NOTICE OF PROPOSED REGULATION AMENDMENT

Date: February 14, 2017

REGULATION TITLE: General Personnel Policy REGULATION NO.: 1.100

SUMMARY: Sworn Police Officers and Sergeants of the University of Florida Police Department have fallen under the University Support Personnel System (“USPS”) pay plan. These Officers and Sergeants are unlike other employees in USPS based on the types of duties and functions they perform for the University. They also belong to a different collective bargaining organization than other USPS employees – the Police Benevolent Association (“PBA”). For these reasons, the University created a new pay plan for Officers and Sergeants called the Law Enforcement Officer (“LEO”) pay plan. The proposed amendment to Regulation 1.100 recognizes and defines this new pay plan. The LEO pay plan was agreed to by the PBA through collective bargaining.

AUTHORITY: BOG Regulation 1.001.

COMMENTS CONCERNING THE PROPOSED REGULATION SHOULD BE SUBMITTED WITHIN 14 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE TO THE CONTACT PERSON IDENTIFIED BELOW. The comments must identify the regulation you are commenting on.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED REGULATION AMENDMENT IS: Sandra L. Mitchell, Legal Assistant II, 123 Tigert Hall, Post Office Box 113125, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida 32611, 352-392-1358 office, 352-392-4387 facsimile, regulations@ufl.edu.

NAME OF PERSON WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED REGULATION AMENDMENT: Jodi Gentry, Vice President for Human Resources

THE FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED REGULATION IS ATTACHED TO THIS NOTICE.
1.100 General Personnel Policy.

(1) Regulations prescribing personnel policy for University of Florida employees will be found in the University of Florida Regulations. These employees include Academic Personnel (AP) staff, Technical, Executive, Administrative, and Managerial Support (TEAMS) staff, University Support Personnel System (USPS) staff, Law Enforcement Officer (LEO) and Other Personnel Services (OPS) employees. These regulations shall have University-wide application pursuant to the authority granted to the University of Florida Board of Trustees (BOT) in the Florida Statutes. All regulations and policies or procedures arising from these regulations shall be consistent with the relevant provisions of Federal and State law and the Constitutions of the United States of America and the State of Florida.

(2) Personnel Programs.

(a) The President shall be responsible and accountable for administering the personnel programs. The President may delegate authority for the personnel program through regulation or written delegation. The “President” as used in these regulations shall refer to the President and the President’s designee, if any.

(b) The Board of Trustees and the President shall establish and maintain all policies, procedures, and records necessary to substantiate compliance with all laws and regulations relating to employment.

(c) The University shall actively promote its commitment to equal employment opportunity and non-discrimination towards applicants and employees with respect to race, color,
religion, age, disability, gender, marital status, national origin, and veteran status consistent with Federal and State law.

(3) The UF Employment Plan is the classification and compensation plan maintained by the University of Florida. Such plan shall consist of the following:

(a) Academic Personnel (AP) defines personnel whose positions are assigned the principal responsibility of teaching, research, extension, or public service activities, or for administrative responsibility for functions directly related to the academic mission.

(b) Technical, Executive, Administrative, and Managerial Support (TEAMS) defines personnel hired after January 6, 2003 whose positions are assigned paraprofessional, administrative, clerical, secretarial, technical, skilled crafts, service or maintenance duties; and personnel whose positions are assigned administrative and management responsibilities or professional duties at the department/unit level or above.

(c) University Support Personnel System (USPS) defines personnel hired on or before January 6, 2003 who have not had a Break-in-Service after January 6, 2003, whose positions are listed in the Board of Regents USPS job classification system on January 6, 2003, and who have not held any positions as TEAMS personnel after January 6, 2003. For the purpose of this regulation, a Break-in-Service is defined as a separation from University of Florida servicenot covered by an approved leave of absence.

(d) Law Enforcement Officer (LEO) defines personnel who are employed by the University of Florida Police Department as sworn law enforcement officers at the rank of Officer or Sergeant.

(e) OPS defines at-will temporary personnel.

(4) USPS personnel can make an irrevocable decision to become TEAMS
personnel by completing the "TEAMS Enrollment Form", Form HRS 6/08, which is
incorporated herein by reference and available from Human Resource Services, Post
Office Box 115000, 903 West University Avenue, Gainesville, Florida 32611.

Authority: BOG Regulation 1.001.

History--New 1-7-03, Formerly 6C1-1.100, Amended 3-16-10 (technical changes only)
Amended______. 