

AB 2615 (Wood) – Synopsis of Proposed Changes

1. **Equitable Geographic Distribution [EC 8483.3(a), 8423(a), 8484.8(l)]**
 - A. Removes this stipulation for ASES programs
 - B. For 21st CCLC and ASSETs, defines “northern” as CCSESA regions 1-4, “southern” as 9-11 and central as 4-8. Urban and rural are defined by census designations.
2. **Good Standing [EC 8483.7(a)(1)(A)(vi), 8426(i)]**
 - A. Adds “audit resolutions” to list of compliance requirements, and gives the CDE the option to “withhold” or terminate the grant award allocation. Applies this same provision to ASSETs programs.
3. **Attendance Credit for Emergency School Closure [EC 8482.8(d), 8426(j)]**
 - A. Removes the need for State Board approval for granting this credit and applies this provision to ASSETs grants as well.
4. **Fees (EC 8482.6, 8422(c))**
 - A. Clarifies that programs may charge a fee, but must offer free or reduced fees for students eligible for free or reduced-price meals and applies this provision to ASSETs.
5. **Grades Served [EC 8482.3(a)]**
 - A. Permits school sites to determine the grades served at that particular school.
6. **Technical Change to Citation [EC 8427(a)(2)] (no effect)**
7. **School Site Substitution [EC 8482.8(a)&(b), 8426.5(a)&(b)]**
 - A. Defines the conditions under which funds may be transferred from one site to another as:
 - i. School site will be receiving students from the current school site, and
 - ii. School site shall already have a grant of the same type, or
 - iii. School site shall have an FRPM eligibility rate not lower than 10% below the original school site. For new schools, feeder schools’ rates can be used.
 - B. Applies this same provision to ASSETs programs.
8. **Fiscal Agent Change [EC 8482.3(f)(4)]**
 - A. Permits change of fiscal agent from public agency to local education agency or from LEA to public agency, if the public agency is a current partner.
9. **Restructuring Grantee Partners [EC 8482.4(c)], 8426(a)]**
 - A. Permits the restructuring of partnerships, only at the time of renewal, under the following conditions:
 - i. All partners agree to the change.
 - ii. Fiscal agent must be LEA or public agency.
 - iii. No change to the school sites served.
 - iv. CDE approves change.
 - B. Applies this same provision to ASSETs programs.