

## **AP 2735 Board Member Travel**

Reference:

**Education Code Section 72423**

- 1.0 Board Members are encouraged to participate in activities that increase and enhance their understanding of the community college mission and the role of trustees on a governing board, including serving as advocates for, and representatives of, the NOCCCD. When such participation occurs, board members are encouraged to report on their activities to their fellow trustees, at a regular board meeting.
- 2.0 To support such activities, the Board may adopt a fixed amount annually as part of the regular budget process. The fixed amount shall be divided into ninths and allocated according to the following formula:
  - 2.1 Two ninths designated for use by the Board President;
  - 2.2 One ninth designated for each of the six other elected trustees; and
  - 2.3 One ninth divided equally for each student trustee.
- 3.0 Any unexpended funds at the end of the fiscal year will be returned to the General Fund.
- 4.0 Reimbursement for trustee travel expenses shall follow District procedures for staff.

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