ADOPTION OF AMENDMENTS TO
IOWA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE 681 — CHAPTER 1

Action Requested:  Adopt the proposed amendment to Iowa Administrative Code 681 — Chapter 1 “Admission Rules Common to the Three State Universities”.

Executive Summary: At its October 20, 2016, meeting, the Board approved filing a Notice of Intent to amend Chapter 1 of the Iowa Administrative Code (IAC).

The proposed amendment to IAC Section 681-1.7 (262) establishes a new application fee of $250 for the Iowa Dental Advanced Standing Program (International DDS students).

The new fee will help cover costs of increased staff and faculty time to review applications for the Iowa Dental Advanced Standing Program (IDASP). IDASP applicants must complete an initial application through a centralized service. Once applicants have been determined to be eligible for an onsite interview, they must complete a supplemental University application. The time and extensive review required to gather and interpret information from foreign applicants significantly exceeds the time required for review of domestic applications.

The notice was published in the November 23, 2016, issue of Iowa Administrative Bulletin (IAB). With publication of the notice, a comment period was established. No comments were received. Upon approval of the adoption of the amendment by the Board, the amendment will be filed and published as adopted in the next issue of the IAB on March 15, 2017. The amendment will be effective April 19, 2017. The text of the amendment is shown below.

681—1.7(262) Application fees. Application fees required for admission to the University of Iowa, Iowa State University and the University of Northern Iowa are as follows:

University of Iowa

Undergraduate domestic student and nondegree student $40
Undergraduate international student $85
Graduate/professional domestic student $60
Graduate/professional international student $100
PharmD student $100
Reentry fee $20
Iowa dental advanced standing program (International DDS student) $250

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code section 262.9(3).