



May 24, 2005

TO: Financial Aid Officers,
Eligible Public and Independent Institutions

FROM: Dr. Karen Woodfaulk, Director of Student Services
South Carolina Commission on Higher Education

RE: Initial College Enrollment Date for Dually Enrolled High School Students

EFFECTIVE DATE: Academic Year 2005-06

EXPIRATION DATE: End of Spring Term 2006

The Commission has decided to grant another one-year extension to the original moratorium effective Fall 2005 which will allow dually enrolled high school students to receive Lottery Tuition Assistance funding. ***Institutions should continue to report these students as degree-seeking for the purpose of receiving Lottery Tuition Assistance.*** Although CHE will continue to propose legislation to amend the current law, ***please be advised that this is the last year the moratorium will be in effect.***

We encourage you to inform all relevant personnel about this extension to allow dually enrolled students to receive LTAP during the 2005-06 academic year without affecting their initial college enrollment date for the SC HOPE, LIFE, or Palmetto Fellows Scholarship Programs. If you should have any questions, concerns, or need clarification regarding this directive, please do not hesitate to contact Dr. Karen Woodfaulk, Director of Student Services, 803-737-2244, or Ms. Karen Wham, 803-737-4544.

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