

CASFAA Federal Issues Committee

July 9, 2015

1:00pm – 2:00pm

Conference Call

(1-888-450-4821 Participant Passcode: 175728)

Attendees: Vicky Shipley, Anafe Robinson, Peggy Wellish, Louise Jones

1. America's College Promise Act – Legislation introduced by Democrats in Congress

- http://www.nasfaa.org/news-item/4942/Lawmakers_Introduce_Legislation_to_Implement_President_Obama_s_Community_College_Proposal
- <http://www.baldwin.senate.gov/download/?id=aee3ddcc-9e84-401c-b5b7-20865a392ca0&download=1>

2. Gates Foundation recommendation to simplify FAFSA

- http://www.nasfaa.org/news-item/4944/Gates_Foundation_Recommends_Ways_to_Simplify_FAFSA

What kind of result will be seen by using PPY. Other 4-year may be concerned

3. Perkins Loan Program

- Letter of support?
- Attachment – WASFAA's Letter of Support to H. Res 294
- Perkins Q&A document <http://ifap.ed.gov/cbpmaterials/attachments/PerkinsQandAs.pdf>
- USDE's clarification on grandfathering provisions http://www.nasfaa.org/news-item/4886/ED_Responds_To_NASFAA_s_Request_For_Clarification_On_Perkins_Guidance

3. Other Items

- NPRM for REPAYE <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2015-07-09/pdf/2015-16623.pdf>
 - Summary from ACCT:
<http://www.acct.org/files/Advocacy/Factsheets%20and%20Summaries/REPAYE%20Fact%20Sheet%20FINAL.pdf>

4. Next meeting – cancel July 23rd meeting and reschedule to July 30th @ 2:00pm