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Re: Notice of Complete Filing and Schedule for Comments
Incorrect Reduction Claim

Enrollment Fee Collection and Waivers, 15-9913-I-02

Education Code Section 76300

California Code of Regulations, Title 5, Sections 58501-58503, 58611-58613,
58620, and 58630

Fiscal Years: 1998-1999, 1999-2000, 2000-2001, 2001-2002, 2002-2003, 2003-2004,
2004-2005, 2005-2006, 2006-2007, 2007-2008, 2008-2009, 2009-2010, and 2010-2011

North Orange County Community College District, Claimant

Dear Mr. Petersen, Mr. Williams, and Ms. Kanemasu:

On June 27, 2016, the North Orange County Community College District filed an Incorrect Reduction Claim (IRC) with the Commission on State Mandates (Commission) based on the State Controller's (SCO's) reductions to its reimbursement claims for costs incurred under the *Enrollment Fee Collection and Waivers* program for fiscal years 1998-1999, 1999-2000, 2000-2001, 2001-2002, 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006, 2006-2007, 2007-2008, 2008-2009, 2009-2010, and 2010-2011. Commission staff has determined that the IRC filing is complete.

Government Code section 17551(b) requires the Commission to hear and decide claims by local agencies and school districts that the SCO has incorrectly reduced payments to the local agencies or school districts.

SCO Review and Response. Please file the SCO written comments and supporting documentation regarding this claim no later than **October 5, 2016**. Please include an explanation of the reasons for the reductions and the computation of reimbursements. All documentary evidence must be authenticated by declarations under penalty of perjury signed by persons who are authorized and competent to do so and be based on the declarant's personal knowledge, information or belief.

The failure of the SCO to respond within this 90-day timeline shall not cause the Commission to delay consideration of this IRC. (Gov. Code §17553(d))

The Commission's regulations require that written materials filed with the Commission be simultaneously served on all parties, interested parties, and interested persons on the mailing list, and accompanied by a proof of service. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 2, 1181.3) However, this requirement may be satisfied by electronically filing your documents via the Commission's e-filing system. Please see http://www.csm.ca.gov/dropbox_procedures.php on the Commission's website. The written material will be posted on the Commission's website and the mailing list

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will be notified by electronic mail of the posting. This procedure will satisfy all the service requirements pursuant to section 1181.3 of the Commission's regulations.

Claimant's Rebuttal. Upon receipt of the SCO comments, the claimant and interested parties may file rebuttals. The rebuttals are due 30 days from the service date of the comments.

Informal Conference. An informal conference may be scheduled if requested. Refer to section 1187.4 of the Commission's regulations.

Public Hearing and Draft Proposed Decision. The public hearing on this claim has been tentatively scheduled for **January 26, 2018**. The Draft Proposed Decision will be issued for comment at least eight weeks prior to the public hearing.

Withdrawal of Incorrect Reduction Claims. Under section 1185.8 of the Commission's regulations, an IRC may be withdrawn by written application any time before a decision is adopted or by oral application at the time of hearing. If such an application is made, the executive director shall issue a letter dismissing the claim.

Sincerely,



Heather Halsey
Executive Director

COMMISSION ON STATE MANDATES

Mailing List

Last Updated: 7/6/16

Claim Number: 15-9913-I-02

Matter: Enrollment Fee Collection and Waivers

Claimant: North Orange County Community College District

TO ALL PARTIES, INTERESTED PARTIES, AND INTERESTED PERSONS:

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