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INFORMATION ITEM**Workers' Compensation Policy Update**

THAT

The Board of Regents revises Policy 713.1 as recommended by the MUS Workers' Compensation Committee and the Commissioner of Higher Education.

EXPLANATION

The Board adopted Policy 713.1 in 2003 when the MUS implemented its self-funded Workers' Compensation Program. The policy has not been updated since 2003. The proposed revision is recommended by the MUS Workers' Compensation Committee and the Commissioner. This recommended policy revision provides greater clarity of employee expectations, strengthens the emphasis on safety, and replaces passive language with active language for improved readability.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment #1 – proposed policy revision.