Nonproprietary Out-Of-State Institutions, 21-25-1 through 21-25-5 NMSA 1978

21-25-1. Board of educational finance [higher education department] approval.
The board of educational finance [commission on higher education [higher education department]] shall be responsible for the approval of courses offered in New Mexico by nonproprietary out-of-state institutions.
History: 1953 Comp., § 73-41A-1, enacted by Laws 1977, ch. 4, § 1.

21-25-2. Definitions.
As used in this act [21-25-1 to 21-25-5 NMSA 1978]:
A. "nonproprietary out-of-state institution" means a public, out-of-state institution, school or similar academy offering a course or courses of instruction to any student within this state.
History: 1953 Comp., § 73-41A-2, enacted by Laws 1977, ch. 4, § 2.

21-25-3. Approval criteria.
In arriving at its decisions relative to course approval, the board of educational finance [commission on higher education [higher education department]] shall establish criteria in consultation with the academic vice presidents of the institutions enumerated in Article 12, Section 11 of the state constitution. In establishing these criteria, the following factors shall be considered:
A. acceptability of the course at the main campus of the nonproprietary out-of-state institution;
B. availability and accessibility of the course at a New Mexico institution;
C. validity of the course content and length;
D. availability of library and other teaching resources; and
E. qualifications of the staff who will offer the course.
History: 1953 Comp., § 73-41A-3, enacted by Laws 1977, ch. 4, § 3.

21-25-4. Exceptions.
A. Provisions of this act [21-25-1 to 21-25-5 NMSA 1978] shall not apply to correspondence courses offered through the mail by nonproprietary out-of-state institutions; and
B. Courses offered on military bases for military personnel.
History: 1953 Comp., § 73-41A-4, enacted by Laws 1977, ch. 4, § 4.

21-25-5. Certification to state superintendent of public instruction.
The board of educational finance [commission on higher education [higher education department]] shall certify to the state superintendent of public instruction all courses approved and not approved according to the provisions of this act [21-25-1 to 21-25-5 NMSA 1978], within thirty days after board of educational finance [commission on higher education [higher education department]] action is taken. Within thirty days of receipt of this certification, the state superintendent of public instruction shall provide a list to each local school superintendent of all courses approved and not approved to be offered in this state by nonproprietary institutions covered in this act.
History: 1953 Comp., § 73-41A-5, enacted by Laws 1977, ch. 4, § 5.