

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF GOVERNORS
January 22, 2015**

SUBJECT: Public Notice of Intent to Approve Amended Board of Governors
Regulation 8.015 Academic Program Review

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Consider approval to amend Board of Governors Regulation 8.015 Academic Program Review.

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

A system-wide work group was appointed by the SUS Council of Academic Vice Presidents to review Board Regulation 8.015. After the review of this regulation, the workgroup recommended the following amendments for consideration by the Board of Governors:

- Language relating to the imposed seven-year academic program review cycle is revised to incorporate an institution-driven review cycle that still ensures the regular review of academic programs.
- Language is revised to reflect that university academic program review policies need to be placed into the Board of Governors Academic Program Review Database.

The regulation has been reviewed by the university general counsels, Council of Academic Vice Presidents, Council of Student Affairs, and other state university staff. The regulation was approved for noticing by the Board on November 5, 2014. No concerns were expressed about the amendment language during the notice period.

Supporting Documentation Included: Amended Regulation 8.015