CHAPTER II

STUDENTS

SECTION I. ADMISSION

- A. <u>Criteria for Admission</u>. In recognition of the diversity of higher education in the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System, each institution will develop its own criteria for admission, consistent with Board of Regents standards, including early admission and concurrent enrollment suitable to its stated purpose or mission consonant with the needs of the people whom it serves. Furthermore, each institution shall publish its criteria for admission in all appropriate documents. Particular degree programs, departments, colleges, or divisions within an institution may have requirements in addition to those for the institution as a whole. The institution shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, sex, age, disability, marital status, veteran status, or national origin. Institutions must consider minority enrollment in development of admission procedures and recruitment activities. Admission criteria for the institution shall be approved by the Board of Supervisors.
- B. <u>Denial of Admission</u>. System institutions have the right to deny admission to an applicant who otherwise meets the admission standards. This is meant to be used in rare cases to protect individuals and institutions.
- C. <u>Admission</u>. In order to be considered for regular admission a student making application shall supply a high school transcript from an accredited high school and the record of the American College Test (ACT), or the acceptable equivalents. Students transferring from a postsecondary institution shall provide transcripts from that institution. In the event that these cannot be supplied in time for admission, the student may be admitted provisionally pending receipt of the required information. Part-time non-degree seeking students may be enrolled without meeting these criteria. (*See PPM*)
- D. <u>Draft Registration</u>, <u>Prerequisite to Enrollment</u>; <u>Exemptions</u>. In accordance with the requirements of R.S. 17:3151 as amended, each institution within the University of Louisiana System shall implement the following requirements for admission:
 - 1. Except as provided in parts 2 and 3 below, no person who is required to register for the Selective Service System shall be eligible to enroll in the institution until such person has registered and provides evidence of having done so.
 - 2. Veterans of the armed forces of the United States may submit a copy of their discharge papers or discharge certificate as evidence of compliance with this policy.

- 3. A person who has not registered for the Selective Service System, as specified in part 1 above, shall be eligible to enroll in the institution if both of the following occur:
 - a. The requirement for the person to register has terminated or become inapplicable to the person.
 - b. The person makes a showing satisfactory to the institution that the failure to register was not a knowing and willful failure to register. (Addition approved 9/26/97)

E. Admission of Non-Resident Undergraduate Students.

First time freshmen and/or transfer students who have earned post-secondary education credit hours who are residents of another state and applying for admission to any institution within the System shall be required, at a minimum, to meet the Board of Regents Minimum Admission Standards.

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