

CASFAA Federal Issues Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: 07/10/14

Time: 2:00 PM to 2:30 PM PST

Location: Conference Call

Committee Members Present:

David Allen, Lina Bojorquez, Scott Cline (chair), Louise Jones, Malina Chang

Committee Members Not Present:

Denise Pena, Eileen Brzozowski, Emily Valdovinos, Melissa Moser, Peggy Wellisch, Robin Darcangelo. Thomas Le, Vicki Shipley

Agenda

1. Updates from Last NegReg Sessions
 - a. Violence Against Women Act; Proposed Rule -
<http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2014-06-20/pdf/2014-14384.pdf>
 - b. Program Integrity - waiting on Proposed Rules
2. HEA Reauthorization - Updates
 - a. Sen. Tom Harkin (D-Iowa) -
<http://www.help.senate.gov/imo/media/doc/HEAA%20Discussion%20Draft%20Language%206.25.14.pdf>
 - b. House Education and the Workforce Committee White Paper
 - i. Press Release:
<http://edworkforce.house.gov/news/documentsingle.aspx?DocumentID=385798>
 - ii. White Paper:
http://edworkforce.house.gov/uploadedfiles/hea_whitepaper.pdf
3. Presidential College Rating Proposal - Updates
 - a. Not supported from the House Committee white paper
 - b. The Department is going forward (based on comments at NASFAA from Jeff Baker), but are very sensitive to wanting to "get it right".
4. Updates from the NASFAA Conference - Federal Update/Town Halls
 - a. Strong Support from Department for PPY (with or without congress, preference for congress)
 - b. Perkins Loan Program - Should be getting more guidance on the end of the program (unless congress acts) of September 2015
 - c. FAFSA processing change/reprocess - changes and edits to families on the FAFSA who put .00 in income/AGI. Department to reprocess about 165,000 ISIRs shortly.

Action Items:

1. After the program integrity NPRM is published, put that out to the committee and segment reps

Next Committee Meeting: August 14, 2014 from 2:00 PM to 3:00 PM PST (via Conference Call)