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53B-2a-102 Commissioner of technical education -- Appointment -- Duties.

- (1)
 - (a) The board of trustees, upon approval from the governor and with the consent of the Senate, shall appoint a commissioner of technical education to serve as the board of trustees' chief executive officer.
 - (b) The commissioner of technical education shall:
 - (i) have an appropriate and relevant educational background; and
 - (ii) have extensive experience in career and technical education.
 - (c) The commissioner of technical education shall serve at the board of trustees' discretion and may be terminated by:
 - (i) the board of trustees; or
 - (ii) the governor, after consultation with the board of trustees.
 - (d) If the board of trustees intends to appoint an interim or acting commissioner of technical education during a leave of absence of the commissioner of technical education, the board of trustees shall appoint the interim or acting commissioner of technical education with the consent of the Senate.
 - (e) The name of each final candidate for commissioner of technical education shall be publicly disclosed.
- (2) The board of trustees shall:
 - (a) set the salary of the commissioner of technical education;
 - (b) prescribe the duties and functions of the commissioner of technical education; and
 - (c) select a commissioner of technical education on the basis of outstanding professional qualifications.
- (3) The commissioner of technical education is responsible to the board of trustees to:
 - (a) ensure that the policies and programs of the board of trustees are properly executed;
 - (b) furnish information about the Utah College of Applied Technology and make recommendations regarding the information to the board of trustees;
 - (c) provide state-level leadership in an activity affecting an applied technology college; and
 - (d) perform other duties as assigned by the board of trustees in carrying out the board of trustees' duties and responsibilities.

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