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STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION Consent Item

May 16, 2018

SUBJECT: Amendment to Rule 6A-10.024, Articulation Between and Among Universities, Florida Colleges, and School Districts

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

For Approval

AUTHORITY FOR STATE BOARD ACTION

Section 1007.27, F.S.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The rule implements the statewide articulated acceleration mechanisms of Section 1007.27, Florida Statutes, which facilitates a variety of accelerations mechanisms that are available to secondary and postsecondary students. Rule change would provide for the implementation of the 2018-2019 Articulation Coordinating Committee (ACC) Credit-by-Examination list; including updates and additions to credit awards for several exams and combining of the Excelsior and UExcel sections of the table, exam programs were combined by Excelsior College.

Supporting Documentation Included: Proposed Rule 6A-10.024, F.A.C., and Articulation Coordinating Committee Credit-by-Examination Equivalencies (under separate cover

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6A-10.024 Articulation Between and Among Universities, Florida Colleges, and School Districts.

It is the intent of the Board of Governors in regulation and the State Board of Education in rule to facilitate articulation and seamless integration of the education system by agreeing to the provisions of this articulation agreement, pursuant to Section 1007.23, F.S. The authority to adopt and amend this rule aligns with the Constitutional power given the Board of Governors for the state university system and the statutory authority given the State Board of Education for the district school boards, the Florida College System, and the Department of Education.

- (1) through (7) No change.
- (8) Credit by examination.
- (a) For examination programs listed in Section 1007.27, F.S., a list of examinations, minimum scores for guaranteed transfer credit, maximum credits guaranteed to transfer, and recommended course equivalents shall be maintained by the Articulation Coordinating Committee and reviewed annually. The list is incorporated in the document Articulation Coordinating Committee Credit-by-Examination Equivalencies, Effective June 2018 August 2017, which is herein incorporated by reference and located at

(http://www.flrules.org/Gateway/reference.asp?No=Ref-08560). The list may be requested from the Office of Articulation, Florida Department of Education, 325 West Gaines Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399.

- (b) through (e) No change.
- (f) For all Advanced Placement (AP), International Baccalaureate (IB), Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE), <u>DANTES Subject Standardized Tests</u> (DSST) (formerly known as DANTES), Defense Language Proficiency Test (DLPT), <u>Excelsior and</u> College-Level Examination Program (CLEP) <u>and UExcel</u> (Excelsior College) examinations, credit must be awarded at a minimum in accordance with the credit-by-examinations equivalencies determined by the Articulation Coordinating Committee referenced in paragraph (8)(a) of this rule. The postsecondary institution shall determine the credit awarded for examinations completed prior to November 1, 2001, or examinations not included in the Articulation Coordinating Committee Credit-by-Examination Equivalencies.
 - (g) through (h) No change.
 - (9) through (14) No change.

Rulemaking Authority 1001.02(2)(n), 1007.23(1), 1007.25, 1007.27 FS. Law Implemented 1007.01(2),

1001.64(8)(a), 1007.23, 1007.25, 1007.27 FS. History–New 5-5-75, Amended 10-7-75, 6-8-76, 8-22-77, 12-26-77, 3-28-78, 5-10-78, 7-2-79, 2-27-80, 5-27-81, 1-6-83, 4-5-83, 6-28-83, 1-9-85, Formerly 6A-10.24, Amended 8-4-86, 5-18-88, 5-29-90, 7-30-91, 10-4-93, 5-3-94, 1-2-95, 9-30-96, 6-15-98, 12-13-99, 8-14-00, 10-15-01, 9-22-03, 12-18-05, 12-23-14, 3-23-16, 8-23-17.