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TO: Regent Laws and Policies Stakeholders

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RE: Formal Review of Regent Policy 7.B: Standards of Conduct

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In May 2024, the Regent Governance Committee approved a five-year schedule for the continuing formal review of all regent laws and policies. As part of this process, **Regent Policy 7.B: Standards of Conduct** is currently under review. Initially posted last fall for feedback, comments on this regent policy were accepted through April 24, 2025. All comments were reviewed and considered, and no additional edits were incorporated in the proposed Draft 0.

Regent Policy 7.B will be on the agenda for discussion at the Regents Governance Committee on May 15, 2025. Stakeholders may continue to send feedback. To send in your comments, on the Regent Law and Policy Review website, click on Draft 0 of "Policy 7.B: Standards of Conduct" to review the document, click the feedback link in the top right corner, and complete the feedback form. We welcome and appreciate all suggestions.

Policy 7.B was last reviewed and affirmed by the regents in September 2018. Proposed updates include:

- Minor edits are proposed in section 7.B.1(A) to ensure consistent language with Regent Policy 7.D.2 (i.e., reference should be to student government "organization" instead of "group").
- Proposed new language in section 7.B.1(A)(i) references other parts of regent law and policy that are focused on standards of conduct.