STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS

Academic and Student Affairs Committee

June 29, 2022

SUBJECT: Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors Regulation 6.006,

Acceleration Mechanisms

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

Consider approval of Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors Regulation 6.006, Acceleration Mechanisms.

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Board of Governors Regulation 6.006, Acceleration Mechanisms, defines and outlines acceleration mechanisms available for students to earn college credits prior to enrolling at a state university and shorten their time to degree. The 2022 Legislature passed Senate Bill 2524, which amends section 1007.271, Florida Statutes. The bill clarifies that postsecondary institutions cannot charge dual enrollment students for instructional materials. Also, the bill prohibits institutions from requiring payment for materials that are eligible for reimbursement under the Dual Enrollment Scholarship Program as outlined in section 1009.30, Florida Statutes. The proposed amendment to the Board regulation will align regulatory language with the new requirement.

If approved by the Academic and Student Affairs Committee and the Board of Governors, the amended regulation will be available for public comment for thirty days. If no concerns are raised during that time, the regulation will come before the Board of Governors for final approval at the next meeting.

Dr. Christy England, Vice Chancellor for Academic and Student Affairs, will provide an overview of the amendment to the regulation.

Supporting Documentation Included: Regulation 6.006, Acceleration

Mechanisms

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