California Student Aid Commission Legislative, Audit and Budget Committee

Item 5

(Action Item)

Consideration of Statement of Policy Priorities for the 2023-24 legislative session

SUMMARY:

This item updates the California Student Aid Commission's (Commission) Statement of Policy Priorities. The Statement of Policy Priorities document is intended to represent the Commission's vision for financial aid in California and guide its engagement around relevant legislative or budgetary issues.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Commission adopt the proposed Statement of Policy Priorities.

BACKGROUND:

The Commission approved a Statement of Policy Priorities on December 2, 2020 (see attached). This Statement of Policy Priorities has been used by staff to identify, track, and engage around federal and state policy proposals that are relevant to the Commission's priorities. Given the legislative progress made by the Commission since December 2020, movement on relevant policy discussions, changes to the membership of the Commission, as well as new federal and state political landscapes, staff recommend that the Commission adopt an updated Statement of Policy Priorities to inform in the 2023-2024 legislative session.

RESPONSIBLE PERSON(S):

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ATTACHMENT(S):

Statement of Policy Priorities adopted December 2, 2020 Proposed Statement of Policy Priorities for 2023-24