

Policy/Regulation Revisions

JICK/STI JICK-R/STI
Students Sex/Gender Harassment, Discrimination and Misconduct

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Purpose:

To bring to the School Board the above policy/regulation for first reading.

In an effort to keep the School Board Policy Books updated, members of the administration and the Southeast Tech policy review committee will continually review the policies and regulations for items that need to be added, deleted, revised, or in some cases, to update the language.

On May 6, 2020, the Department of Education released updated federal guidelines regarding Title IX rules on sexual harassment. This was the culmination of a process that began nearly three years ago and has resulted in significant changes to current policy and processes related to Title IX investigations and disposition of complaints. Colleges and universities are required to comply with the new regulations by August 14, 2020.

The recent changes to Title IX rules require Southeast Tech to significantly alter our current Title IX policy and investigative processes. Southeast Tech is requesting the board acknowledge the first reading.

This policy/regulation will require a second reading. It will be posted for public review on the School District and Southeast Tech website and return to the board on September 2, 2020.

Policy Review Recommendation to School Board:

Acknowledge first reading of JICK/STI JICK-R/STI Students Sex/Gender Harassment, Discrimination and Misconduct with the understanding that they will return for a second reading on September 2, 2020.