RESOLUTION

in appreciation of
DR. MICHAEL PERNAL
as
INTERIM PRESIDENT
of
EASTERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY
JANUARY 2006 – AUGUST 2006

October 5, 2006

WHEREAS, Dr. Michael Pernal was appointed by the Connecticut State University System Board of Trustees to serve as Interim President of Eastern Connecticut State University until a search was conducted and a new president appointed, and

WHEREAS, The interim presidency of Dr. Pernal capped a career spanning more than 30 years of distinguished service to Eastern Connecticut State University, beginning in 1969, as an Instructor, to his appointment in 1998 as Executive Vice President, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Pernal provided an atmosphere of collegiality and accessibility during a period of transition by demonstrating an outstanding ability to listen and to be receptive to ideas, issues and concerns of the university community, and

WHEREAS, Dr. Pernal serves as a dedicated advocate for the university and engenders respect and admiration throughout the Connecticut State University System community, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System extends to Dr. Pernal its deep appreciation for his unwavering loyalty, commitment and service.

A Certified True Copy:

Lawrence D. McHugh, Chairman

David G. Carter, Sr., Chancellor