

WSR 21-17-033
PERMANENT RULES
STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY
AND TECHNICAL COLLEGES

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Purpose: Tuition and fees for students who demonstrate financial needs. Amends to meet financial aid terminology changes as a result of ESSHB 22158 [E2SHB 2158] (2019 session). No anticipated effects to rules other than terminology changes.

Citation of Rules Affected by this Order: Amending WAC 131-28-028 [131-28-030, 131-28-040, and 131-28-045].

Statutory Authority for Adoption: Chapter 28.50 RCW.

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AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 16-02-087, filed 1/5/16, effective 2/5/16)

WAC 131-28-030 Waiver of tuition and fees for (~~needy or disadvantaged~~) students who demonstrate financial need. Pursuant to authority granted by RCW 28B.15.740, the boards of trustees of community and technical college districts are authorized to waive all or part of tuition and services and activities fees for (~~needy~~) students who demonstrate financial need: Provided, That the students shall qualify for such waiver under criteria set forth in WAC 131-28-040 through 131-28-045.

[Statutory Authority: Chapter 28B.15 RCW. WSR 16-02-087, § 131-28-030, filed 1/5/16, effective 2/5/16. Statutory Authority: Chapters 28B.15 and 28B.50 RCW. WSR 95-13-070, § 131-28-030, filed 6/20/95, effective 7/21/95. Statutory Authority: RCW 28B.15.502. WSR 89-14-037 (Order 116, Resolution No. 89-16), § 131-28-030, filed 6/29/89. Statutory Authority: RCW 28B.15.502 and 28B.15.740. WSR 82-22-023 (Order 94, Resolution No. 82-37), § 131-28-030, filed 10/26/82. Statutory Authority:

RCW 28B.15.530. WSR 80-08-045 (Order 83, Resolution No. 80-29), § 131-28-030, filed 6/30/80; Order 47, § 131-28-030, filed 9/12/75; Order 38, § 131-28-030, filed 4/22/75; Order 11, § 131-28-030, filed 7/22/71; Order 7, § 131-28-030, filed 6/12/70.]

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 95-13-070, filed 6/20/95, effective 7/21/95)

WAC 131-28-040 Criteria for determining eligibility for waiver of tuition and fees under RCW 28B.15.740. Waiver of tuition and services and activities fees under RCW 28B.15.740(1) shall be based upon the determination that the student (~~(is a "needy student")~~) demonstrates financial need under a method of need analysis approved by the United States Department of Education for determining awards for federal student financial aid programs or a method adopted by the state board specifically for the purposes of this section, except as provided in WAC 131-28-045.

[Statutory Authority: Chapters 28B.15 and 28B.50 RCW. WSR 95-13-070, § 131-28-040, filed 6/20/95, effective 7/21/95. Statutory Authority: RCW 28B.15.502. WSR 89-14-037 (Order 116, Resolution No. 89-16), § 131-28-040, filed 6/29/89. Statutory Authority: RCW 28B.15.740. WSR 86-22-026 (Order 110, Resolution No. 86-42), § 131-28-040, filed 10/30/86. Statutory Authority: RCW 28B.15.502 and 28B.15.740. WSR 82-22-023 (Order 94, Resolution No. 82-37), § 131-28-040, filed 10/26/82. Statutory Authority: Chapter 34.04 RCW and WAC 1-12-065. WSR 79-07-070 (Order 74, Resolution No. 79-20), § 131-28-040, filed 6/28/79; Order 47, § 131-28-040, filed 9/12/75; Order 11, § 131-28-040, filed 7/22/71; Order 7, § 131-28-040, filed 6/12/70.]

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending WSR 16-02-087, filed 1/5/16, effective 2/5/16)

WAC 131-28-045 Procedure for implementing tuition and fee waivers authorized pursuant to RCW 28B.15.740. (1) Community and technical colleges may waive the tuition and service and activities fees for (~~(needy)~~) resident students who demonstrate financial need under the provisions of RCW 28B.15.740. The amount that can be waived under this provision is limited by the waiver limits set forth in RCW 28B.15.910.

(2) In addition, colleges may waive up to three-quarters of one percent of the estimated gross collection of tuition and service and activities fees for other students. These waivers are not to be awarded based on participation in intercollegiate athletics. The estimated gross collection of tuition and service and activities fees shall be based on budgeted, state supported, annual average enrollment, after deducting the portion of the gross amount which is attributed to the difference between resident and nonresident tuition and fees.

[Statutory Authority: Chapter 28B.15 RCW. WSR 16-02-087, § 131-28-045, filed 1/5/16, effective 2/5/16. Statutory Authority: Chapter 28.50 [28B.50] RCW. WSR 98-22-062, § 131-28-045, filed 11/2/98, effective 12/3/98. Statutory Authority: Chapters 28B.15 and 28B.50 RCW. WSR 95-13-070, § 131-28-045, filed 6/20/95, effective 7/21/95. Statutory

Authority: RCW 28B.15.502. WSR 89-14-037 (Order 116, Resolution No. 89-16), § 131-28-045, filed 6/29/89. Statutory Authority: RCW 28B.15.740. WSR 86-22-026 (Order 110, Resolution No. 86-42), § 131-28-045, filed 10/30/86. Statutory Authority: RCW 28B.15.502 and 28B.15.740. WSR 82-22-023 (Order 94, Resolution No. 82-37), § 131-28-045, filed 10/26/82. Statutory Authority: RCW 28B.15.530. WSR 80-08-045 (Order 83, Resolution No. 80-29), § 131-28-045, filed 6/30/80. Statutory Authority: RCW 28B.15.520, 28B.15.525, and 28B.15.530. WSR 78-06-058 (Order 70, Resolution No. 78-24), § 131-28-045, filed 5/24/78; Order 47, § 131-28-045, filed 9/12/75.]