

## **Proposed Revisions to Title 5, California Code of Regulations Relating to Extended Opportunity Programs and Services (EOPS) (Second Reading)**

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### **SECTION 56254 OF ARTICLE 4 OF SUBCHAPTER 2.5 OF CHAPTER 7 OF DIVISION 6 OF TITLE 5 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS IS AMENDED TO READ:**

§ 56254. EOPS Grants and Workstudy Awards.

(a) Grants may be awarded in an amount not to exceed ~~\$900 per academic year, or the amount of a student's unmet need for the academic year, whichever is less.~~

**Notwithstanding any local policies to the contrary, no community college district, college, or EOPS program may enforce any restrictions on where students may spend EOPS grant funds awarded under this section.**

(b) Workstudy awards shall not exceed ~~\$1,800 per academic year, or the amount of a student's unmet need for the academic year, whichever is less.~~ Contracts with private industry may be utilized to place EOPS workstudy students.

(c) No combination of EOPS grant and workstudy awards may exceed ~~\$1,800 or exceed the amount of a student's unmet need, whichever is less,~~ in an academic year.

(d) EOPS grants ~~to students~~ shall be **divided by the number of terms of the student recipient's attendance** ~~apportioned~~ disbursed to each ~~student~~ ~~in equally among disbursements in each terms in~~ ~~of attendance during the college~~ ~~in an~~ academic year ~~and~~ **disbursed to the student directly in equal shares for each term.**

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 69648 and 70901, Education Code. Reference: Sections 69640 et seq., Education Code.

### **SECTION 56292 OF ARTICLE 7 OF SUBCHAPTER 2.5 OF CHAPTER 7 OF DIVISION 6 OF TITLE 5 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS REMAINS UNCHANGED:**

§ 56292. Adjustment to Allocations.

The Chancellor may adjust the allocation to any college during a fiscal year for one or more of the following reasons:

(a) to correct over or under allocated amounts in any of the three prior fiscal years.

(b) to correct for over or under utilization of allocated amounts in the current fiscal year.

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 69648 and 70901, Education Code. Reference: Sections 69640 et seq., Education Code.

**SECTION 56293 OF ARTICLE 7 OF SUBCHAPTER 2.5 OF CHAPTER 7 OF DIVISION 6 OF TITLE 5 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS REMAINS UNCHANGED:**

§ 56293. District Fiscal Responsibility and Contribution.

Districts shall insure that colleges under their jurisdiction conducting EOPS programs provide to EOPS students who need them the same programs and services the college offers to all of its credit enrolled students. The district shall fund the cost of such programs and services from resources available to it, except EOPS funds, at a rate per EOPS student that is at least equal to the average cost per student served (including EOPS students) in these programs and services. Districts accepting EOPS funds will be required to pay the salary of the EOPS director at the rate of 100% of salary and benefits per year.

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 69648 and 70901, Education Code. Reference: Sections 69640 et seq., Education Code.

**SECTION 56294 OF ARTICLE 7 OF SUBCHAPTER 2.5 OF CHAPTER 7 OF DIVISION 6 OF TITLE 5 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS REMAINS UNCHANGED:**

§ 56294. EOPS Supplemental Costs.

Colleges shall expend EOPS funds only for programs and services which are over, above, and in addition to the costs which are the district's responsibility as defined in section 56293.

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 69648, 69652 and 70901, Education Code. Reference: Sections 69640 et seq., Education Code.

**SECTION 56295 OF ARTICLE 7 OF SUBCHAPTER 2.5 OF CHAPTER 7 OF DIVISION 6 OF TITLE 5 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS IS AMENDED TO READ:**

§ 56295. Expenditures Allowed.

(a) Colleges may expend EOPS funds to meet the EOPS supplemental costs as defined in section 56294 for personnel and other expenses approved in the EOPS annual plan. Expenditures for other expenses in object categories 4000-6000 (except for EOPS financial aid) in the Budget and Accounting Manual shall not exceed 10% of the EOPS allocation—or \$50,000, whichever is less.

~~(b) Requests to purchase computer hardware and/or software shall be approved by the district superintendent/president prior to transmittal for approval by the Chancellor.~~

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 69648 and 70901, Education Code. Reference: Sections 69640 et seq., Education Code.

**SECTION 56298 OF ARTICLE 7 OF SUBCHAPTER 2.5 OF CHAPTER 7 OF DIVISION 6 OF TITLE 5 OF THE CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS IS AMENDED TO READ:**

§ 56298. EOPS Financial Aid Restriction.

In each fiscal year the colleges shall expend for EOPS grants and workstudy an amount at least equal to that the amount expended in the ~~prior~~ fiscal year, preceding the prior fiscal year ("prior-prior fiscal year"), unless waived by the Chancellor, for the following reasons:

- (a) to establish a book service program.
- (b) the college allocation was corrected pursuant to section 56292.
- (c) to meet the requirements of article 3.

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 69648 and 70901, Education Code. Reference: Sections 69640 et seq., Education Code.

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