Board Meeting March 13, 2007

APPLICATION FEE FOR THE DOCTOR OF DENTAL SURGERY (D.D.S.) PROGRAM, COLLEGE OF DENTISTRY, CHICAGO

Action: Approve Increase in Application Fee, Doctor of Dental Surgery (D.D.S.)

Program, College of Dentistry, Chicago

Funding: No Funding Required

The Chancellor at Chicago recommends increasing the application fee for the Doctor of Dental Surgery (D.D.S.) degree program, College of Dentistry, from \$40 to \$65 effective June 1, 2007.

The fee has remained constant at \$40 for nine years. In 2005, the College implemented a new screening and interviewing process which requires greater faculty and staff participation. The increase in fee will offset the increased administrative costs. The \$65 fee is competitive with other dental school application fees.

The board action recommended in this item complies in all material respects with applicable State and federal laws, University of Illinois *Statutes*, *The General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedure*, and Board of Trustees policies and directives.

The President of the University concurs.