AMENDMENTS TO THE IOWA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

Actions Requested: (1) Consider adopting amendments to Chapters 6, 8, 9, 10, and 17 of section 681 of the Iowa Administrative Code; (2) Consider giving notice to amend Chapter 1 of section 681; and (3) authorizing the Executive Director to file the necessary forms.

Executive Summary: At its February meeting, the Board approved giving notice to amend Chapters 6, 8, 9, 10, and 17 of section 681 of the Iowa Administrative Code. The notice of intent was filed on February 10 and a comment period established which ended March 21. No comments were received. These amendments are intended to update references to the Code, delete outdated sections, make additions to comply with Code changes and updated business practices within the Regent enterprise.

If the Board adopts these amendments, the required forms will be filed on May 5, and the changes will be effective May 31.

The University of Iowa is proposing a new application fee for the PharmD program. The Board will consider approval of this new fee in Agenda Item 13f. Application fees are listed in Chapter 1 of the Board’s administrative rules. Therefore, the addition of this new fee requires the application fee rule (IAC 681 – 1.7) be amended. If the fee is approved, the Notice of Intent to amend the rule will be filed on May 5, and a comment period ending June 13 will be established.