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## **Hazlewood Act Policy Advisory 2015-01**

Reference: Default Loan Check Guidance, 40 TAC §§ 461.90(a)(3), 461.90(b)(7), 461.90(c)(3), 461.100(a)(4)

Hazlewood Act Rules state that for each academic term in which an eligible person receives the Hazlewood Act Exemption, the institution shall confirm that the eligible person is not in default on an educational loan made or guaranteed by the State of Texas.

Confirmation of this eligibility requirement should be completed by using a self-verification that is based on the applicant's answer to the default loan question on the Texas Hazlewood Act Exemption Application and the Texas Hazlewood Act Exemption Application for Continued Enrollment. The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board will no longer be processing lists of students to be checked for defaulted loans.

If you have any questions, or wish to discuss related Hazlewood Exemption issues, please contact our Hazlewood Act Program Specialists: Charles Bryant at 512-463-8189 or [charles.bryant@tvc.texas.gov](mailto:charles.bryant@tvc.texas.gov) or Justin Greiner at 512-463-6834 or [justin.greiner@tvc.texas.gov](mailto:justin.greiner@tvc.texas.gov).

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