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allocation letter represents the Secretary's approval to carry back funds.

(e) *Use of funds carried forward and carried back.* An institution may use the funds carried forward or carried back under paragraphs (c) and (d) of this section, respectively, for activities described in paragraph (a) of this section.

(f) *Carry back funds for summer FSEOG awards.* An institution may carry back and expend in the previous award year any portion of its initial and supplemental FSEOG allocations for the current award year to make awards to eligible students for payment periods that begin on or after May 1 of the previous award year but end prior to the beginning of the current award year.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1070b *et seq.*, 1095 and 1096)

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§ 676.19 Fiscal procedures and records.

(a) *Fiscal Procedures.* (1) In administering its FSEOG program, an institution shall establish and maintain an internal control system of checks and balances that insures that no office can both authorize payments and disburse funds to students.

(2) An institution shall maintain funds received under this part in accordance with the requirements in § 668.163.

(b) *Records and reporting.* (1) An institution shall follow the record retention and examination provisions in this part and in 34 CFR 668.24.

(2) An institution shall establish and maintain program and fiscal records that are reconciled at least monthly.

(3) Each year an institution shall submit a Fiscal Operations Report plus other information the Secretary requires. The institution shall insure that the information reported is accurate and shall submit it on the form

and at the time specified by the Secretary.

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§ 676.20 Minimum and maximum FSEOG awards.

(a) An institution may award an FSEOG for an academic year in an amount it determines a student needs to continue his or her studies. However, except as provided in paragraph (c) of this section, an FSEOG may not be awarded for a full academic year that is—

- (1) Less than \$100; or
- (2) More than \$4,000.

(b) For a student enrolled for less than a full academic year, the minimum allowable FSEOG may be proportionately reduced.

(c) The maximum amount of the FSEOG may be increased from \$4,000 to as much as \$4,400 for a student participating in a program of study abroad that is approved for credit by the home institution, if reasonable costs for the study abroad program exceed the cost of attendance at the home institution.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1070, 1070b-1)

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§ 676.21 FSEOG Federal share limitations.

(a) Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this section, for the 1993-94 award year and subsequent award years, the Federal share of the FSEOG awards made by an institution may not exceed 75 percent of the amount of FSEOG awards made by that institution.

(b) The Secretary authorizes, for each award year, a Federal share of 100 percent of the FSEOGs awarded to students by an institution that—

(1) Is designated as an eligible institution under—

- (i) The Developing Hispanic-Serving Institutions Program (34 CFR part 606);
- (ii) The Strengthening Institutions Program, American Indian Tribally

Controlled Colleges and Universities Program, or Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian-Serving Institutions Program (34 CFR part 607); or

(iii) The Strengthening Historically Black Colleges and Universities Program (34 CFR part 608); and

(2) Requests that increased Federal share as part of its regular SEOG funding application for that year.

(c) The non-Federal share of SEOG awards must be made from the institution's own resources, which include for this purpose—

(1) Institutional grants and scholarships;

(2) Tuition or fee waivers;

(3) State scholarships; and

(4) Foundation or other charitable organization funds.

(Authority: 20 U.S.C. 1068d, 1103d, and 1070b–2)

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