

Common Manual News

On October 21, 2010, the Common Manual Governing Board approved four proposals to modify the *Common Manual*. The changes made in the proposals will be incorporated into the *Common Manual* with the publication of the next update in 2011. These proposals modify the following sections of the manual:

Program Participation Agreement and Voter Registration

4.1.A Establishing Eligibility

Loan Funds Delivered to a Student Who Subsequently Drops to Less Than-Half-Time Enrollment

8.9.C Return of Unearned Loan Funds

Relief from the Consequences of Cohort Default Rates

16.1 Overview of Cohort Default Rates and Terminology

16.4 School Official Cohort Default Rates, Adjustments, and Appeals

16.4.B School Appeals

Definition of "Institution of Higher Education"

Appendix G

Copies of the bulletin language for these proposals are available from the Common Manual's webpage at www.commonmanual.org. The bulletin language is available under the Approved Policies and the Integrated Common Manual can be found under the Common Manual heading.