RESOLUTION

CONFERRING THE TITLE

PRESIDENT EMERITUS

CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

TO

RICHARD L. JUDD, PH.D.

June 14, 2004

WHEREAS, Richard L. Judd will retire on July 1, 2004 after serving as president of Central Connecticut State University for eight years, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Judd began his relationship with Central Connecticut State University as a student, graduating in 1959, returned in 1964 as an Instructor of Psychology, and went on to serve the university as Director of the Student Center, Dean of Students Affairs, Executive Dean for Institutional Advancement and University Affairs, and Vice President for University Affairs before his appointment as President in June 1996, and

WHEREAS, During his tenure, Dr. Judd continued to enhance the educational mission of Central Connecticut State University with the creation of programs that prepare students to meet the changing world; established a variety of Centers and Institutes that provide unique educational opportunities for students and faculty while contributing to the economic growth of Connecticut; instituted the first Ed.D. program in the CSU System, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Judd restructured the Center for International Education to refocus programs to meet both academic and economic development needs, and nurtured collaboration with universities in other parts of the world, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Judd has ensured that Central is a place that attracts faculty from all over the country who bring distinction to the university through expertise in their discipline and dedication to their profession, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Judd changed the university landscape through thoughtful, creative use of open space and innovative building design, embodied most noticeably in the centerpiece of the campus, the Central Mall, and through the comprehensive master plan has put in place a strong foundation for future development of the university, and
WHEREAS, Dr. Judd has worked tirelessly for the betterment of the university, cultivated an extraordinary rapport with the New Britain community through his personal involvement in numerous civic organizations, resulting in an exceptional “town-gown” relationship benefiting both the university and the community, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System hereby extends its utmost appreciation to Richard L. Judd for his leadership and outstanding service to the university and the Connecticut State University System for the past thirty years, and extends its sincere and heartfelt best wishes for much happiness and success to him and his family in his retirement, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees confers upon Richard L. Judd the title, President Emeritus of Central Connecticut State University, with all the privileges pertaining thereto, effective July 1, 2004.

A Certified True Copy:

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Lawrence D. McHugh, Chairman

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William J. Cibes, Jr., Chancellor