



RESOLUTION

honoring

THOMAS A. PORTER

AND CONFERRING THE TITLE
PROVOST EMERITUS
CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM

June 11, 1999

WHEREAS, Thomas A. Porter has served the CSU System with distinction for more than 30 years as Dean of Arts and Sciences at CCSU; Executive Officer for Academic and Student Affairs, Provost and Acting President for the CSU System; and most recently as Assistant to the President at CCSU, and

WHEREAS, Thomas A. Porter, for all of his years at CSU and CCSU, has impressed his many colleagues with a tremendous presence and, as his years in Connecticut mounted, an incredible institutional memory, and these qualities will be sorely missed, and

WHEREAS, Thomas A. Porter, in all of his administrative positions within the CSU System, has drawn effectively on a unique background of academic and legal training and experience, and

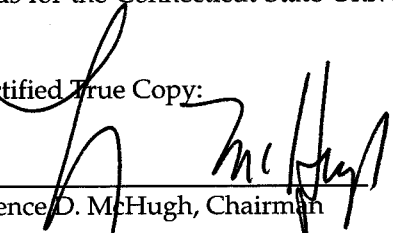
WHEREAS, Thomas A. Porter, as an academic leader in CSU, with his strong work in support of the CSU Board of Trustees, and via his long-term role with the Standing Advisory Committee to the Board of Governors for Higher Education, contributed importantly to CSU's strong image in the State of Connecticut and beyond, and

WHEREAS, Throughout his entire career, Thomas A. Porter, has set standards of integrity in his relationships, dedication in his work, and civility in his interactions with others which have strengthened and inspired us all, and therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees for the Connecticut State University System expresses to Dr. Porter on the occasion of his retirement its deep appreciation for his many contributions to the University System and extends to him and Mrs. Porter its best wishes for many happy and productive years to come, and be it further,

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees of the Connecticut State University System confers upon Thomas A. Porter the title Provost Emeritus for the Connecticut State University System, effective June 1, 1999.

A Certified True Copy:


Lawrence D. McHugh, Chairman


William J. Cibes, Jr., Chancellor