FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS NOTICE OF APPROVED REGULATION AND AMENDMENTS

Date: February 6, 2008

REGULATION TITLES AND NUMBERS: 14.018 Contracting Authority for Construction Contracts

SUMMARY: Regulation 14.018 Contracting Authority for Construction Contracts is amended to update references related to governance. There are no other changes.

FULL TEXT OF THE REGULATION: The full text of the proposed amended regulation is posted on BOG's Website at <u>www.flbog.org</u>. The full text of the existing regulation is posted on BOG's Web site at <u>www.flbog.org/BOG_regs</u>. In addition, the full text of the regulation is available upon request to the Office of the Chancellor, which can be contacted at (850) 245-0466.

AUTHORITY TO ADOPT/ AMEND/ REPEAL REGULATION: Section 7(d), Art. IX, Fla. Const.; BOG Regulation Development Procedure dated March 23, 2006.

BOARD OF GOVERNORS' OFFICIAL INITIATING ADOPTION/ AMENDMENT/ REPEAL OF REGULATIONS: Chris Kinsley, Director, Finance and Facilities

COMMENTS REGARDING ADOPTION/ AMENDMENT/ REPEAL OF REGULATIONS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE TO THE CONTACT PERSON IDENTIFIED BELOW. The comments must identify the regulation(s) on which you are commenting.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING ADOPTION/ AMENDMENT/ REPEAL OF REGULATION IS: Vikki R. Shirley, General Counsel, Board of Governors, State University System 325 W. Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850) 245-0466 (phone), (850) 245-9685 (fax), generalcounsel@flbog.org.

6C-14.018 Contracting Authority for Construction Contracts

(1) Each construction project shall be issued for receipt of bids and awarded as provided under Rule-Regulation 6C-14.021(5), F.A.C. Where bids are within the budget, the president may sign the construction contract on behalf of the Board of Trustees.

(2) Where bids exceed the established project budget, all bids may be rejected and the project may be bid again. If a contract may be awarded by using contingency funds from the project budget, or by increasing the total project budget, the president may, if determined to be in the best interest of the State, award the contract, subject to budget amendment.

Authority: <u>Section 7(d)</u>, <u>Article IX</u>, <u>Florida Constitution</u>; <u>Formerly Implemented</u> F.S. 240.205(6), 240.209(1), (3)(p), (r), 240.227(12). History--Formerly Rule 6C-14.18, Amended 1-24-89, 6-5-96, 1-13-99, 11-06-07.