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SUBJECT Awarding of LSUS Scholarships to Entering Freshmen

I. PURPOSE

To state an institutional policy on the awarding of LSUS scholarships to entering freshmen.

II. DEFINITIONS

LSUS scholarships are four-year \$800 per year scholarships funded by state appropriations. Twenty of these are awarded each year to entering freshmen.

"LSUS service area" is that geographic area within reasonable commuting distance of LSUS and from which students could normally choose to commute to LSUS. Primarily this area includes Caddo, Bossier, Webster, Bienville, Red River, and DeSoto parishes.

III. POLICY

LSUS scholarships are awarded to entering freshmen and are based primarily on the academic (including ACT scores) and extra-curricular activity records of the applicants. Priority is given to those students within LSUS' service area and awards are made in keeping with the spirit and intent of the University's affirmative action efforts.

IV. IMPLEMENTATION

The Student Financial Aid and Scholarship Committee is responsible for implementing this policy. This Committee has the authority to determine each year the best way to implement this policy according to the scholarship applications being considered that year.