## VII. STANDING COMMITTEES

# A. Academic and Student Affairs Committee

## Granting of Degrees for 2004–2005

### **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

It is the recommendation of the administration and the Academic and Student Affairs Committee that the Board of Regents approve the granting of degrees to those individuals who, in the judgment of the faculty, have satisfied the requirements for their respective degrees during the 2004-2005 academic year.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The statutes of the State of Washington require that the Board of Regents approve the granting of degrees to those individuals who have satisfied the requirements for their respective degrees. Similar action is taken each year by the Board of Regents.

Approximately 11,990 degrees will be awarded this academic year. For work completed at the University of Washington, Seattle, students will receive 10,535 degrees, specifically: 7,140 bachelor's degrees, 2,565 master's degrees, 460 professional degrees and 370 doctoral degrees. For work completed at the University of Washington, Bothell, students will receive 670 degrees, including 560 bachelor's degrees and 110 master's degrees. For work completed at the University of Washington, Tacoma, students will receive 785 degrees, including 650 bachelor's degrees and 135 master's degrees.

Last year a total of 11,959 degrees were awarded: At Seattle, 7,136 bachelor's degrees, 2,566 master's degrees, 435 professional degrees (Law, 145, Medicine, 172, Dentistry, 50, Pharmacy, 68), and 362 doctoral degrees; at Bothell, 529 bachelor's degrees and 110 master's degrees; and at Tacoma, 691 bachelor's degrees and 130 master's degrees.