

**Comment #143—10/30/2020—3:53 p.m.**

Hello,

I am a Fellow of the Casualty Actuarial Society and a Member of the American Academy of Actuaries. I am writing in support of the proposal that Diversity, Equity & Inclusion (DEI) education be considered a Professionalism topic for the purposes of US Qualification Standards, as described in this letter

<[https://www.casact.org/cms/files/DEI\\_Professionalism\\_Memo\\_to\\_Academy.pdf](https://www.casact.org/cms/files/DEI_Professionalism_Memo_to_Academy.pdf)> submitted to the Academy from CAS President Steven Armstrong.

In my opinion, it would even be preferable to this proposal for DEI education to be considered a separate required topic in addition to Professionalism in the US Qualification Standards.

However, Mr. Armstrong's proposal is a meaningful step in the right direction.

Thank you,

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