



Connecticut State University System

Board of Trustees

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RESOLUTION

concerning

ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CENTER FOR CARIBBEAN STUDIES AT CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

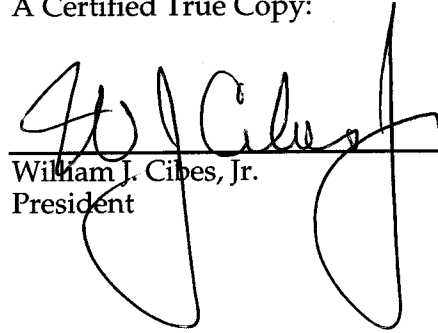
October 6, 1995

- WHEREAS, Instruction, research, and public service are interconnected elements of the mission of the Connecticut State University System, and
- WHEREAS, Student exchanges, faculty exchanges, joint research project, community service, and sponsorship of cultural activities extend the range of learning and international experiences for all CSU students, and
- WHEREAS, One of the most characteristics feature of immigration to the United States is the persistence of ethnic groups and their distinctive traditions, and
- WHEREAS, The Hartford-New Britain metropolitan region served by Central Connecticut State University includes a rich diversity of people who share Caribbean heritage and culture, and
- WHEREAS, CCSU and the Connecticut State University System recognizes and welcomes students from these different cultures and traditions, and
- WHEREAS, The President of Central Connecticut State University has recommended the establishment of a Center for Caribbean Studies to carry out applied research, community and cultural outreach, and faculty-student exchanges, and to lead in the establishment of courses and academic programs which reflect the Caribbean culture of our students, therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That the Center for Caribbean Studies is established as an organized academic, research and service unit at Central Connecticut State University, and be it further
- RESOLVED, That the Center for Caribbean Studies may seek and receive contracts and grants from public and private organizations and may charge fees for services related to the functions stated above provided that all applicable state and University regulations are observed, and be it further
- RESOLVED, That all funds received by the Center shall be deposited in the Operating Fund at Central Connecticut State University in accounts established for the center. Such funds shall be used for the purposes of the Center and appropriate University support functions only, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the President of Central Connecticut State University shall cause the Center for Caribbean Studies to be evaluated every five years and shall submit a report on Center operations to the Board of Trustees on September 1, 2000 and every five years thereafter, which report shall include a recommendation for the continuance or discontinuance of the Center, and be it

RESOLVED, That the Center for Caribbean Studies at Central Connecticut State University shall go out of existence on December 31, 2000, unless the Board of Trustees acts to the contrary.

A Certified True Copy:



William J. Cibes, Jr.
President