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Public Institutions of Higher Education

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Director, Financial Aid Services

DATE: June 23, 2020

RE: FY 2021 Toward EXcellence, Access, and Success (TEXAS) Grant 10-Day

Allocation Data Review

The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) announces the 10-day allocation data review for the 2020-21 (FY 2021) TEXAS Grant program for public institutions.

State agencies have been directed to submit a plan that reduces their 2020-21 biennial appropriations by 5%. The attached spreadsheet reflects the reduction plan that the THECB submitted to the Legislative Budget Board. Institutions will be informed of final allocations once the THECB has received approval of the plan.

The allocation rule (19 TAC, Section 22.236(a)(3)) requires a 10-day review period so that institutions may evaluate the data in the enclosed attachment: "FY 2021 TEXAS Grant Preliminary Allocation Calculation Data with Reduction." The preliminary allocation calculation is based on data institutions submitted on the FY 2018 and FY 2019 Financial Aid Database (FAD) reports.

Please review the enclosed data and notify Financial Aid Services staff of any discrepancies by **July 7, 2020** through the online <u>CONTACT US</u> portal (select "Financial Aid Question" as the Contact Reason). **The THECB will assume that a non-response from an institution confirms that the school's data is accurate.**

Enclosed:

FY 2021 TEXAS Grant Preliminary Allocation Calculation Data with Reduction