

Other 2009-10 Budget Issues Submitted by the Universities

<u>Amount</u>	<u>Issue Title</u>	<u>Issue Description</u>	<u>BOG Staff Comments</u>	
FSU	\$2,000,000	Florida Center for Research in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (FCR-STEM)	<p>During fiscal year 2007-2008, the FCR-STEM initiative received \$250,000 for the Center for Mathematics and Science Research in the SUS Budget and \$1.75 M in the Department of Education Budget. These funds were used as part of the required matching funds for a new math/science teacher preparation program (FSU-Teach) funded by the National Math and Science Initiative. For fiscal year 2009-2010, the requested \$2 M in recurring funds will be used in a similar nature - to conduct basic and applied research related to mathematics and science instruction and assessment in the state. Furthermore, technical assistance to K-12 public education and required matching funds for the FSU-Teach program will be supported by this funding request.</p>	<p>This LBR was received on July 29, 2008 from FSU. It is the university's understanding that DOE may not include this issue in their 2009-2010 LBR.</p>
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