

IN THIS SUBTITLE, "GOVERNING BOARD" INCLUDES THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF A COMMUNITY COLLEGE.

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(A) (1) THE PRESIDENT OF EACH PUBLIC INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION IS RESPONSIBLE FOR DEVELOPING A MISSION STATEMENT.

(2) THE PRESIDENT SHALL SUBMIT THE MISSION STATEMENT TO THE INSTITUTION'S GOVERNING BOARD.

(3) UPON THE DIRECTION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD, THE PRESIDENT SHALL UPDATE THE MISSION STATEMENT AT LEAST EVERY 5 YEARS.

(B) (1) THE GOVERNING BOARD:

(I) SHALL REVIEW THE MISSION STATEMENT AND MAY REQUIRE THE PRESIDENT TO PREPARE A REVISED MISSION STATEMENT;

(II) MAY AMEND THE MISSION STATEMENT ADOPT THE MISSION STATEMENT AS SUBMITTED OR WITH AMENDMENTS; AND

(III) SHALL SUBMIT THE STATEMENT TO THE COMMISSION.

(2) (1) IN THE CASE OF CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND SYSTEM, THE CHANCELLOR OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND SYSTEM SHALL REVIEW THE STATEMENT PRIOR TO ITS CONSIDERATION BY THE BOARD OF REGENTS AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS.

(II) BEFORE ADOPTING THE MISSION STATEMENTS, THE BOARD OF REGENTS SHALL REVIEW THE STATEMENTS INDIVIDUALLY AND ON A SYSTEMWIDE BASIS TO ASSURE THAT:

1. THEY ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE CHARTER AND THE SYSTEMWIDE PLAN;

2. THEY WILL NOT RESULT IN UNNECESSARY DUPLICATION OF ACADEMIC PROGRAMS; AND

3. THEY WILL PROMOTE THE EFFICIENT AND EFFECTIVE USE OF THE INSTITUTION'S AND SYSTEM'S RESOURCES.

(III) THE BOARD SHALL CONSOLIDATE THE STATEMENTS INTO AN ADOPTED SYSTEMWIDE STATEMENT.

(3) (I) IN THE CASE OF A COMMUNITY COLLEGE, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE A COMMUNITY COLLEGE SHALL SUBMIT THE ITS MISSION STATEMENT TO THE STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES.