITH RULEMAKING AUTHORITY Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges		

**A. PUBLICATION OF NOTICE (Complete for publication in Notice Register)**

1. SUBJECT OF NOTICE N/A	TITLE(S) N/A	FIRST SECTION AFFECTED N/A	2. REQUESTED PUBLICATION DATE N/A
3. NOTICE TYPE Notice re Proposed <input type="checkbox"/> Regulatory Action	4. AGENCY CONTACT PERSON N/A	TELEPHONE NUMBER N/A	FAX NUMBER (Optional) N/A
<b>OAL USE ONLY</b>	ACTION ON PROPOSED NOTICE <input type="checkbox"/> Approved as Submitted <input type="checkbox"/> Approved as Modified <input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved/ Withdrawn	NOTICE REGISTER NUMBER	PUBLICATION DATE

**B. SUBMISSION OF REGULATIONS (Complete when submitting regulations)**

1a. SUBJECT OF REGULATION(S) AB 1313, District Debt Collection	1b. ALL PREVIOUS RELATED OAL REGULATORY ACTION NUMBER(S)		
2. SPECIFY CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS TITLE(S) AND SECTION(S) (Including title 26, if toxics related)			
<b>SECTION(S) AFFECTED (List all section number(s) individually. Attach additional sheet if needed.)</b>	ADOPT		
	AMEND 59410		
TITLE(S) 5	REPEAL 59410		
3. TYPE OF FILING			
<input type="checkbox"/> Regular Rulemaking (Gov. Code §11346)	<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of Compliance: The agency officer named below certifies that this agency complied with the provisions of Gov. Code §§11346.2-11347.3 either before the emergency regulation was adopted or within the time period required by statute.	<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Readopt (Gov. Code, §11346.1(h))	<input type="checkbox"/> Changes Without Regulatory Effect (Cal. Code Regs., title 1, §100)
<input type="checkbox"/> Resubmittal of disapproved or withdrawn nonemergency filing (Gov. Code §§11349.3, 11349.4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Resubmittal of disapproved or withdrawn emergency filing (Gov. Code, §11346.1)	<input type="checkbox"/> File & Print	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Print Only
<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency (Gov. Code, §11346.1(b))		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify) Authority - Ed. Code section 70901.5	

4. ALL BEGINNING AND ENDING DATES OF AVAILABILITY OF MODIFIED REGULATIONS AND/OR MATERIAL ADDED TO THE RULEMAKING FILE (Cal. Code Regs. title 1, §44 and Gov. Code §11347.1)

5. EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES (Gov. Code, §§ 11343.4, 11346.1(d); Cal. Code Regs., title 1, §100)	<input type="checkbox"/> Effective January 1, April 1, July 1, or October 1 (Gov. Code §11343.4(a))	<input type="checkbox"/> Effective on filing with Secretary of State	<input type="checkbox"/> §100 Changes Without Regulatory Effect	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Effective other (Specify) 30 days after filed w/Secretary of State
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6. CHECK IF THESE REGULATIONS REQUIRE NOTICE TO, OR REVIEW, CONSULTATION, APPROVAL OR CONCURRENCE BY, ANOTHER AGENCY OR ENTITY

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Department of Finance (Form STD. 399) (SAM §6660)	<input type="checkbox"/> Fair Political Practices Commission	<input type="checkbox"/> State Fire Marshal
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 Other (Specify)

7. CONTACT PERSON Tanya Bosch - Regulations Coordinator	TELEPHONE NUMBER (916) 445-4826	FAX NUMBER (Optional)	E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional)
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8. I certify that the attached copy of the regulation(s) is a true and correct copy of the regulation(s) identified on this form, that the information specified on this form is true and correct, and that I am the head of the agency taking this action, or a designee of the head of the agency, and am authorized to make this certification.

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SIGNATURE OF AGENCY HEAD OR DESIGNEE  
Marc LeForestier

(Aug 13, 2020 10:35 PDT)

DATE

8-18-2020

TYPED NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNATORY  
Marc A. LeForestier, General Counsel

## Final Text of Proposed Regulatory Change, Section 59410

### Board of Governors of the California Community Colleges

### Final Revisions to Title 5 Regulations: Student Financial Obligations

#### EXISTING SECTION 59410 OF SUBCHAPTER 7.5 OF CHAPTER 10 OF DIVISION 6 OF TITLE 5 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS IS REPEALED AND NEW SECTION 59410 IS ADOPTED TO READ:

~~§ 59410. Withholding Grades, Transcripts, etc., for Nonrepayment of Financial Obligations.~~

~~The governing board of a community college district may provide by appropriate rules and regulations that grades, transcripts, diplomas and registration privileges, or any combination thereof, shall be withheld from any student or former student who has been provided with written notice that he or she has failed to pay a proper financial obligation due to the district or a college. Any item or items withheld shall be released when the student satisfactorily meets the financial obligation.~~

Note: Authority cited: Sections 66700 and 70901, Education Code. Reference: Section 70901, Education Code.

#### § 59410. District Debt Collection Activities.

Any activity by a district to collect a debt from a student must commence with written notice to the student or former student that they have failed to pay a financial obligation due to the district. The governing board of a community college district may not withhold grades or transcripts from students or former students in an effort to collect a debt. All debt collection activities must promptly end when a student satisfactorily meets their financial obligations to the district.

Note: Authority cited: Sections 66700 and 70901, Education Code. Reference: Section 1788.93, Civil Code.