RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE NJIT SELF-STUDY TEAM AND CHAIRPERSON PROFESSOR NORBERT ELLIOT

WHEREAS, the Middle States Commission on Higher Education has reaffirmed NJIT’s accreditation for the next decade;

WHEREAS, the Middle States evaluation team report has determined that NJIT meets or exceeds all 14 standards outlined in the Commission’s “Characteristics of Excellence in Higher Education”;

WHEREAS, the report notes that:

“NJIT’ is making a disproportionate impact in higher education given its means. In particular, NJIT is providing an admirable service to first-in-family students attending college. The students are excellent, well trained, and graduates are highly successful after leave the university. NJIT’s success in providing a first-class education and college experience to a diverse student body is enviable.”

WHEREAS, the tireless and diligent efforts of NJIT’s self-study team over the past two years has helped invaluably to make the accreditation process successful; and

WHEREAS, the Board wishes to commend and express its appreciation and support for the efforts of the NJIT self-study team, particularly its Chair, Dr. Norbert Elliot, as well as participating NJIT faculty and staff, for their excellent teamwork and ability to communicate NJIT’s unique strengths and attributes.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of New Jersey Institute of Technology does hereby thank and commend Dr. Elliot, the Middle States Self-Study Team, and all participating faculty and staff for their work and dedication resulting in the reaffirmation of NJIT’s Middle States accreditation and highly favorable report.

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