STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS Academic and Student Affairs Committee November 4, 2015

SUBJECT: Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors Regulation 6.008 Postsecondary College-Level Preparatory Testing, Placement, and Instruction for State Universities

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

Consider approval of the public notice of intent to amend Board of Governors Regulation 6.008 Postsecondary College-Level Preparatory Testing, Placement, and Instruction for State Universities.

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution and Board of Governors Regulation Development Procedure

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Regulation 6.008 provides guidance related to minimum standards expected for college testing, placement, and instruction. The proposed amendments provide transitional policy related to college placement in order to address changes to the College Board's SAT test. It adds language to reflect that a corresponding redesigned SAT score will be based on official concordance tables available from the College Board after the first administration of the test.

This regulation was reviewed by the SUS Admission and Registrar's Committee, university General Counsels, Council of Academic Vice Presidents, Council of Student Affairs, and other state university staff. Pursuant to the regulation procedure adopted by the Board at its meeting on March 23, 2006, the Board is required to provide public notice by publication on its Internet Web site at least 30 days before adoption of the proposed regulation.

Supporting Documentation Included: Amended Regulation 6.008

Facilitators / Presenters:

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