

MONTANA BOARD OF REGENTS OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Policy and Procedures Manual

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SUBJECT: PERSONNEL  
Policy 711.4 - Montana University System

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Board Policy:

1. Delegation of Authority:  
The Board of Regents, pursuant to its Constitutional authority to supervise and manage the Montana University System (*MUS*), hereby delegates to the Commissioner of Higher Education the authority to approve individual employment contracts for *MUS* faculty members. An exception shall exist for faculty tenure decisions as described below.
2. Tenure:  
The granting of faculty tenure shall be subject to BOR approval and shall comply with BOR Policy 706.1 (*Tenure; faculty*) and any relevant collective bargaining provisions.
3. Terms and conditions:  
Administration of faculty contracts under this policy shall comply with Board of Regents Policy 702.1 (*Appointment of faculty*), campus policies and procedures, and any relevant collective bargaining provisions.

History:

Item 133-105-R1106, New Policy on Faculty Contract Approval, approved by the Board of Regents on November 17, 2006.

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