BOARD OF GOVERNORS STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA

June 19, 2008

SUBJECT: Approval of Board of Governors Regulation 6.003 Regarding Admission of Graduate and Post-baccalaureate Professional Students

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Approve Board of Governors Regulation 6.003 Regarding Admission of Graduate and Post-baccalaureate Professional Students

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Section 7(d), Article IX, Florida Constitution

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Amendment of Regulation 6.003 was approved for public notice at the May 8, 2008 meeting. Board of Governors Regulation 6.003 provides guidance for the admission of graduate and post-baccalaureate professional students into the State University System.

The regulation has been amended to authorize the University Boards of Trustees to develop regulations and policies on graduate and post-baccalaureate student admissions. The regulations are to be consistent with the university mission and Board of Governors regulations. The amended regulation also encourages universities to develop regulations with a view toward minimizing any unnecessary impediments to access and student progression to the graduate or post-baccalaureate professional levels, while ensuring maintenance of academic quality and integrity.

Supporting Documentation Included: Amended Regulation 6.003

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