



STATE OF LOUISIANA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
BATON ROUGE

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. EWE 93 - 8

WHEREAS, defaults on guaranteed student loans by students attending colleges, universities, trade schools, and proprietary schools in Louisiana have become a serious financial problem; and

WHEREAS, the Program Integrity Triad section (494) of the Higher Education Act of 1992 recently enacted by the federal government provides that each state shall designate a postsecondary review entity for performing a review of institutions of higher education; and

WHEREAS, the Federal government has authorized the United States Secretary of Education to enter into agreements with and provide funding for the state's postsecondary review entity; and

WHEREAS, the federal government is authorized to form such an entity for a state if it fails to do so; and

WHEREAS, the federal funds made available for establishing such an entity will be distributed on a first come first serve basis;

NOW THEREFORE I, EDWIN W. EDWARDS, Governor of the State of Louisiana, by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, do hereby create and establish the Louisiana Post Secondary Review Commission within the Executive Department, Office of the Governor, and do hereby order and direct as follows:

SECTION 1: The Louisiana Post Secondary Review Commission is hereby created and established within the Executive Department, Office of the Governor,

SECTION 2: The Louisiana Post Secondary Review Commission shall be responsible for the conduct and coordination of the review of institutions of higher education under Section 494 of the federal Higher Education Act of 1992.

SECTION 3: The Louisiana Post Secondary Review Commission shall have the authority to enter into agreements with the Secretary of the United States as provided for by the guidelines established in Section 494 of the Act.

SECTION 4: The Louisiana Post Secondary Review Commission shall have the authority to apply for funding as provided for by Section 494 of the Act.

SECTION 5: The Chairman of the Louisiana Post Secondary Review Commission shall be appointed by the Governor.

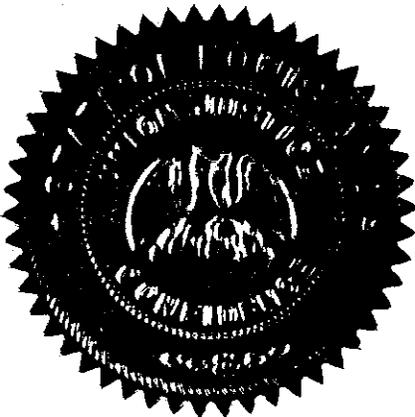
SECTION 6: The members of the Louisiana Post Secondary Review Commission shall be appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the Governor, and shall receive no compensation for their services.

SECTION 7: The Post Secondary Review Commission shall consist of the following:

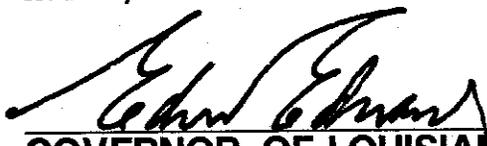
- A. Education Advisor to the Governor, or designee
- B. Chair, Louisiana Board of Regents, or designee
- C. Chair, Louisiana Association of Independent Colleges and Universities, or designee
- D. Chairman, Proprietary School Commission, or designee
- E. Chair, Louisiana Bankers Association, or designee
- F. Chair, Board of Secondary and Elementary Education, or designee
- G. Chair, Louisiana Office of Student Financial Assistance, or designee
- H. Governor's Executive Counsel, or designee

SECTION 8: All departments, commissions, boards, agencies, and officers of the state, or any political subdivision thereof, are authorized and directed to cooperate with the Louisiana Post Secondary Review Commission in implementing the provisions of this Executive Order.

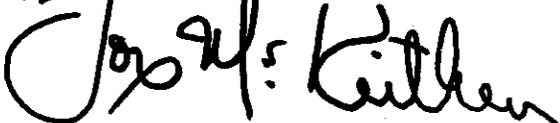
SECTION 9: The provisions of this Executive Order are effective upon signature and shall remain in effect until amended, modified, or rescinded by operation of law.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand officially and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Louisiana, at the Capitol, in the City of Baton Rouge, on this 25th day of March, 1993.


GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA

**ATTEST BY
THE GOVERNOR**



SECRETARY OF STATE