## POLICY PROPOSAL - *HANDBOOK* TITLE 1, ARTICLE VII, SECTION 4 - Presidents

Adding a new subsection 9 (specifying the obligation of institution presidents to provide oversight and management of intercollegiate athletic programs) and making other minor amendment thereto.

Additions appear in *boldface italics*; deletions are [stricken and bracketed]

## Section 4. <u>Presidents</u>

The president of each member institution shall be secretary of the board of that institution. The presidents report to the Chancellor for the administration of their respective institutions and are accountable through the Chancellor to the Board of Regents.

- a. The president is appointed by and except as otherwise provided herein above, serves at the pleasure of the Board of Regents. The president shall have a written contract that outlines the terms and conditions of the appointment.
- b. The president shall be evaluated annually in writing by the Chancellor in accordance with procedures approved by the Board of Regents. The Chancellor shall provide a confidential summary of the findings to the Board.
- c. The president shall be evaluated periodically by an evaluation committee in accordance with procedures approved by the Board of Regents. The periodic evaluation shall normally take place not later than the next-to-last-year of each contract period.
- d. Procedures for annual and periodic salary determinations for the presidents shall be established by the Board of Regents.
- e. Duties of the president are prescribed by the Board of Regents and include, but are not limited to, the following. The president may delegate any of the duties of the office unless expressly prohibited by Board policy.

1. To provide leadership in the planning and implementation necessary for the successful operation of the member institution and to ensure that the institution develops to its potential;

2. To be the appointing authority for all professional personnel in the member institution, subject only to the Nevada System of Higher Education Code, and to execute personnel contracts;

3. To review the quality of performance of all professional personnel in the member institution and to either take final action or to recommend action to the Board of Regents on personnel matters in conformity with the Nevada System of Higher Education Code;

4. To make recommendations concerning budgets in the member institutions and to administer approved budgets in accordance with NSHE policies;

5. To authorize the transmission of applications or requests for grants, contracts or gifts to individuals, foundations, corporations, and the federal government;

6. To be the principal spokesman for the member institution and, in concert with the Chancellor, to represent the institution before the Board of Regents, the Legislature, and all other appropriate bodies; and

7. To ensure compliance by the member institution by and through its professional personnel with the NSHE Code, NSHE policies, the Board of Regents Bylaws, and institutional bylaws.

8. To notify the Board as soon as practicable of campus events that may have significant impact on the institution including, but not limited, to the reputation or public image of the institution;

9. To provide oversight, management, and control of intercollegiate athletic programs consistent with all applicable Board and institution polices, including those set forth in Title 4, Chapter 24.

[9]10. To perform such additional duties as the Board may dire.