

## RESOLUTION

**NUMBER: R21-265** 

**Subject:** Facility Security Clearance; Exclusion of Certain Directors and

Officers; Designation of Senior Managerial Group for Classified

Information

**Date:** March 19, 2021

WHEREAS, the University of Florida, a university in the State University System of Florida desires to enter into contractual obligations with agencies of the United States Government, including contractual obligations requiring security clearance, and

WHEREAS, current Department of Defense Regulations contain a provision making it mandatory that the Chair of the Board and all principal officers meet the personnel clearance requirements established for a security clearance, and

WHEREAS, current Department of Defense Regulations do authorize exclusion from the security clearance requirements of certain members of the Board of Directors and other officers, provided that this Board adopts a resolution stating that the Board members and such officers will not require access to classified material and designate the President and Vice President for Research for such purposes.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that a Senior Managerial Group for Classified Information is hereby designated for the purpose of providing oversight of all classified information and programs at the University.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the membership of the Senior Managerial Group shall be composed of those persons occupying the following positions at the University: (a) the President; and (b) the Vice President for Research. The Chair of the Senior Managerial group shall be the Vice President for Research. At the present time, the individuals in these positions do possess, or will be processed for, the required security clearance; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the following Board of Trustees members are excluded from access to classified information and are excluded from the requirement for a Personnel Security Clearance in accordance with Department of Defense 5220.00-M National Industrial Security Program Operating Manual, Section 1.2-106:

David L. Brandon Trustee
Richard P. Cole Trustee
Christopher T. Corr Trustee

Sylvain Doré Faculty Trustee

James W. Heavener Trustee
Morteza "Mori" Hosseini Trustee
Thomas G. Kuntz Trustee
Daniel T. O'Keefe Trustee
Rahul Patel Trustee

Trevor J. Pope Student Trustee

Marsha D. Powers Trustee
Fred S. Ridley Trustee
Anita G. Zucker Trustee

This action is in the form of a resolution to take effect immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted this 19<sup>th</sup> day of March 2021, by the Board of Trustees of the University of Florida.

Morteza "Mori" Hosseini, Chair

W. Kent Fuchs, President and Corporate Secretary