

# South Carolina Higher Education Tuition Grants Commission

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## *2014-2015 College Program Reviews*

*(Submission of Program Reviews is required by December 31, 2015)*

<u>College</u>	<u>Received</u>	<u>Status</u>
Allen	12-29-2015	Closed
Anderson	10-19-2015	Closed
Benedict	12-28-2015	Closed
Bob Jones	12-30-2015	Closed
Charleston Southern	9-14-2015	Closed
Clafflin	10-19-2015	Closed
Coker	11-16-2015	Closed
Columbia	11-12-2015	Closed
Columbia International	11-9-2015	Closed
Converse	11-19-2015	Closed
Erskine	9-14-2015	Closed
Furman	12-18-2015	Closed
Limestone	12-17-2015	Closed
Morris	11-9-2015	Closed
Newberry	12-18-2015	Closed
North Greenville	12-18-2015	Closed
Presbyterian	11-16-2015	Closed
Southern Wesleyan	10-26-2015	Closed
Spartanburg Methodist	12-28-2015	Closed
Voorhees	11-24-2015	Closed
Wofford	12-28-2015	Closed

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**STAFF RECOMMENDATION REGARDING  
REFUND POLICY CHANGE - EFFECTIVE 2015-16**

**After an analysis of Program Review findings and comparing Commission policy to Federal financial aid refund regulations, the Commission staff recommends to the Commission that the time requirement for refunds to the Commission be extended. The current Commission policy requires colleges to submit refunds to the Commission:**

*“within twenty (20) working days of the later of either (a) the date the college receives the funds or (b) the date that the college becomes aware that a student is ineligible for the funds.”*

*Commission staff recommends that the twenty (20) working days policy be increased to thirty (30) working days to more closely align with the federal requirement of forty-five (45) calendar days for required refunds of federal funds. The staff recommends that this change in policy be effective immediately for the current 2015-2016 award year.*