## NEW JERSEY INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY BOARD OF TRUSTEES RESOLUTION ON THE LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE OF <u>DR. JOEL S. BLOOM, PRESIDENT</u>

- **WHEREAS,** DR. JOEL S. BLOOM has laudably served, and brought great distinction to, New Jersey Institute of Technology throughout his 32-year tenure at the university, and, most notably, while serving as its eighth President, an office to which he was appointed in 2011; and
- WHEREAS, DR. JOEL S. BLOOM has provided the university with dedicated service, inimitable expertise, extraordinary commitment, and outstanding leadership, resulting in historic gains in enrollment and student success, a renewal of the faculty, an exponential increase in research, a significant increase in philanthropic giving, the expansion and transformation of the NJIT campus, and the enlargement of the university's global footprint; and
- WHEREAS, DR. JOEL S. BLOOM has been a leading advocate and enthusiastic ambassador for New Jersey Institute of Technology, working tirelessly with the Board of Trustees, the Board of Overseers, and the university's administration, faculty, alumni, and others to enhance the life and reputation of NJIT, which is now recognized as a Top 50 public university, a Carnegie-classified R1 institution of higher education, and the leading university in the entire nation for enabling low-income students to achieve upward economic mobility; and
- **WHEREAS,** the university, its officers, and the entire NJIT community have been enriched by the leadership and service of DR. JOEL S. BLOOM, and wish to acknowledge his many and invaluable contributions to New Jersey Institute of Technology; and
- WHEREAS, DR. JOEL S. BLOOM, together with his wife and NJIT's First Lady, Dr. Diane Bloom, has very generously invested his time, talent, and treasure in New Jersey Institute of Technology, which has inspired countless others to support NJIT's present needs and future goals as one of the nation's preeminent polytechnic institutions; and
- **WHEREAS,** DR. JOEL S. BLOOM officially concludes his exemplary service as the eighth President of New Jersey Institute of Technology on June 30, 2022 and will hereby be named President Emeritus of the university;

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED

- **THAT** this body expresses its profound gratitude and deepest appreciation to DR. JOEL S. BLOOM for his dedication, leadership, and exemplary service throughout his distinguished tenure at the university, and, most notably, during his service as the eighth President of New Jersey Institute of Technology from 2011 to 2022; and
- **THAT** this body hopes DR. JOEL S. BLOOM will remain an integral part of the New Jersey Institute of Technology community; and
- **THAT** this body wishes DR. JOEL S. BLOOM much health, happiness, and success in his future endeavors; and
- **THAT** we order this resolution incorporated into the minutes of this meeting of June 15, 2022, with a copy conveyed to DR. JOEL S. BLOOM, as tangible evidence of its personal and official sentiment.

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