

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF GOVERNORS**
June 30, 2022

SUBJECT: Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors Regulation 7.008
Waiver and Exemptions of Tuition and Fees

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Approve the Public Notice of Intent to Amend Regulation 7.008.

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution; Board of Governors Regulation Development Procedures

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

This regulation is being amended for the following:

1. Aligning with section 1009.24(1)(b), Florida Statutes (F.S.), which exempts students enrolled in an approved apprenticeship program from the payment of tuition and fees.
2. Senate Bill 2524 amends section 1009.26, F.S., making updates to the Programs of Strategic Emphasis waiver by adding two new waiver programs.
3. Senate Bill 7034 amends the fee exemption language in section 1009.25, F.S., for students who meet the Department of Children and Families custody or adoption/guardianship criteria and includes specific criteria regarding the definition of homeless students and documentation of homeless status.
4. House Bill 45 creates section 295.011, F.S., and specifies that disabled veterans who meet certain criteria are eligible for a waiver of tuition and fees in the amount that is the difference between what is paid in accordance with federal law and the full amount of tuition and fees at the institution attended.

This regulation has been shared with the universities.

Supporting Documentation Included:

Information located in the
Budget & Finance Committee
materials