CONTINUING DISCLOSURE UNDERTAKING

This Continuing Disclosure Undertaking (the “Disclosure Undertaking”) is executed and delivered by the State Board for Community Colleges and Occupational Education (the “Board”) in connection with the issuance of the State of Colorado, Department of Higher Education, By State Board for Community Colleges and Occupational Education Systemwide Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2012A (the “Series 2012 Bonds”). The Series 2012 Bonds are being issued pursuant to a Master Resolution adopted by the Board on December 9, 2009 and a Third Supplemental Resolution adopted by the Board on December 14, 2011 (collectively, the “Bond Resolution”).

In consideration of the issuance of the Series 2012 Bonds by the Board and the purchase of such Series 2012 Bonds by the owners thereof, the Board hereby covenants and agrees as follows:

Section 1. Purpose of this Disclosure Undertaking. This Disclosure Undertaking is executed and delivered by the Board as of the date set forth below, for the benefit of the holders and owners (the “Bondholders”) of the Series 2012 Bonds and in order to assist the Participating Underwriter (as defined below) in complying with the requirements of the Rule (as defined below). The Board represents that it will be the only obligated person (as defined in the Rule) with respect to the Series 2012 Bonds at the time the Series 2012 Bonds are delivered to the Participating Underwriter and that no other person is expected to become an obligated person at any time after the issuance of the Series 2012 Bonds.

Section 2. Definitions. The terms set forth below shall have the following meanings in this Disclosure Undertaking, unless the context clearly otherwise requires.

“Annual Financial Information” means the financial information and operating data described in Exhibit I.


“Audited Financial Statements” means the audited consolidated financial statements of the Board, prepared pursuant to the standards and as described in Exhibit I.

“Commission” means the Securities and Exchange Commission.

“Disclosure Undertaking” means the obligations of the Board pursuant to Sections 4 and 5.

“Dissemination Agent” means any agent designated as such in writing by the Board and which has filed with the Board a written acceptance of such designation, and such agent’s successors and assigns.

“EMMA” means the Electronic Municipal Market Access facility for municipal securities disclosure of the MSRB.


“Material Event” means the occurrence of any of the events with respect to the Series 2012 Bonds set forth in Exhibit II.
“Material Events Disclosure” means dissemination of a notice of a Material Event as set forth in Section 6.

“MSRB” means the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

“Participating Underwriter” means each broker, dealer or municipal securities dealer acting as an underwriter in any primary offering of the Series 2012 Bonds.

“Prescribed Form” means, with regard to the filing of Annual Financial Information, Audited Financial Statements and notices of Material Events with the MSRB at www.emma.msrb.org (or such other address or addresses as the MSRB may from time to time specify), such electronic format, accompanied by such identifying information, as shall have been prescribed by the MSRB and which shall be in effect on the date of filing of such information.

“Rule” means Rule 15c2-12 adopted by the Commission under the Exchange Act, as the same may be amended from time to time.

“State” means the State of Colorado.

Section 3. CUSIP Number/Final Official Statement. The base CUSIP Number of the Series 2012 Bonds is 196696. The final Official Statement relating to the Series 2012 Bonds is dated January [____], 2012 (the “Final Official Statement”).

Section 4. Annual Financial Information Disclosure. Subject to Section 9 of this Disclosure Undertaking, the Board hereby covenants that it will disseminate the Annual Financial Information and the Audited Financial Statements (in the form and by the dates set forth below and in Exhibit I) by the Board’s delivery of such Annual Financial Information and Audited Financial Statements to the MSRB within 270 days of the completion of the Board’s fiscal year.

The Board is required to deliver such information in Prescribed Form and by such time so that such entities receive the information by the dates specified.

If any part of the Annual Financial Information can no longer be generated because the operations to which it is related have been materially changed or discontinued, the Board will disseminate a statement to such effect as part of its Annual Financial Information for the year in which such event first occurs.

If any amendment is made to this Disclosure Undertaking, the Annual Financial Information for the year in which such amendment is made (or in any notice or supplement provided to the MSRB) shall contain a narrative description of the reasons for such amendment and its impact on the type of information being provided.

Section 5. Material Events Disclosure. Subject to Section 9 of this Disclosure Undertaking, the Board hereby covenants that it will disseminate in a timely manner, not in excess of 10 business days after the occurrence of the event, Material Events Disclosure to the MSRB in Prescribed Form. Notwithstanding the foregoing, notice of optional or unscheduled redemption of any Series 2012 Bonds or defeasance of any Series 2012 Bonds need not be given under this Disclosure Undertaking any earlier than the notice (if any) of such redemption or defeasance is given to the owners of the Series 2012 Bonds pursuant to the Indenture. From and after the Effective Date, the Board is required to deliver such Material Events Disclosure in the same manner as provided by Section 4 of this Disclosure Undertaking.
Section 6. Duty To Update EMMA/MSRB. The Board shall determine, in the manner it deems appropriate, whether there has occurred a change in the MSRB’s e-mail address or filing procedures and requirements under EMMA each time it is required to file information with the MSRB.

Section 7. Consequences of Failure of the Board to Provide Information. The Board shall give notice in a timely manner, not in excess of 10 business days after the occurrence of the event, to the MSRB in Prescribed Form of any failure to provide Annual Financial Information Disclosure when the same is due hereunder.

In the event of a failure of the Board to comply with any provision of this Disclosure Undertaking, the Bondholder of any Bond may seek specific performance by court order to cause the Board to comply with its obligations under this Disclosure Undertaking. A default under this Disclosure Undertaking shall not be deemed an Event of Default under the Indenture or the Loan Disclosure Undertaking or any other Disclosure Undertaking, and the sole remedy under this Disclosure Undertaking in the event of any failure of the Board to comply with this Disclosure Undertaking shall be an action to compel performance.

