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Host a Hearing

STRENGTHING COMMUNITY COLLEGE FINANCE

The California Community College (CCC) system is the foundation of California higher education, serving more than 1.6 million students annually. While the CCC enroll the largest number of students in California higher education, the program based funding approach for the CCC is a K-12 rather than a postsecondary model. As a result, it does not generate funds with any sensitivity to the real costs of providing postsecondary instructional services, it contains far to many bureaucratic restrictions, and it results in unjustifiable differences in revenues among the districts.

This joint hearing will seek to identify options to more adequately fund California's community colleges, linking State funding with State policy priorities and objectives.

Date: Thursday, October 7, 2004

Location: Pasadena City College

Jack Scott Multipurpose Room Community Education Center 3035 E. Foothill Boulevard Pasadena, California 91106

Time: 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

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