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**CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES
FOR
HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP CANDIDATES**

- () 1. Candidate shall be a minority as recognized by the National Foundation for the Improvement of Education (Black; Native-American/Alaskan Native; Asian/Pacific Islander and Hispanic/Latino).
- () 2. Candidate shall present evidence of being accepted into an accredited two-year or four-year Connecticut college or university.
- () 3. Candidate shall indicate his/her intent to enter the teaching profession.
- () 4. Candidate shall complete the official application form.
- () 5. Candidate shall present evidence of a 2.75 minimum cumulative index average on a 4 point scale in high school.
- () 6. Candidate shall present three letters of recommendation from:
 - A. a high school guidance counselor or administrator
 - B. a personal reference
 - C. a teacher
- () 7. The Minority Affairs Commission of the Connecticut Education Association shall screen candidate applications and forward a list of up to 5 five recommended finalists to the president of the Connecticut Education Foundation, Inc.
- () 8. Finalists may be interviewed by a screening committee to be determined by the Connecticut Education Foundation, Inc. Board of Directors.