

TRANSMITTAL OF RULES ADOPTED

FROM: State Board for Community College Education  
(Name of Agency)

TO: CODE REVISER  
LEGISLATIVE BLDG. (Southwest Corner, Ground Floor)  
OLYMPIA 98504

The enclosed rules Permanent rules  , being Order No. 50  
Emergency rules

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

continuing membership eligibility in the TIAA/CREF retirement program for certain community college employees who are reclassified to civil service positions.

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

pursuant to Notice No. \_\_\_\_\_ ① filed with the code reviser on \_\_\_\_\_ ② were regularly adopted as permanent rules of this agency at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ ③

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

pursuant to its finding in the attached administrative order, 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 Olympic Hotel, Seattle, Washington on 12/4/75 and are herewith filed in the office of the code reviser pursuant to chapter 34.04 RCW.

The undersigned hereby certifies that the requirements of chapter 34.04 RCW and of the Open Public Meetings Act of 1971, chapter 42.30 RCW have been fulfilled.

Dated this eighth day of December 1975.

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State Board for Community College Education  
(AGENCY)

By *[Signature]*  
Assistant Director  
Title

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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.  
[Order 9, filed 9/25/74, eff. 10/25/74] [Form CR-2: Rev. 9/21/74]

STATE OF WASHINGTON  
STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE EDUCATION  
ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 50  
SBCCE ORDER REGISTER

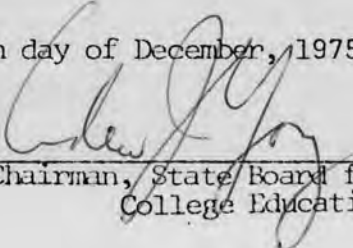
A resolution relating to continuing membership eligibility in the TIAA/CREF retirement program for certain community college employees who are reclassified to civil service positions.

WHEREAS, the State Board for Community College Education finds that the immediate adoption of amendments to WAC 131-16-020 relating to TIAA/CREF membership eligibility is necessary for the preservation of the public health, safety, and general welfare and that the observation of the requirement of notice and opportunity to present views and proposed action will be contrary to the public interest in that there exists a need to give the amendment immediate effect; to wit: The amended rule will have application to certain individuals who will be reclassified effective January 1, 1976, and whose retirement system membership will require clarification at that time.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the State Board for Community College Education that it adopt Administrative Order No. 50 and the annexed amended regulation identified as WAC 131-16-020 and made a part hereof by this reference, as an emergency rule.

This resolution and the annexed regulation, after being first recorded as an Administrative Order in the Order Register of the State Board for Community College Education, shall be forwarded to the Code Reviser for filing as an emergency rule pursuant to Chapter 34.04 RCW.

Approved and adopted this fourth day of December, 1975.

  
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Chairman, State Board for Community  
College Education

AMENDED

WAC 131-16-020 EMPLOYEES ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN  
RETIREMENT ANNUITY PURCHASE PLAN.

(1) Classes of employees eligible to participate in the TIAA/CREF Plan are:

(a) All employees of community college districts holding probationary or tenured faculty appointments as defined by RCW 28B.50.851.

(b) All employees of community college districts holding administrative appointments as defined by RCW 28B.50.851.

(c) The president of any community college or community college district.

(d) The State Director for Community College Education and any member of his staff that he may designate.

(e) Other such full-time employees as may be designated by the district boards of trustees so long as they are in positions exempt under the provisions of Chapter 28B.16 RCW, the State Higher Education Personnel Law.

(2) A full-time employee shall be defined as one who is employed for at least 80 percent of the normal work period for his class of employee; however, any such employee who is employed for less than 90 days during the fiscal year or who is designated as a temporary employee shall not be eligible for participation in this plan.

(3) An employee reclassified to an eligible position may become a participant if he so elects in writing within six months after being reclassified. If he does not so elect, he hereby permanently waives his right to become a participant. A participant who is reclassified to a classified position covered by Chapter 28B.16 RCW may continue to be a participant if he so elects in writing within six months after being reclassified. Such election shall be irrevocable.

(4) Any participant who has not retired and whose employment is reduced to less than the amount specified for eligibility to participate in the TIAA/CREF Plan shall continue to be a participant as long as he continues to be employed as a teacher, counselor, librarian, administrator, or other similar exempt position as provided in Chapter 28B.16 RCW, The State Higher Education Personnel Law.

(5) Any eligible employee may become a participant immediately upon employment but must become a participant within two years following initial appointment.