

DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY

Student Financial Assistance Commission
Office of Student Financial Assistance
Scholarship/Grant Programs
(LAC 28:IV.1805)

The Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission (LASFAC) is exercising the emergency provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act [R.S. 49:953(B)] to amend and re-promulgate the rules of the Scholarship/Grant programs (R.S. 17:3021-3025, R.S. 3041.10-3041.15, and R.S. 17:3042.1.1-3042.8, R.S. 17:3048.1, R.S. 56:797.D(2)).

This rulemaking amends Section 1805 of LASFAC’s Scholarship/Grants rules for the Chafee Educational and Training Voucher Program to provide that a student must be ages 16-21 to be eligible for the program.

The emergency rules are necessary to implement changes to the Scholarship/Grant programs to allow the Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance and state educational institutions to effectively administer these programs. A delay in promulgating rules would have an adverse impact on the financial welfare of the eligible students and the financial condition of their families. LASFAC has determined that these emergency rules are necessary in order to prevent imminent financial peril to the welfare of the affected students.

This declaration of emergency is effective July 17, 2013, and shall remain in effect for the maximum period allowed under the Administrative Procedure Act. (SG14148E)

Title 28

EDUCATION

Part IV. Student Financial Assistance—Higher Education Scholarship and Grant Programs

Chapter 18. Chafee Educational And Training Voucher Program

§1805. Eligibility

A. To establish eligibility, a student must:

1. Be ages ~~16~~ to 21, except that a student who was participating in the Chafee ETV Program at age 21 may continue to receive ETVs until he attains the age of 23; and
2. Be in the foster care system, or aged out of the foster care system, or was under Legal Guardianship, or was in the foster care system or under Legal Guardianship and was adopted after age 16; and
3. Be enrolled in postsecondary education; and

4. Annually complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid.

B.1. ...

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 17:3021-3036, R.S. 17:3042.1, and R.S. 17:3048.1.

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Student Financial Assistance Commission, Office of Student Financial Assistance, LR

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