STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS

September 22, 2022

SUBJECT: Public Notice of Intent to Adopt Board of Governors Regulation 10.003, Post-Tenure Faculty Review

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Consider for approval the Public Notice of Intent to Adopt Board of Governors Regulation 10.003, Post-Tenure Faculty Review.

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The 2022 Legislature passed Senate Bill 7044, which amends section 1001.706, Florida Statutes, adding that the Board of Governors may adopt a regulation requiring tenured State University System faculty to undergo a comprehensive post-tenure review every five years. The bill provides that the regulation must address accomplishments and productivity; assigned duties in research, teaching, and service; performance metrics, evaluations, and ratings; and recognition and compensation considerations, including improvement plans and consequences for underperformance. The Board will consider a draft regulation to implement this section of law.

If approved by the Academic and Student Affairs Committee and the Board of Governors, the proposed 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.