

**6Hx19-1.10            DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES: APPOINTMENT,  
LENGTH OF TERM, ERRORS AND OMISSIONS  
INSURANCE, AND GROUNDS FOR DISMISSAL**

The purpose of this Board Rule is to reaffirm the manner in which members of the District Board of Trustees of Pasco-Hernando State College are appointed, the length of their term, the required errors and omissions Insurance, and grounds for dismissal in accordance with Florida Law.

**Appointment and Length of Term**

Trustees are appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate in regular session, serve a regular term of four years in length and may succeed themselves.

**Errors and Omissions Insurance**

Each Trustee shall be insured against errors and omissions through the College's self-insurance/risk management consortium policy. The College shall pay all premiums and administrative costs in connection with this insurance.

**Grounds for Dismissal**

Trustees may only be dismissed for cause and by due process in accordance with the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Florida. The Governor may suspend a Trustee for malfeasance, misfeasance, neglect of duty, drunkenness, permanent inability to perform official duties, incompetence, or failure to attend three consecutive meetings in a fiscal year. The Florida Senate may, in proceedings prescribed by law, remove from office or reinstate a suspended Trustee.

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General Authority:            Florida Constitution Arts. II, IV  
Florida Statutes: 113.07; 114; 1001.61; 1006.64; 1001.65

Other References:

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**FOR DISMISSAL**

Law Implemented: Florida Constitution: Art. II, s5; Art. IV, s7;  
Florida Statutes: 113.07; 114; 1001.61; 1001.64(1)(2)(4)(43);  
1001.65(1)(16)(24)

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