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**MEMORANDUM**

**To:** Private and Proprietary Institution Financial Aid Directors  
**From:** Timothy A. Connell *TAC*  
**Subject:** State Fiscal Year 2009 HOPE Scholarship-Private Program and Tuition Equalization Grant Program Award Amounts  
**Date:** May 19, 2008

I am pleased to announce that the State Fiscal Year 2009 budget, as passed by the General Assembly and signed into law by Governor Perdue, includes an increase in the HOPE Scholarship – Private Program from \$3,000 to \$3,500 per academic year, and an increase in the Tuition Equalization Grant (TEG) Program from \$1,100 to \$1,200 per academic year.

The award amounts by term for the HOPE Scholarship – Private Program and TEG Program will be as follows:

**HOPE Scholarship – Private Program (Full-Time)**

Summer Semester 2008	\$1,750	Summer Quarter 2008	\$1,166
Fall Semester 2008	\$1,750	Fall Quarter 2008	\$1,167
Spring Semester 2009	\$1,750	Winter Quarter 2009	\$1,167
		Spring Quarter 2009	\$1,166

**HOPE Scholarship – Private Program (Half-Time)**

Summer Semester 2008	\$ 875	Summer Quarter 2008	\$ 583
Fall Semester 2008	\$ 875	Fall Quarter 2008	\$ 584
Spring Semester 2009	\$ 875	Winter Quarter 2009	\$ 583
		Spring Quarter 2009	\$ 583

**Tuition Equalization Grant Program**

Summer Semester 2008	\$ 600	Summer Quarter 2008	\$ 400
Fall Semester 2008	\$ 600	Fall Quarter 2008	\$ 400
Spring Semester 2009	\$ 600	Winter Quarter 2009	\$ 400
		Spring Quarter 2009	\$ 400

Eligible students who enroll for three semesters or four quarters during the award year may receive HOPE and TEG payment for all three semesters or four quarters.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Program Administration at [programadmin@gsfc.org](mailto:programadmin@gsfc.org) or (800) 414-3080.