

**TITLE 610. STATE REGENTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION  
CHAPTER 25. STUDENT FINANCIAL AID AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

**RULEMAKING ACTION:**

Notice of proposed PERMANENT rulemaking

**PROPOSED RULES:**

Subchapter 37. Chancellor Glen D. Johnson Scholarship in Leadership and Public Service [NEW]  
610:25-37-1 [NEW]  
610:25-37-2 [NEW]  
610:25-37-3 [NEW]  
610:25-37-4 [NEW]

**SUMMARY:**

Chancellor Glen D. Johnson retired from his role as the chief executive officer for the Oklahoma State System of Higher Education on November 7, 2021, after 14.5 years of service to the State Regents. To honor Chancellor Johnson's commitment to improving college access, maintaining college affordability, and increasing the number of college graduates in Oklahoma to meet the state's current and future workforce needs, the State Regents are establishing the Chancellor Glen D. Johnson Scholarship in Leadership and Public Service. The State Regents have committed \$100,000 in one-time funds from the FY22 appropriation to start the scholarship fund and private funds are being contributed to grow the funds corpus. The scholarship will be awarded each year to outstanding college students attending one of Oklahoma's public colleges or universities who demonstrate strong leadership potential, a significant commitment to community engagement activities, and interest in pursuing a career in public service. The proposed new permanent rules outline the purpose of the scholarship, eligibility requirements, the award process, and fiscal aspects for administering the Chancellor Glen D. Johnson Scholarship in Leadership and Public Service.

**AUTHORITY:**

Oklahoma Constitution Article XIII-A §§ 1-4; 70 O.S. § 3206 (i) and (o); Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education

**COMMENT PERIOD:**

Persons wishing to present their views in writing may do so before 5:00 p.m. on March 17, 2022, at the following address: Matt Stangl, General Counsel, 655 Research Parkway, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73104-3603; or, at P.O. Box 108850, Oklahoma City, OK 73101-8850; or, at [mstangl@osrhe.edu](mailto:mstangl@osrhe.edu).

**PUBLIC HEARING:**

A public hearing has not been scheduled; however, pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(B)(9), "persons may demand a hearing" by contacting Matt Stangl, General Counsel, at [mstangl@osrhe.edu](mailto:mstangl@osrhe.edu) or 405.225.9129 no later than 5:00 p.m. on March 17, 2022.

**REQUESTS FOR COMMENTS FROM BUSINESS ENTITIES:**

N/A

**COPIES OF PROPOSED RULES:**

Copies of proposed rules are available in the office of the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education (655 Research Parkway, Suite 200, Oklahoma City, OK 73104), by email to [mstangl@osrhe.edu](mailto:mstangl@osrhe.edu), and on the agency's website at <https://www.okhighered.org>.

**RULE IMPACT STATEMENT:**

Pursuant to 75 O.S. § 303(D), a rule impact statement will be prepared and will be available on the agency's website at <https://www.okhighered.org>.

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