

FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS
NOTICE OF PROPOSED REGULATION AMENDMENT

DATE: July 14, 2011

REGULATION NUMBER AND TITLE: 6.010 Student Affairs Administration

SUMMARY: The proposed amendment requires each university to provide students or prospective students with contact information for filing complaints with the university's accrediting agency and with the Board of Governors. This information is to be included in either the student handbook or university catalog.

FULL TEXT OF THE REGULATION IS INCLUDED WITH THIS NOTICE.

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

THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS' OFFICIAL INITIATING THE PROPOSED REGULATION: Richard Stevens, Director, Academic and Student Affairs.

COMMENTS REGARDING THE PROPOSED REGULATION SHOULD BE SUBMITTED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE TO THE CONTACT PERSON IDENTIFIED BELOW. The comments must identify the regulation on which you are commenting:

General Counsel, Board of Governors, State University System, 325 W. Gaines Street, Suite 1614, Tallahassee, Florida 32399, (850) 245-0466 (phone), (850) 245-9685 (fax), or generalcounsel@flbog.edu.

6.010 Student Affairs Administration.

(1) The university board of trustees shall establish regulations governing student affairs.

(2) Each university shall compile and update annually a student handbook consistent with the mission of the university and the regulations and policies of the Board of Governors and the university board of trustees. At minimum, the handbook must include the following or a URL (weblink) to the following: a comprehensive academic calendar that emphasizes important dates and deadlines; student rights, responsibilities, and sanctions for misconduct; academic and student conduct appeal processes; the statewide articulation agreement and other individual articulation agreements involving transition of Florida public postsecondary students; information related to acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS) education; and contact information for the university ombudsman. The handbook must be available, at minimum, on the university web site.

(3) Contact information for filing complaints with the institution's accrediting agency and the Board of Governors shall be included in the student handbook or the university catalog.

Authority: Section 7(d), Art. IX, Fla. Const., History--Formerly 6C-2.47, 11-18-70, Amended 7-25-73, Amended and Renumbered 12-17-74, Amended 1-10-78, 2-18-80, 8-11-85, Formerly 6C-6.10, 4-9-87, 11-27-95, Amended and Renumbered 1-29-09. Amended _____.