

## **ARTICLE 18 LEGISLATIVE ACTION**

Section 1. In the event that any provision of this Agreement requires legislative action to become effective, including, but not limited to, amendment of existing statutes, the adoption of new legislation, the passage of the STATE SYSTEM budget or the granting of other appropriations, the provision shall become effective only if such legislative action is taken. The parties, however, mutually agree that each will make such appropriate but separate recommendations to the Legislature that each deems necessary to give force and effect to the provisions of this Agreement. It is agreed by the parties that the provisions of this Section shall not be subject to the provisions of Article 4, GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE AND ARBITRATION, of this Agreement.

Section 2. The STATE SYSTEM and APSCUF shall each separately and in good faith attempt to have introduced and support legislation that each party independently deems is necessary to implement a provision of this Agreement. Where the parties mutually agree upon the need for implementing legislation and the form and language of that legislation, they will lend full support to the introduction and passage of such mutually agreed upon legislation. It is agreed by the parties that the provisions of this Section shall not be subject to the provisions of Article 4, GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE AND ARBITRATION, of this Agreement.

Section 3. In the event that legislation, which both parties mutually agree is necessary, is not passed with respect to a specific subject matter, the parties hereto shall have the right to re-negotiate regarding the subject matter.