

TRANSMITTAL OF RULES ADOPTED

FROM: STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE EDUCATION
(Name of Agency)

TO: CODE REVISER
LEGISLATIVE BLDG (Southwest Corner, Ground Floor)
Olympia 98501

The enclosed Permanent rules , being order No. 11
Emergency rules

relating to (Name of rules or description of subject matter)

The waiver of tuition, operating and/or services and activities fees for needy and economically disadvantaged community college students enrolled in high school completion or collegiate-level courses or programs, including the procedure, criterion and priorities to be employed by a community college in determining an applicant's eligibility for such fee waivers.

(ALTERNATIVE A. Use only for adoption of permanent rules)

pursuant to Notice No. 3049^① filed with the code reviser on 6/11/1971^② were regularly adopted as permanent rules of this agency at Olympia, Wash. on 7/1/1971 and are herewith filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW. The effective date of such rules shall be 8/21/71.^③

(ALTERNATIVE B. Use only for adoption of emergency rules)

pursuant to its finding that the immediate adoption of these rules is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, or general welfare and that observance of the requirements of notice and opportunity to present views on the proposed action would be contrary to the public interest, were regularly adopted as emergency rules of this agency at _____ on _____ and are herewith filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW.

Dated this 22nd day of July 1971.

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STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE EDUCATION
(AGENCY)
By John R. Terrey
DEPUTY DIRECTOR
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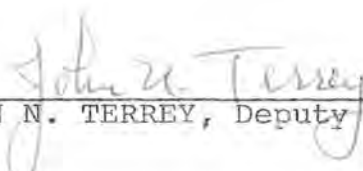
① NOTICE NUMBER AS APPEARS ON THE COPY OF NOTICE RETURNED TO YOU BY REVISER'S OFFICE (IF PROCEEDINGS WERE CONTINUED, USE NO. OF LAST NOTICE)
② STAMPED DATE AS APPEARS ON THE COPY OF NOTICE RETURNED TO YOU BY REVISER'S OFFICE (IF PROCEEDINGS WERE CONTINUED, USE DATE OF LAST NOTICE)
③ UNLESS A LATER DATE IS SPECIFIED IN THIS ORDER OR IS PRESCRIBED IN ANOTHER STATUTE, RULES ARE EFFECTIVE 30 DAYS AFTER FILING: RCW 34.04.040. LEAVE THIS SPACE BLANK EXCEPT IN SUCH SPECIAL CASES.

WASHINGTON STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE EDUCATION

RESOLUTION NO. 71-45

BE IT RESOLVED: That the State Board for Community College Education hereby adopts WAC 131-28-030, WAIVER OF FEES FOR HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION (attached, marked Exhibit "A-July-Tab 2" and incorporated herein by this reference) and WAC 131-28-040, CRITERIA FOR DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY FOR WAIVER OF FEES (attached, marked Exhibit "B-July-Tab 2" and incorporated herein by this reference) as amended; repeals WAC 131-28-050; and adopts NEW SECTIONS WAC 131-28-050, PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING LIMITATION ON THE AMOUNT OF FEE WAIVERS; WAC 131-28-060, PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING PRIORITIES IN AWARDING FEE WAIVERS, and WAC 131-28-070, COMBINATION OF FEE WAIVERS WITH OTHER FORMS OF STUDENT FINANCIAL AID (attached, marked Exhibit "C-July-Tab 2" and incorporated herein by this reference), and orders that they be filed with the Code Reviser.

I certify that the above is a true and accurate copy of Resolution No. 71-45, adopted by the State Board for Community College Education on July 1, 1971.



JOHN N. TERREY, Deputy Director

AMD

WAC 131-28-030 WAIVER OF FEES FOR HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION AND COLLEGIATE PROGRAM STUDENTS. Pursuant to authority granted by Chapter 28B.15 RCW, the board of trustees of community college districts are authorized to waive all or part of general tuition, operating, and services and activities fees for students enrolled in a course of study or program specifically for the purpose of completing a high school education and obtaining a high school diploma or its equivalent or for students enrolled in collegiate-level courses or programs, provided the student shall qualify for such waiver as determined by the criteria set forth in WAC 131-28-040 through WAC 131-28-050. In determining eligibility for such waiver, the college districts shall first exhaust all free methods of making such determination before requiring any method for which the applicant must pay a processing fee.

AMD

WAC 131-28-040 CRITERIA FOR DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY FOR WAIVER OF FEES. Waiver of general tuition, operating, and services and activities fees, or any portions thereof, normally charged to students enrolled in high school completion or collegiate-level courses or programs shall be based upon the determination that the student is a needy and economically disadvantaged student by application of a method of need analysis approved by the United States Office of Education for determining awards under Federal student financial aid programs: PROVIDED, That no applicant shall be declared ineligible for such waiver solely because his need for financial assistance is due to a temporary financial loss or inability to earn that, in the judgment of the appropriately designated official of the college district or campus, would prevent his enrolling in such high school completion or collegiate-level courses or program unless all or part of the required general tuition, operating, and services and activities fees associated with such enrollment were waived.

REP.

WAC 131-28-050 is repealed.

NEW

WAC 131-28-050 PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING LIMITATION ON THE AMOUNT OF FEE WAIVERS. For the purpose of determining the amount of any fee waiver established under the provisions of WAC 131-28-030, the various community colleges will limit any individual award to the amount established by a method of need analysis approved by the U. S. Office of Education for determining awards under Federal student financial aid programs such amount being the difference between the cost of attending the community college and the expected parental and/or independent student contribution toward such cost based on an analysis of assets and income.

NEW

WAC 131-28-060 PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING PRIORITIES IN AWARDING FEE WAIVERS. After the amount of financial need has been determined for each fee waiver applicant, first priority shall be given to students coming from families with gross annual incomes from \$0 to \$2,999; second priority to \$3,000 to \$5,999; third priority to \$6,000 to \$7,499; fourth priority to \$7,500 to \$8,999; and fifth priority to \$9,000 to \$11,999.

NEW

WAC 131-28-070 COMBINATION OF FEE WAIVERS WITH OTHER FORMS OF STUDENT FINANCIAL AID. Nothing in WAC 131-28-030 through WAC 131-28-060 is intended to prevent the award of fee waivers in conjunction with other forms of student financial aid as a package designed to meet the overall educational assistance needs of any student or to prevent the award of fee waivers to individuals participating in a class, course, or program specifically established for the members of a group of economically disadvantaged persons when that group meets the criteria established in WAC 131-28-040 through WAC 131-28-060.