SUGGESTED AMENDMENT PROPOSED BY JESSICA MICHELLE LUCERO, GPSA PRESIDENT, UNLV

Suggested revisions to the proposal are highlighted.

POLICY PROPOSAL TITLE 4, CHAPTER 17, new SECTION 21

Differential Program Fees

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

INSERT A NEW SECTION 21 AS FOLLOWS:

Section 21. Differential Program Fees

- 1. NSHE institutions may bring forward annually for Board approval differential program fees to be retained by the institution that would be assessed in addition to registration fees. Each institution must establish procedures to ensure that student input is appropriately sought that must include a review of existing special course fees in the process of developing a differential program fee.
- 2. Upon the establishment of a differential program fee, all existing special course fees associated with the same program shall be eliminated, except those that are designated to cover the cost of consumables associated with a specific course.
- 3. Differential program fees shall be limited to high cost and/or high demand programs only, and such requests must be accompanied by documentation justifying the higher cost for students.
- 4. Except for clinical and applied health programs, differential program fees shall be limited to upper-division programs only.
- 5. Differential program fees shall be brought forward to the Board for consideration simultaneously upon consultation with all institutions offering the program.
- 6. Differential fees must be consistent in dollar amount and by program type for similar institution types: community colleges, state college, or universities.
- 6. The Chancellor shall establish procedures for the administration of differential program fees, including but not limited to guidelines for the expenditure of revenue generated from such fees.

RENUMBER SECTIONS 21 THROUGH 23 AS SECTIONS 22 THROUGH 24