

Department of Finance		Fund: 8020
STATE OF CALIFORNIA MANUAL OF STATE FUNDS		PAGE 1 Renumbered From:
<u>Legal Title</u> Environmental Education Account		
<u>Legal Citation/Authority</u> Chapter 665, Statutes of 2003 (AB 1548) Public Resources Code sections: 71300-71305 (General Provisions) 71305 (Creation of Fund)		
<u>Fund Classification</u> <u>GAAP Basis</u> Governmental/Special Revenue Funds	<u>Fund Classification</u> <u>Legal Basis</u> Nongovernmental/Trust and Agency Funds – Non - Federal	
<u>Purpose</u> Chapter 665, Statutes of 2003 established the Office of Education and the Environment (Office) within the Integrated Waste Management Board (Board). The Office, under the direction of the Secretary for Environmental Protection and the Board, in cooperation with the State Department of Education, the State Board of Education, and the Secretary for Education, will develop and implement a unified education strategy, for the education of pupils, faculty and administrators on the importance of integrating environmental concepts and programs for elementary and secondary schools throughout the state. The Environmental Education Account was created to deposit any federal, state, and local funds and contributions of funds received from a public or private organization or individual, to provide support for the administration of this program.		
<u>Administering Agency/Organization Code</u> Secretary for Environmental Protection/Org 0555		
<u>Major Revenue Source</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Federal funding • State funding • Local funding • Contributions of funds from a public or private organization or individual • Proceeds from court judgments 		
<u>Disposition of Fund (upon abolishment)</u> Pursuant to Government Code section 16346, in the absence of language that identifies a successor fund, any balance remaining in this fund upon abolishment shall be transferred to the General Fund.		
<u>Appropriation Authority</u> Upon appropriation by the Legislature.		

State Appropriations Limit

Always Excluded – Revenues in this fund are not proceeds of taxes and even after transfer, will never become proceeds of taxes because the major revenue source is derived from a Trust and Agency Fund.

Comments/Historical Information