

CHAPTER IV. PRESIDENTS OF THE COMPONENTS

1. APPOINTMENT.

The Chancellor shall recommend to the Board a candidate for the presidency of each Component. The Board, by majority vote, at a lawfully-called meeting, shall appoint Component presidents. The President shall not have tenure as President but may hold tenure as a member of the faculty of the Component.

2. AUTHORITY, DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES.

2.1 Authority. The President shall be answerable to the Chancellor and shall have discretionary powers broad enough effectively to administer the Component within the policies and guidelines as set forth by the Chancellor and Board of Regents.

2.11 House. As a condition of employment, the President of each System Component is required to reside in lodging furnished to him/her as the official residence of the President for the convenience of the Component (if such lodging has been provided); to maintain an office therein with telephone service from the President's office in the Component's administration building; and to use such properties as part of the official performance of his/her duties by holding official functions and other matters relative to the position occupied.

2.12 Automobiles. The Components of the Texas State University System are authorized to lease or purchase automobiles for use by the Presidents and Chancellor of the System in carrying out the duties and responsibilities of their respective office. The purchase price, lease fees and any insurance and maintenance cost shall be paid from non-E&G funds.

2.2 Delegation of Authority. The President of each Component has the following duties and responsibilities:

2.21 Developing and maintaining efficiency and excellence within the component, including maintenance of appropriate accreditations.

2.22 Making recommendations to the Chancellor and the Board on Component matters that require Board approval.

2.23 Carrying out all Chancellor and Board orders affecting the Component.

2.24 Interpreting System policies to the faculty and staff; representing and interpreting the Component's programs, needs and interests to the Board and the general public.

- 2.25 Recommending appropriate operating budgets and supervising expenditures under approved budgets.
- 2.26 Nominating to the Chancellor and Board the appointment, reappointment, promotion, retention, or dismissal of all members of the faculty and administrative officers as defined in *Chapter V, subparagraph 1.123*.
- 2.27 Developing and maintaining efficient personnel programs for all employees.
- 2.28 Managing efficiently Component business affairs and physical property; recommending additions and alterations to the physical plant; and developing long range plans for all component programs and physical facilities.
- 2.29 Serving as presiding officer at official meetings of Component faculty and staff and as an ex officio member of each college or school faculty.
- 2.2(10) Appointing campus committees, councils, and teams, and appointing or establishing procedures for the appointment of faculty, and staff. The authority of these bodies is limited to reviewing, offering suggestions, and making recommendations on matters related to their purpose. They will submit their reviews, recommendations and suggestions through channels to the President, who has responsibility and authority for making decisions, subject to the final authority of the Chancellor and the Board of Regents.
- 2.2(11) Causing to be prepared and submitted to the System Administration for review the faculty, staff, and student handbooks for the governance of the Component.
- 2.2(12) Leading private fund development support for the Component in accordance with policies and procedures established in these *Rules and Regulations*.
- 2.2(13) Administering all Component contracts, agreements, or purchases as delegated under the System *Rules and Regulations*.
- 2.2(14) Power to Suspend. Suspending, without prior notice or hearing, and immediately removing from the campus, any employee or student whose presence poses a continuing danger to persons or property or an ongoing threat of disrupting the component, notifying, as soon as possible, the Chancellor and the Vice Chancellor and General Counsel of such action. In such cases, the president will set a hearing before the appropriate administrator or committee on the employee's or student's case as soon thereafter as is practicable unless otherwise waived by the employee or student.