

STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF GOVERNORS
Full Board
September 3, 2026

SUBJECT: Public Notice of Approval of Amendment of Board of Governors Regulation 7.008, Waivers and Exemptions of Tuition and Fees

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Approve the amendment of Board of Governors Regulation 7.008, Waivers and Exemptions of Tuition and Fees

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

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

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Regulation 7.008 is being amended to align with recent legislative updates. First, subsection (i) is revised to clarify that a student's eligibility for the homeless tuition and fee exemption must be based on a prior determination of homelessness made by a Florida public school, and adds that distance learning students residing out of state are not eligible for this exemption. Additionally, subsection (r) has been revised to clarify definitions. Finally, subsection (4)(a) is removed in its entirety to comply with statutory changes removing that provision.

The Board approved the public notice of intent to amend this regulation at the June 25, 2026, meeting. No public comments were received.