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AGENDA

LOS ANGELES COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE
Educational Services Center
Board Room – First Floor
770 Wilshire Boulevard
Los Angeles, CA 90017
Wednesday, September 21, 2011
9:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.

Committee Members

Nancy Pearlman, Chair
Scott J. Svonkin
Steve Veres
Mona Field, Alternate
Camille Goulet, Resource
Perrin Reid, Staff Liaison
Jamillah Moore, College President Liaison

Agenda

(Items may be taken out of order)

- I. ROLL CALL
- II. PUBLIC SPEAKERS*
- III. REPORTS/RECOMMENDATIONS
 - A. Review of Los Angeles Community College District Process for Taking Legislative Positions and Recommendation to Adopt the California Community Colleges (CCC) Model Employed by Chancellor Jack Scott

In January 2009, the Board of Governors approved a statement of legislative principles and policy guidelines that delegate authority, within certain parameters, to the Chancellor to formulate bill positions for the CCC. The goal of the process change was to improve the CCC's effectiveness, influence, and timeliness in weighing in on important legislative policies. A two-member legislative subcommittee of the Board of Governors is briefed on legislative matters prior to each board meeting.

- B. McCallum Group Report: 2011-2012 State Legislative Agenda

- C. Legislation

- AB 436 (Solorio)

AB 436 amends several statutes previously amended by SB2x-9, relating to labor compliance, to address legal concerns raised by the Attorney General's Office. This bill requires the Department of Industrial Relations Compliance Monitoring Unit (CMU) to perform labor compliance enforcement on all state bond-funded projects and community college district design-build projects. The CMU charges up to a ¼ of 1% fee to the awarding body on the covered projects. The fee can be waived for awarding bodies that perform prevailing wage enforcement themselves if the awarding body has its own Labor Compliance Program (LCP), but not if the awarding body uses a private third party to conduct its LCP. The fee can also be waived if the awarding body has a Project Labor Agreement (PLA).

The LACCD has had a very successful PLA since 2001 that helps to ensure that proper wages are being paid on its public works projects. Thus, the LACCD would be eligible for a fee waiver under AB 436.

- Proposition 1481: *Oil Extraction Fee to Rescue Education* (Proponents: Peter Mathews, Frank Dawoodjee, and Paul Garver)

The initiative requires that California apply a 15% oil extraction fee on the value of each barrel of oil, California's common resources, extracted onshore and offshore. The revenue generated by this fee shall be appropriated in the following amounts: K-12, 30%; CCC, 48% (approx. 1.72 billion); CSU, 11%; UC, 11%. This will reduce college and university tuition fees and restore class sections.

IV. NEW BUSINESS

V. SUMMARY – NEXT MEETING..... Nancy Pearlman

VI. ADJOURNMENT

*Members of the public are allotted five minutes time to address the agenda issues.

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