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# BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NEBRASKA STATE COLLEGES ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND ACTION\FISCAL, FACILITIES AND AUDIT

ACTION: First and Final Round Approval of Revisions to Board Policy 6015; Prompt Payments

The policy was reviewed for updates and put into the new format. There are no substantive changes to the policy. The number is being change to 6300 which is the series that will have all accounting related policies.

The System Office recommends approval of the Revisions to Board Policy 6015; Prompt Payments.

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

• Revisions to Board Policy 6015 (PDF)

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# **Board of Trustees of the Nebraska State Colleges**

# Fiscal Operations

POLICY NAME: Pro

**Prompt Payments** 

POLICY

NUMBER: 60156300

# A. PURPOSE

To identify the timeline for paying for all goods and services.

### B. <u>DEFINITIONS</u>

None

# C. POLICY

## 1. Timely Payment for Goods and Services

- 1.1. Payment for Goods or Services Received
  Each State-College shall make payment in full (unless an alternate payment plan has been agreed upon) for all goods delivered or services rendered in accordance with the State of Nebraska's Prompt Payment Act (RRSNeb. Rev. Stat. 81-2401 through 81-2408). This will require the eColleges to make payment on or before the forty-fifth (45th) calendar day after (a) the receipt by the eCollege of the goods or services, or (b) the date of receipt by the eCollege of the bill for the goods or services, whichever is later, unless other provisions for payment are agreed to in writing by the creditor and the eCollege.
  - No goods or services shall be deemed to be received by a <u>C</u>ollege until all such goods or services are completely delivered and found acceptable by the <u>C</u>ollege.
  - For purposes of determining whether payment was made in accordance with this policy, payment in full shall be considered to be made on the date the warrant or check for payment was mailed or otherwise transmitted.

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- 1.2. Timing of Payment for Erroneous Billing
  When a bill submitted to a State College is filled out incorrectly or when there is any defect or impropriety in a bill submitted, the State College shall notify the creditor in writing prior to the date on which payment in full is due. The notice shall contain a description of the defect or impropriety and any other additional information to enable the creditor to correct the bill.
  - Upon receiving a corrected bill, the <u>eC</u>ollege shall make payment in full
    of the bill on or before the forty-fifth (45th) calendar day after receipt of
    the corrected bill.

## **FORMS / APPENDICES:**

None

SOURCE:

Legal Reference: RRS 81-2401 through

RRS 81-2408

**Prompt Payment Act** 

Policy Adopted: March 1994

Policy Revised: June 2022