

**RESOLUTION NO. 22-04**

**ADOPTION OF PROPOSED PERMANENT  
REGULATIONS FOR THE CALIFORNIA  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE EXPANDED ENTITLEMENT  
PROGRAM**

(Education Code section 69435.5)

September 8, 2022

WHEREAS, Education Code section 69435.5 (enacted pursuant to Stats. 2021, Ch. 144, Sec. 24) establishes the California Community College Expanded Entitlement Program to provide community college students greater access to California's Cal Grant awards; and

WHEREAS, to be eligible for such awards, students must submit completed financial aid applications, including grade point average information; and

WHEREAS, Education Code section 69432.9(c)(2)(B)(iii)(I) mandates that the Commission adopt regulations that define a grace period for submitting a grade point average and the circumstances in which a test score can be submitted in place of a grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Education Code section 69433.7 provides further statutory authority for the Commission to adopt regulations regarding the Cal Grant program, including the California Community College Expanded Entitlement Program; and

WHEREAS, Commission staff has developed proposed amendments to sections 30023 and 30026 of its regulations to implement these requirements for the California Community College Expanded Entitlement Program; and

WHEREAS, Education Code section 69513.1 provides that the Commission "may delegate to the director any power, duty, purpose, function, or jurisdiction that the commission may lawfully delegate, including the authority to enter into and sign contracts on behalf of the commission. The director may redelegate any of those powers, duties, purposes, functions, or jurisdictions to his or her designee, unless by statute, or rule or regulation, the director is expressly required to act personally."

WHEREAS, Commission staff intends to conduct the permanent rulemaking process to amend sections 30023 and 30026, which includes the submission of the proposed draft regulations to the Office of Administrative Law (OAL), distribution for public comment, consideration of any such comments, making non-substantive changes to the regulations, and addressing any issues raised by OAL.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the California Student Aid Commission as follows:

Section 1. The proposed amendments to sections 30023 and 30026 to implement Education Code section 69435.5 are hereby approved in substantially the form presented to the Commission. The Executive Director is hereby authorized, for and on behalf of the Commission, to submit such regulations, with all required supporting CA Student Aid Commission  
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documentation, to the Office of Administrative Law and proceed as required under the Administrative Procedures Act.

Section 2. The Executive Director is hereby authorized and directed to take such actions, including reviewing submitted public comments and making non-substantive changes to the regulations resulting from such comments, making or causing to be made such changes to the regulations as may be required for approval of the regulations by the Office of Administrative Law including making non-substantive changes requested by the Office of Administrative Law, and to execute and deliver any and all documents and take any and all steps that the Executive Director may deem necessary or advisable in order to effectuate the purposes of this resolution.

Section 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its approval. Date of Adoption: September 8, 2022.

**CERTIFICATE OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**  
(Attesting to Action of the Commission)  
Sacramento, California

I, Marlene Garcia, Executive Director of the California Student Aid Commission, hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of Resolution No. 22-XX, ADOPTION OF PROPOSED PERMANENT REGULATIONS FOR THE CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE EXPANDED ENTITLEMENT PROGRAM, as adopted at a meeting of the California Student Aid Commission, in Sacramento, California, on September 8, 2022, for which meeting all of the members of said Commission had due notice; and that at the meeting the staff recommendation was adopted by the following votes:

AYES ():

NOES ():

ABSTAINS ():

ABSENT ():

This resolution expires one year after the adoption date. Extensions must be approved by the Commission in a public meeting. I further certify that the original minutes of said meeting and a copy of the original Resolution adopted at said meeting are on file in the California Student Aid Commission office; and that the Resolution has not been amended, modified, or rescinded in any manner since the date of its adoption, and the same is now in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this certificate hereto.

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**Marlene Garcia, Executive Director**  
September 8, 2022