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BOARD OF REGENTS

2. REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY

Policy 2.N: Approval, Revisions, or Repeal of Regent Policy

2.N.1 Approval, revisions or repeal of regent policy can be made only after notice of the proposed revision has been given at a previous regular or special meeting of the Board of Regents. The Board of Regents may waive the notice requirement and allow approval, revisions, or repeal of regent policy upon an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the board.

Notwithstanding the requirements of this policy, the secretary of the Board of Regents, with the concurrence and direction of the Laws and Policies Coordinating Committee¹, may make the following changes to regent policy without a vote of the board:

- (A) Correct obvious errors and inconsistencies.
- (B) Correct inaccurate references to the titles of officers, departments, or other agencies of the university and to other regent laws or policies and make such other name changes as are necessary to be consistent with the laws and policies currently in effect.
- (C) Clarify existing regent laws or policies, modernize terminology, and make such other non-substantive changes as the Laws and Policies Coordinating Committee considers proper.
- (D) Adopt a uniform system of punctuation, capitalization, and wording, and incorporate such system into existing regent laws and policies.

The secretary of the board may not change the substance of any regent policy but may make such changes in arrangement and terminology that will, in the judgment of the Laws and Policies Coordinating Committee, improve the style and clarity of the policies, yet preserve the intent, effect, and meaning of each provision. The movement of sections between regent laws and policies is considered a substantive change. The Laws and Policies Coordinating Committee shall keep a record of any changes ~~proposed to be~~ made pursuant to this policy that are not subject to a vote of the Board of Regents. A written summary of any new changes will be provided at each Regent Governance Committee meeting, and a written summary will be included in Board Docs for each Board of Regents' meeting as part of the Governance Committee Report.

¹ This is an administrative committee established to support the formal review of regent laws and policies as outlined in Board of Regent resolutions approved on November 6, 2015, and April 28, 2023.

40 ~~The committee will share the proposed list of non-substantive changes with the~~
41 ~~Governance Committee, and then the Board of Regents, on an annual basis before any~~
42 ~~such changes are made to regent policy.~~

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44 **History:**

- 45 • Approved: September 9, 2013.
- 46 • Revised: April 5, 2018; ~~June 22, 2023, TBD.~~
- 47 • Last Reviewed: ~~June 22, 2023, TBD.~~

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