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AP 6320 Investments

(Replaces current SBCCD AP 6320)

All funds of the San Bernardino Community College District (SBCCD) deposited with the San Bernardino County Treasurer shall be invested in accordance with Government Code Section 27000.5, in accordance with Board Policy 6320, and under the direction of San Bernardino County’s investment Advisory Committee.

Ethics and Conflict of Interest

Officers and employees of SBCCD involved in the investment process shall refrain from personal business activity that may conflict with proper execution of the investment program, or which could impair their ability to make impartial investment decisions.

Employees and investment officials who manage public investments shall file a statement of economic interest disclosing his or her investments, interests in real property and income in accordance with Government Code 87200.

Acceptable and Prohibited Investments

Funds invested by SBCCD shall be in the following instruments, under the parameters outlined in Government Code Sections 53635, 53601, and 53631.5:

- Negotiable Certificates of Deposit
- Money Market Funds
- Collateralized Bank Deposits
- Time Deposits
- County Pooled Investment Funds

Pursuant to Government Code Section 53601.6, funds of the San Bernardino Community College District shall not be invested in any of the following instruments:

- Inverse Floaters
- Range Notes
- Interest Only Strips
- Any Security That Could Result in ZERO INTEREST ACCRUAL

Authorized Personnel

The Chancellor, Executive Vice Chancellor, or designee shall request approval from the Board to investment

surplus funds.

Both the Chancellor or designee and the Executive Vice Chancellor must jointly authorize investment decisions such as:

- Transfers of funds to the appropriate agency or financial institution for investment purposes,
- Asset allocation and rebalancing; and
- Liquidation of investments.

Safekeeping and Custody

All security transactions entered into by SBCCD shall be conducted on a delivery-versus-payment basis. Securities will be held by a third party custodian designated by the Chancellor and Executive Vice Chancellor and evidenced by safekeeping receipts with a written custodial agreement. The securities will be held directly in the name of the San Bernardino Community College District as beneficiary.

Recording and Reconciliation

Investment statements shall be provided to Fiscal Services for review, recording of investment activity, and reconciliation. Journal entries to record investment activity and the reconciliation of the investment statement shall be prepared by an accountant or designee, and approved by the Director of Fiscal Services or designee.

References:

Government Code Sections 53600 et seq., 87200

Attachments

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