Section 8. Amendments; Waiver. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Disclosure Undertaking, the Board may amend this Disclosure Undertaking, and any provision of this Disclosure Undertaking may be waived, if:

(i) The amendment or waiver is made in connection with a change in circumstances that arises from a change in legal requirements, change in law, or change in the identity, nature or status of the Board or type of business conducted;

(ii) This Disclosure Undertaking, as amended, or the provision, as waived, would have complied with the requirements of the Rule at the time of the primary offering, after taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule, as well as any change in circumstances; and

(iii) The amendment or waiver does not materially impair the interests of the Bondholders of the Series 2012 Bonds, as determined either by parties unaffiliated with the Board or by an approving vote of the Bondholders of the Series 2012 Bonds holding a majority of the aggregate principal amount of the Series 2012 Bonds (excluding Series 2012 Bonds held by or on behalf of the Board or its affiliates) pursuant to the terms of the Indenture at the time of the amendment; or

(iv) The amendment or waiver is otherwise permitted by the Rule.

Section 9. Termination of Disclosure Undertaking. The Disclosure Undertaking of the Board shall be terminated hereunder when the Board shall no longer have any legal liability for any obligation on or relating to the repayment of the Series 2012 Bonds. The Board shall give notice to the MSRB in a timely manner and in Prescribed Form if this Section is applicable.

Section 10. Dissemination Agent. The Board may, from time to time, appoint or engage a Dissemination Agent to assist it in carrying out its obligations under this Disclosure Undertaking, and may discharge any such Dissemination Agent, with or without appointing a successor Dissemination Agent.

Section 11. Additional Information. Nothing in this Disclosure Undertaking shall be deemed to prevent the Board from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set
forth in this Disclosure Undertaking or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Annual Financial Information Disclosure or notice of occurrence of a Material Event, in addition to that which is required by this Disclosure Undertaking. If the Board chooses to include any information from any document or notice of occurrence of a Material Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Disclosure Undertaking, the Board shall not have any obligation under this Disclosure Undertaking to update such information or include it in any future disclosure or notice of the occurrence of a Material Event.

Section 12. Beneficiaries. This Disclosure Undertaking has been executed in order to assist the Participating Underwriter in complying with the Rule; however, this Disclosure Undertaking shall inure solely to the benefit of the Board, the Dissemination Agent, if any, and the Bondholders of the Series 2012 Bonds, and shall create no rights in any other person or entity.

Section 13. Recordkeeping. The Board shall maintain records of all Annual Financial Information Disclosure and Material Events Disclosure, including the content of such disclosure, the names of the entities with whom such disclosure was filed and the date of filing such disclosure.

Section 14. Past Compliance. The Board represents that it has complied with the requirements of each continuing disclosure undertaking entered into by it pursuant to the Rule in connection with previous financings to which the Rule was applicable.

Section 15. Assignment. The Board shall not transfer its obligations under the Bond Resolution unless the transferee agrees to assume all obligations of the Board under this Disclosure Undertaking or to execute a continuing disclosure undertaking under the Rule.

Section 16. Governing Law. This Disclosure Undertaking shall be governed by the laws of the State.
Dated: January ___, 2012

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STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION

By ______________________________
Maury Dobbie
Chair

Attest:

By ______________________________
Nancy McCallin
Secretary

[Signature Page to Continuing Disclosure Undertaking]
EXHIBIT I

ANNUAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND TIMING AND AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

“Annual Financial Information” means annual financial information and operating data of the type set forth in the Official Statement, including, but not limited to, such financial information and operating data set forth in the table entitled “Schedule of Prior Bonds” under the caption “SECURITY AND SOURCES OF PAYMENT FOR THE SERIES 2012 BONDS—Outstanding Prior Obligations,” all of the tables set forth under the caption “THE NET REVENUES” AND “FINANCIAL INFORMATION CONCERNING THE SYSTEM.”

All or a portion of the Annual Financial Information and the Audited Financial Statements as set forth below may be included by reference to other documents which have been submitted to the MSRB or filed with the Commission. The Board shall clearly identify each such item of information included by reference.

Annual Financial Information will be provided to the MSRB within 270 days after the last day of the Board fiscal year. Audited Financial Statements as described below should be filed at the same time as the Annual Financial Information. If Audited Financial Statements are not available when the Annual Financial Information is filed, unaudited financial statements shall be included, and Audited Financial Statements will be provided to the MSRB within 10 business days after availability to the Board.

Audited Financial Statements will be prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States as in effect from time to time.

If any change is made to the Annual Financial Information as permitted by Section 4 of the Disclosure Undertaking, including for this purpose a change made to the fiscal year-end of the Obligated Person, the Board will disseminate a notice to the MSRB of such change in Prescribed Form as required by such Section 4.
EXHIBIT II

EVENTS WITH RESPECT TO THE SERIES 2012 BONDS FOR WHICH MATERIAL EVENTS DISCLOSURE IS REQUIRED

1. Principal and interest payment delinquencies
2. Nonpayment-related defaults, if material
3. Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties
4. Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties
5. Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform
6. Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the security, or other material events affecting the tax status of the security
7. Modifications to rights of security holders, if material
8. Series 2012 Bond calls, if material, and tender offers
9. Defeasances
10. Release, substitution or sale of property securing repayment of the securities, if material
11. Rating changes
12. Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the Board*
13. The consummation of a merger, consolidation or acquisition involving the Board or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Board, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material
14. Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee, if material

* This event is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent or similar officer for the Board in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Board, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Board.