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HIGHER EDUCATIONAL AIDS BOARD
BOARD REPORT #08-14
2007-08 APPLICANTS AND PROGRAMS

Data from January 23, 2008

Wisconsin Higher Education Grant – UW WHEG - UW has committed 131.64% (\$65,821,681) of its appropriation with 30,877 awards. This is 2,013 more awards and .39% less committed than at this time last year. In 2006-07 the program had committed 131.25% of its appropriation at this time.

Wisconsin Higher Education Grant – WTC

WHEG – WTC has committed 170.8% (\$29,237,228) of its appropriation with 34,039 awards. This is 951 more awards and .21% more committed than at this time last year. In 2006-07 the program had committed 168.58% of its appropriation at this time.

Wisconsin Tuition Grant

WTG has committed 96.84% (\$24,653,286) of its appropriation with 9,284 awards. This is 1,997 more awards and 13.13% more committed than at this time last year. In 2006-07 the program had committed 72.87% of its appropriation at this time.

Wisconsin Higher Education Grant – Tribal

WHEG – Tribal has committed 120.34% (\$498,214) of its appropriation with 306 awards. This is 68 more awards and 24.91% more committed than at this time last year. In 2006-07 the program had committed 95.43% of its appropriation at this time.

Status of Applicants

The number of applicants (first-time FAFSA filers who listed Wisconsin as their state of legal residence) for 2007-08, through January 22, 2008, is 250,872. Last year at this time there were 243,773 applicants. Applicants for 2006-07 totaled 254,376.

**STATUS OF 2007-2008 PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED
BY THE HIGHER EDUCATIONAL AIDS BOARD**

PROGRAM	Dollars Spent as of Jan. 22, 2008	2007-08 Total Appropriation	Remaining Funds	% of 07-08 Funds Spent	% of 06-07 Funds Spent as of 1/22/07
Academic Excellence Scholarship	\$1,876,778	\$3,170,000	\$1,293,222	59.20%	38.08%
Hearing & Visually Handicapped Student Grant	\$65,596	\$123,800	\$58,204	52.99%	57.18%
Indian Student Assistance Grant	\$527,094	\$787,600	\$260,506	66.92%	70.42%
Minority Teacher Loan	\$99,272	\$262,100	\$162,828	37.88%	48.12%
Minority Undergraduate Retention Grant - Independent Colleges & Universities, Tribal	\$189,097	\$387,950	\$198,853	48.74%	43.17%
Minority Undergraduate Retention Grant - WTC System	\$181,100	\$387,950	\$206,850	46.68%	75.28%
Nursing Student Loan	\$214,642	\$450,000	\$235,358	47.70%	52.56%
Talent Incentive Program Grant *	\$4,457,449	\$5,957,725	\$1,500,276	74.82%	76.72%
Teacher Education Loan	\$98,750	\$275,000	\$176,250	35.91%	0.00%
Teacher of the Visually Impaired Loan	\$92,000	\$100,000	\$8,000	92.00%	65.00%
Wisconsin Higher Education Grant - Tribal	\$229,716	\$414,000	\$184,284	55.49%	51.62%
Wisconsin Higher Education Grant - UW System	\$42,977,263	\$50,000,000	\$7,022,737	85.95%	82.77%
Wisconsin Higher Education Grant - WTC System	\$14,628,267	\$17,130,200	\$2,501,933	85.39%	82.56%
Wisconsin Tuition Grant	\$18,112,973	\$25,456,600	\$7,343,627	71.15%	63.97%
TOTAL	\$83,749,997	\$104,902,925	\$21,152,928	79.84%	75.09%

* TIP Grant figures include \$1,453,925 of Federal LEAP / SLEAP funds.