STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS

September 8, 2023

SUBJECT: Public Notice of Approval of Amendment of Board of Governors

Regulation 6.006, Acceleration Mechanisms

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Consider approval of Public Notice of Approval of Amendment of 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 a degree.

Board staff propose amending Regulation 6.006 to incorporate relevant portions of Regulation 6.012, Access to Certain Electronic Library Resources by Accelerated Secondary Students. The proposed amendment better organizes Board regulations by merging requirements for institutions regarding students pursuing accelerated coursework into a single regulation. The proposed amendment incorporates a provision from Regulation 6.012 continuing to grant public secondary school students enrolled in articulated acceleration programs access to electronic library resources funded and hosted by the Florida Postsecondary Academic Library Network as required by section 1007.27, Florida Statutes. The proposed amendment will allow for a repeal of Regulation 6.012.

The Board of Governors approved the Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors Regulation 6.006, Acceleration Mechanisms, at its June 22, 2023, meeting. Following approval of the public notice of intent, no public comments were received, and the amended regulation is ready for final approval.

Supporting Documentation Included: Regulation 6.006, Acceleration

Mechanisms