Self-Supporting Concept for Student Housing

The self-supporting concept, as applied to student housing, anticipates that there shall be sufficient total income from charges to pay all direct costs, including debt service, designated apportioned physical plant, utility and insurance costs, and institutional and a proportional share of Board's Office accounting, overhead and administrative costs.

Hist.: HEB 3-1978, f. & cert. ef. 6-5-78; HEB 4-1979, f. & cert. ef. 7-20-79; HEB 1-1993, f. & cert. ef. 2-5-93; HEB 5-1996, f. & cert. ef. 12-18-96

Campus Housing Advisory Committees

(1) Each institution providing housing for more than 2,000 students shall maintain a campus housing advisory committee to be composed of representatives of the faculty, undergraduate and graduate student body, administration and, if available, a local community housing agency. The president shall appoint the members of the committee. The president or designee shall consult with the institution's student government in the selection of student members. At least one member shall be a student who is eligible for student family housing if the institution provides such housing.

(a) The campus housing advisory committee will meet regularly during the academic year in scheduled public meetings to advise the president or designee of the adequacy of the housing
provided by the institution in terms of the number, type, quality and affordability of units. The committee also shall consider the institution's campus master plan and long-range housing plans and advise about the adequacy of the plans in addressing needs for housing construction. The committee shall report its findings and recommendations, if any, to the president at least once during each biennium. At the discretion of the president, the committee may be assigned additional advisory responsibilities regarding campus housing.

(b) The president of each institution may assign the responsibilities of the campus housing advisory committee to any existing committee if that committee already includes representatives from the faculty, undergraduate and graduate student body, administration and local community housing agencies. Such a committee may be renamed accordingly.

(2) Whenever an institution proposes to construct or otherwise provide additional housing, or at least once during each biennium for institutions providing housing for more than 2,000 students, it shall report to the Chancellor about the housing conditions and needs of the institution. This report shall include information about the number of students housed in both residence halls and family housing facilities, the rates charged, the vacancy rates in institution-provided housing, the numbers of students on waiting lists for institution-provided housing in residence halls and in family housing facilities and the vacancy rates or other relevant information available from local public agencies concerning low and moderate income housing needs and conditions in the community in which the institution is located. The institution shall estimate the number of students eligible to be housed in family and married student housing if the institution provides such housing.

(a) In reports to the Chancellor, universities with more than 12,000 three-term average full-time equivalent regular students shall provide information about the number and percentage of enrolled students housed in institution-provided housing (both residence halls and family housing facilities) at comparable institutions in the PAC-10 Conference or at least three other comparable institutions elsewhere in the United States, preferably in the West.

(b) To the extent practicable, the institution shall report on undergraduate and graduate students as separate groups. In addition, if an institution is proposing to construct or otherwise provide additional housing, it shall estimate the costs of providing such housing and present a financial plan demonstrating that such additional housing will meet the self-supporting requirements of 580-011-0020. That plan must calculate the effect the provision of the additional housing will have on the costs of and the housing rates charged by all institutions in the System. The report required in this subsection shall be reviewed by the appropriate campus housing advisory committee at least 60 days prior to its submission to the Chancellor. Any comments adopted by that committee, either as majority or minority reports, shall be provided in writing by the institution to the Chancellor along with its report.

Hist.: HEB 3-1991, f. 5-6-91, cert. ef. 7-1-91; HEB 1-1993, f. & cert. ef. 2-5-93; HEB 5-1996, f. & cert. ef. 12-18-96
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Rates of Charge for Student Housing

(1) Student housing charges shall provide sufficient income to make each category of housing--family housing, residence halls and cooperative housing--self-supporting and self-liquidating. Under exceptional circumstances, the Chancellor may authorize the use of income from one category to support the operation of another and the use of commingled student building fees to assist with financing of student housing.

(2) Rates of charge in the residence halls within the Department and within an institution shall be comparable.

Hist.: HEB 3-1978, f. & cert. ef. 6-5-78; HEB 1-1993, f. & cert. ef. 2-5-93; HEB 5-1996, f. & cert. ef. 12-18-96

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Institutionally Controlled Cooperative Housing

Institutionally controlled cooperative housing projects shall be limited to those meeting the following conditions:

(1) The institutions select students occupying the units.

(2) Rental contracts are made between individual student occupants and the institutions.

(3) The units are wholly self-supporting and self-liquidating.

Hist.: HEB 3-1978, f. & cert. ef. 6-5-78; HEB 5-1996, f. & cert. ef. 12-18-96

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Fraternities, Sororities, and Cooperatives

(1) Guidelines for fraternity, sorority and cooperative living are as follows:

(a) Fraternities, sororities and cooperatives shall comply fully with Board anti-discrimination rules and policies;

(b) The existence of fraternities, sororities and cooperatives shall be compatible with the educational objectives of the institution;

(c) Fraternities, sororities and privately owned cooperatives shall be housed in privately owned facilities constructed on privately owned land;
(d) The institution shall be responsible for judging the adequacy of the fraternity, sorority and cooperative houses for off-campus living for its students.

(2) In carrying out its responsibilities under subsection (1)(d) of this rule, the institution shall require proof of compliance with minimum health and safety standards under applicable public regulations.

Hist.: HEB 3-1978, f. & cert. ef. 6-5-78; HEB 7-1978, f. & cert. ef. 12-5-78; HEB 5-1996, f. & cert. ef. 12-18-96

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Charging of Administrative and Physical Plant Costs to Auxiliary Enterprises

(1) A proportionate share of the Board's Office and institutional accounting, overhead and administrative costs are apportioned among the auxiliary enterprises in accordance with Executive Department and Board's Office policy directives. The basis for apportioning institutional accounting and administrative costs is determined by the institution with report to the Vice Chancellor for Finance and Administration.

(2) In recognition of use of student centers, housing, food service buildings, recreational buildings and intercollegiate athletic facilities for instructional and public service programs, institutions may fund from education and general services resources a proportionate share of the physical plant costs of operating and maintaining these auxiliary enterprises. Such funding is generally apportioned according to use and space except that education and general services resources normally shall not be used to support such revenue-producing areas as food service, bookstore, barber shop, game room, housing and other similar areas that should be self-supporting. The basis for apportioning institutional physical plant operation and maintenance costs shall be determined by the institution.