



**University System of Georgia**  
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## Board of Regents Policy Manual

### **2.1 Election of Presidents by the Board**

The Board shall elect the presidents of institutions at the April monthly meeting. Presidents shall not hold tenure at the institution but may hold, retain, or receive academic rank. They shall be elected each year for a term of one (1) year. The Chancellor shall notify them of their appointment, but such presidents shall not be entitled to a written employment contract. All such appointments will be made expressly subject to the Policies of the Board of Regents.

Persons holding tenure in the USG who receive an initial presidential appointment shall be required to relinquish their tenure before assuming the office of the president. No person shall be awarded tenure while serving as president (BoR Minutes, 1991-92, p. 34).

A person accepting the position of acting president at a USG institution shall not be a candidate for president of that institution (BoR Minutes, Aug. 2000, p. 63).