

## Regulations to be Reviewed on December 19, 2007

### **I. Tuition and Fee Regulations:**

- a. 7.001 - Tuition and Associated Fees (substantially reworded)
- b. 7.002 - Tuition and Fee Assessment, Collection, Accounting and Remittance (substantially reworded)
- c. 7.003 - Fees, Fines and Penalties (substantially reworded)
- d. 7.004 - Deferred Payment of Fees (repealed and language moved to 7.002)
- e. 7.008 - Waiver of Tuition and Fees (substantially reworded)

It had been a number of years since these regulations were updated. We have attempted to update the regulation to represent current practice, reflect the authority of the BOG on setting tuition and fees, and strike a balance between university and student concerns. No new fees are being added at this time. A decision on which technology fee language to use will be decided at a later date.

A conference call was held with Budget Officers and other university representatives on 12/7/07. Attached are a list of comments/suggestions and our responses to those comments/suggestions. The above regulations reflect many of the changes discussed during that conference call.

### **II. Major Gift Matching Program:**

- a. 9.019 - University Major Gifts Challenge Grant Program (substantially reworded)

This regulation has been updated to include most of the requirements previously included in a Policy Guideline (former Chancellors Memorandum). The attempt was to clean-up out-dated language and ensure the program follows current statutory practice. The major change is the deletion of the \$500,000 bundling limitation imposed several years ago. If the state matching funds fall behind due to the success of the program and/or the state does not provide sufficient matching funds, we may need to reconsider the bundling provision for inclusion as a way to hold down some of the state funding. A major concern expressed by some of the universities is the requirement that the corpus of the endowment not be spent. This language is in the regulation and has always been in the Policy Guideline and reflects our interpretation of the statute. We have spoken with our General Counsel and legislative staff who concurs with this interpretation.

A conference call was held with the University Foundation Directors on 12/3/07. Attached are a list of comments/suggestions and our responses to those

comments/suggestions. Many of the suggestions have been included in the updated regulation.

**III. Facility Regulations:**

- a. 9.004 Razing of Buildings
- b. 9.005 Naming of Buildings
- c. 10.009 Smoking in Public Buildings – Repeal
- d. 14.002 Definitions
- e. 14.004 Public Announcement and Qualification Procedures
- f. 14.005 Certification and Competitive Selection of Architects/Engineers
- g. 14.007 Competitive Negotiation
- h. 14.018 Contracting Authority for Construction Contracts
- i. 14.020 University Supervision of Construction Program
- j. 14.021 Procedures for Construction Contract Bidding and Award
- k. 14.022 Disqualification Procedures
- l. 14.023 Notice and Protest Procedures
- m. 14.025 Action Required Prior to Capital Outlay Appropriation

**IV. Procurement Regulations:**

- a. 18.001 Purchasing Regulations
- b. 18.002 Notice and Protest Procedures
- c. 18.003 Bonding Requirements

It has been a number of years since these regulations were updated. Outdated references have been corrected and brought into conformity with statute to the extent possible. In some instances, the BOG proposed regulatory language differs from what is statutorily prescribed.