

BP 3420 EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

References:

Education Code Sections 87100 et seq.; Title 5 Sections 53000 et seq.; ACCJC Accreditation Standard III.A.11

The Board of Trustees supports the intent set forth by the California Legislature to assure that effort is made to build a community in which employment opportunity is equalized, and community colleges foster a climate of acceptance, with the inclusion of faculty and staff from a wide variety of backgrounds. The Board supports diversity in the academic environment as a means of fostering cultural awareness, developing mutual understanding and respect, and providing suitable role models for all students. The Board therefore commits itself to promote equal employment through a continuing equal employment opportunity program.

The Superintendent/President shall develop, for review and adoption by the Board, an Equal Employment Opportunity Plan that complies with the Education Code and Title 5 requirements which are modified or clarified from time to time by judicial interpretation. Due to the highly dynamic nature of the law, the Superintendent/President shall consult with legal counsel in implementing this policy and the Plan.

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