I move to approve the first reading of the revisions to BOR Policy 6:12 – Bomb Threats as shown in Attachment I.
A. PURPOSE

To ensure all BOR institutions have plans and procedure in place to respond to emergency situations.

B. DEFINITIONS

None

C. POLICY

1. Campus Authority

All of the institutions shall have a documented emergency procedures in place addressing actions and responsibilities of campus personnel during natural or human threats and potential disasters, on file in the Board of Regents Office. The plans should be reviewed annually with appropriate training conducted with all affected staff along with table-top exercises conducted annually. The policy shall identify those individuals who have the authority to make necessary, permitted or mandated actions. There shall be an indication of persons who have such authority in the absence of those holding primary authority. The Board Office shall be notified as soon as possible.

1.1. Presidents and superintendents shall have the responsibility and authority to make appropriate adjustments to the academic calendars as well as campus operations in the event that bomb threats occur during an emergency. See policy 4:40 Emergency Closings. The Board Office shall be notified as soon as possible.

2. False Reports

Persons who make false bomb reports with the intent to deceive, mislead or misinform others concerning the placing or planting of explosive devices, chemicals, or other dangerous substances may, on the first offense, be found guilty of a Class 64 felony misdemeanor, which could lead to incarceration for two years and up to a $4,000 fine. A second offense is a Class 5 felony which could lead to incarceration for five years and a $5,000 fine. Restitution for any expenses incurred as a result of the false report is also mandated under statute.
2. Presidents and superintendents shall have the responsibility and authority to make appropriate adjustments to the academic calendars as well as campus operations in the event that bomb threats occur.

3. **Board Authority**

The Board of Regents may authorize expenditure of a reward for information leading directly to the arrest and conviction of any person(s) making bomb threats/false threats to a Regental institution.

**FORMS / APPENDICES:**

None

**SOURCE:**

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