COLLEGE STUDENT AID COMMISSION[283]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 261.62, the Iowa College Student Aid Commission hereby amends Chapter 28, "Teach Iowa Scholar Program," Iowa Administrative Code.

The amendment to Chapter 28 changes the order of selection criteria under the program.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on August 19, 2015, as **ARC 2110C**. The Commission received no public comment on the amendment. This amendment is identical to that published under Notice of Intended Action.

The Commission does not intend to grant waivers under the provisions of these rules.

After analysis and review of this rule making, the Commission finds that there is no impact on jobs. This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 261.

This amendment will become effective on December 2, 2015.

The following amendment is adopted.

Amend subrule 28.4(1) as follows:

28.4(1) Selection criteria. All applicants meeting the eligibility requirements will be considered for funding. In the event that all on-time applicants cannot be funded with the available appropriation, criteria for selection of recipients will be prioritized as follows:

a. Award renewal status;

b. Iowa resident status;

e. <u>*b*.</u> Graduation date, grouped by academic year, with the most recent academic year graduates given priority;

d. <u>c</u>. Prioritized annual ranking of eligible teaching fields by the department, with the highest ranking fields being served first, if information is available;

 $e_{\overline{c}} \underline{d}_{\overline{c}}$ Prioritized annual ranking of regional need within eligible teaching fields by the department, with the highest ranking regions being served first within each ranked eligible teaching field, if information is available;

e. Iowa resident status;

f. Date of application.

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