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Memorandum

To: Public Institutions of Higher Education

From: Charles W. Contéro-Puls, EdD
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Date: October 3, 2025

Subject: Financial Aid Displacement Advisory

During the 89th Texas Legislature (Regular Session), [Texas Education Code \(TEC\), Title 3, Section 56.0094\(c\)](#), was enacted through [Senate Bill 2995](#). It requires all institutions of higher education to include specific information about gift aid in their admissions application forms or materials.

Among these requirements is the Financial Aid Displacement Advisory, which the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (Coordinating Board) is required by statute to create. Enclosed are instructions that provide additional details for institutional implementation.

Note: The Coordinating Board does not plan to propose rules related to this section. Institutions should review the statute to ensure full compliance.

For questions, please call 844-792-2640 or submit an online inquiry through [Contact Us](#) (select "Financial Aid Question" for the subject under Contact Reason).

Enclosure: [Financial Aid Displacement Advisory Instructions](#)