



<b>SUBJECT:</b>  Role of President/CEO	<b>CATEGORY</b>  Governance	<b>NO.</b>  G-1.7
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**PREAMBLE**

The president/CEO of SIAS is charged by the board of directors with responsibility for implementing the vision, strategic agenda and policies of SIAS as established by the board.

The board instructs the president/CEO through policies and resolutions and delegates responsibility to the president/CEO for the interpretation and implementation of those policies and resolutions.

**POLICY**

The board directs the operations of SIAS through the president/CEO. In accordance with *The SIAS Act*, the president/CEO shall:

- Fulfill the duties, responsibilities and expectations as outlined in the job description for the president/CEO of SIAS.
- Exercise the powers and perform the duties assigned to him or her by the board and is responsible, subject to the direction of the board, for the general supervision and direction of the operation of SIAS.
- Annually, and at any other times requested by the board, report to the board on: the operation of SIAS; the progress of SIAS towards the achievement of its goals, including recommendations for the benefit and advancement of SIAS; and any other matters that the board may require.
- Hire, supervise and direct the academic work of SIAS, its employees and its officers employed in connection with that work; the business affairs of SIAS and its officers and employees employed in connection with those affairs; and strategic goals and priorities.
- Ensure that a succession plan is in place for senior management.

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- Exercise any powers and perform any other duties that are conferred on or assigned by the board.

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