

**74-32,115. Obligations of applicants; agreements.** (a) An applicant for designation as a qualified ethnic minority graduate student and for the award of a fellowship under the Kansas ethnic minority fellowship program shall provide such information to the executive officer as the executive officer may require.

(b) As a condition to awarding a fellowship under this act, the executive officer and the applicant shall enter into an agreement which shall require the applicant to:

(1) Complete the requirements of the graduate program in which enrolled;

(2) enter into the full-time employment in Kansas of an accredited elementary or secondary school or an accredited institution of postsecondary education and continue in such employment for a period of time not less than the period for which financial assistance was provided under the program or enter into the part-time employment in Kansas of an accredited elementary or secondary school or an accredited institution of postsecondary education and continue in such employment for a period of time that is equivalent to full time, as determined by the state board of regents, multiplied by the period for which financial assistance was provided under the program;

(3) enter into the full-time or part-time employment in Kansas of an accredited elementary or secondary school or an accredited institution of postsecondary education within six months after completion of the requirements of the graduate program in which enrolled or within six months after completion of the requirements of such program and certification to teach if necessary, whichever is later, and continue such employment for the period of time required by the agreement;

(4) maintain records and make reports to the executive officer as required by the executive officer to document the satisfaction of the obligations under this act and the agreement; and

(5) upon failure to satisfy any obligation under this act or the agreement, repay to the state amounts as provided in K.S.A. 74-32,116, and amendments thereto.

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