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**OHIO BOARD OF REGENTS TO HOLD MONTHLY MEETING
AT OBR OFFICES, COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 10**

COLUMBUS, Ohio – The Ohio Board of Regents will hold its March 2005 meeting at 1:30 p.m., Thursday, March 10, at the agency's offices, 30 East Broad St., 36th Floor, Columbus, Ohio.

Due to morning budget testimony before the Higher Education Subcommittee of House Finance, abbreviated committee meetings will be held in the 1:30 p.m. full board meeting.

Among items recommended for board action are: an update on Ohio's Articulation and Transfer Policy Implementation, academic program authorizations and requests to the Controlling Board.

Media and the public are encouraged to attend the board meeting, being held in main conference room at the Ohio Board of Regents offices.

The Ohio Board of Regents is the coordinating body for higher education in the state. Created in 1963 by the General Assembly, the 11-member public board has a direct, non-governing relationship with all of Ohio's colleges and universities.

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Note: A board meeting agenda and committee meeting schedule are attached. The next monthly meeting of the Ohio Board of Regents is scheduled to be held at 1:30 p.m., at OBR offices, Columbus, Ohio.