BOARD OF GOVERNORS STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA

Trustee Nomination and Board Procedures Committee

June 18, 2009

SUBJECT: Process for filling upcoming 22 trustee vacancies

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Discuss and potentially decide on a process for filling some 22 trustee vacancies that will occur January 10, 2010.

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Section 7(c), Article IX, Florida Constitution. Trustee Selection and Reappointment Process.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

There will be some 22 trustee vacancies simultaneously occurring on January 10, 2010, that the Board of Governors will need to fill through new appointments or reappointments. This is in addition to a similar number of vacancies for the Governor to fill or reappoint during this same period. The process will require the posting of vacancies on university and BOG websites and the timely receipt of written applications.

The committee needs to decide how to most effectively and efficiently review the applicants beginning in August and concluding by late October in order to make recommendations to the full Board of Governors for the filling of these vacancies. The process used for the filling of the current FIU vacancy will be considered as to its applicability or modification for the some 22 upcoming vacancies.

Supporting Documentation Included: The Trustee Selection and Reappointment

Process document is available at

http://www.flbog.org/aboutsus/ubt.php.

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