DATE: December 4, 2014

REGULATION CHAPTER NO.: Chapter 4

REGULATION CHAPTER TITLE: Academic Affairs

REGULATION TITLE AND NUMBER: Students in Military Service (4.107)

SUMMARY OF REGULATION: This new regulation ensures any student, while enrolled at Florida A&M University, called to or enlisted in active military service shall not incur academic or financial penalties for performance of active military service on behalf of the United States of America.

AUTHORITY FOR REGULATION: Section 7, Article IX, Florida Constitution and Board of Governors Regulations 1.001 and 6.013.

UNIVERSITY OFFICIAL INITIATING THIS REGULATION: Rodner B. Wright, Interim Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs.

PROCEDURE FOR COMMENTS: Written comments concerning this proposed regulation shall be submitted within 14 days of the date of this notice to the person identified below. The comments must specifically identify the regulation you are commenting on.

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED REGULATION IS: Rodner Wright, Interim Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs, Tallahassee, Florida 32307-3100, (850) 599-3276 (phone), (850) 561-2551 (fax), rodner.wright@famu.edu.

FULL TEXT OF THE PROPOSED REGULATION: The full text of this new regulation follows:
4.107 Students in Military Service

(1) Any student, while enrolled at Florida A&M University, called to or enlisted in active military service shall not incur academic or financial penalties for performance of active military service on behalf of the United States of America.

(a) Active military service means active duty verified by official orders or appropriate military certification with any branch of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, National Guard of the State of Florida, or other service as provided in the Florida Statutes.

(2) Such student shall be permitted the option of either completing the course or courses at a later date without penalty or withdrawing from the course or courses with a full refund of fees paid. If the student chooses to withdraw, the student’s academic record shall reflect that the withdrawal was due to active military service.

Specific Authority: Article IX, section 7(c), Florida Constitution, Board of Governors Regulation 1.001; History: New ______.