NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

NAME OF AGENCY: University of Florida

RULE TITLE:	RULE NO.:
Student Affairs; Selection of Remedies in Student Discipline	6C1-4.013
Student Affairs; Student Conduct Code; Violations, Penalties and Procedures for	6C1-4.016
Adjudication	
Student Affairs; Residence Hall Conduct Hearing Authorities	6C1-4.021
Student Affairs; Student, Spouse, Domestic Partners, and Dependent Services	6C1-4.038
and Benefits	

PURPOSE AND EFFECT:

The rule amendments to Rule 6C1-4.013 add two positions (Residence Life Coordinator and Coordinator for Village Community Services) to the list of persons designated to hear disciplinary proceedings for alleged violations of University Housing rules. Rule 6C1-4.016(1)(i) is being amended to incorporate the 2002-2003 edition of the University of Florida Division of Housing Rules and Regulations. The amendments to Rule 6C1-4.021 revise the disciplinary procedures pertaining to alleged violations of the University's housing rules to accommodate staffing title changes within the Division of Housing. Specific responsibilities related to the new titles of Residence Life Coordinator and Coordinator of Village Community Services are stated. The proposed Rule 6C1-4.038 states that the services and benefits available to eligible students and their spouses or their domestic partners and their dependent children are set forth in the Undergraduate and Graduate catalogs and the student government sponsored insurance. The criteria for determination of domestic partner and dependent children status is incorporated by reference.

SUMMARY:

The rule amendments to Rule 6C1-4.013 add Residence Life Coordinator and Coordinator for Village Community Services to the list of persons designated to hear disciplinary proceedings for alleged violations of University Housing rules. Rule 6C1-4.016(1)(i) is being amended to incorporate the 2002-2003 edition of the University of Florida Division of Housing Rules and Regulations. The amendments to Rule 6C1-4.021 revise the disciplinary procedures pertaining to alleged violations of the University's housing rules to accommodate staffing title changes within the Division of Housing. Specific responsibilities related to the new titles of Residence Life Coordinator and Coordinator of Village Community Services are stated. Rule 6C1-4.038: Services and benefits available to eligible students and their spouses or domestic partners and their dependent children are set forth in the Undergraduate and Graduate catalogs and the student government sponsored insurance. The criteria for determination of domestic partner and dependent children status is incorporated by reference.

SUMMARY OF STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED REGULATORY COST: No statement of estimated regulatory costs has been prepared. Any person who wishes to provide information regarding the statement of estimated regulatory costs, or to provide a proposal for a lower cost regulatory alternative must do so in writing within 21 days of this notice.

SPECIFIC AUTHORITY:

6C1-4.013:229.0081(2) 240.261, F.S.6C1-4.016:240.132(1), 229.0081(2), 240.261, F.S.6C1-4.021:229.0081(2), 240.261, F.S.6C1-4.038:229.0081(2); 229.0082(1), F.S.

LAW IMPLEMENTED:

6C1-4.013:120.81(1), 229.0081(2)(k), 240.132, 240.133, 240.261, F.S.6C1-4.016:120.81(1), 240.132, 240.133, 240.261, 240.262, F.S.6C1-4.021:120.81(1), 229.0081(2)(k), 240.133, 240.261, F.S.6C1-4.038:229.0061(2)(e)6; 229.0081(2), F.S.

IF REQUESTED BY 5:00 P.M. WITHIN 21 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE, A HEARING WILL BE HELD AT THE TIME, DATE AND PLACE SHOWN BELOW (IF NOT REQUESTED, THIS HEARING WILL NOT BE HELD):

TIME AND DATE: April 2, 2002 at 10:00 a.m.

PLACE: J. Wayne Reitz Union, Room 284

THE PERSON TO BE CONTACTED REGARDING THE PROPOSED RULE IS: Mrs. Karon S. Grabel, Clerk of the University, 123 Tigert Hall, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida 326ll.

NAME OF PERSON ORIGINATING PROPOSED RULE: Cyrus Williams, Assistant Dean and Director for Student Judicial Affairs; Eugene L. Zdziarski, II, Dean of Students

NAME OF SUPERVISOR OR PERSON WHO APPROVED THE PROPOSED RULE: James Scott, Vice President for Student Affairs

DATE PROPOSED RULE APPROVED BY AGENCY HEAD: February 25, 2002

DATE NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE DEVELOPMENT PUBLISHED IN THE GAINESVILLE SUN: January 25, 2002