AP 5130 Financial Aid Information

Reference:
20 U.S.C. Sections 1070 et seq.;
34 Code of Federal Regulations Section 668;
Education Code Sections 66021.6 and 76300;
Title 5, Sections 58600 et seq.;

1.0 A financial and consumer guide pamphlet is available in each college Financial Aid Office. The guides are reviewed annually and updated. Web sites describing financial aid procedures are also made known to students.

2.0 Further information can be obtained from the U.S. Department of Education at HTTP://www.ifap.ed.gov or from the California Community College Student Financial Assistance Unit at HTTP://icanaffordcollege.com.

3.0 Misrepresentation

3.1 Misrepresentation is defined as any false, erroneous, or misleading statement that the District, a representative of the District, or a service provider with which the District has contracted to provide educational programs, marketing, advertising, recruiting or admissions services, makes directly or indirectly to a student, prospective student, a member of the public, an accrediting agency, a state agency, or the United States Department of Education.

3.2 A misleading statement includes any statement that has the likelihood or tendency to deceive or confuse. If a person to whom the misrepresentation was made could reasonably be expected to rely, or has reasonably relied, on the misrepresentation, the misrepresentation would be substantial.

4.0 This policy does not apply to statements by students through social media outlets or by vendors that are not providing covered services, as reflected herein.

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