

VERMONT STATE COLLEGES SYSTEM

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

RESOLUTION 2023-010

Appointment of David G. Bergh to serve as Interim President of Vermont State University

- WHEREAS, The Vermont State Colleges System (VSCS) Board of Trustees is responsible under 16 V.S.A. § 2174, and under Article 5, Section 1, of the VSCS By-Laws for the selection and appointment of presidents of the VSCS's member institutions; and
- WHEREAS, Mike Smith, President of Vermont State University, is preparing to step down as planned on October 31, 2023 at the conclusion of his six month term; and
- WHEREAS, The Board of Trustees, through its appointed Ad Hoc Search Committee, conducted a search to identify the most qualified candidate to serve as the next President of Vermont State University; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, That David G. Bergh is appointed to serve as Interim President of Vermont State University, with all the associated authority and responsibility of the office of President, following the departure of President Smith, and shall serve in such role until the Board appoints a successor.

Approved: September 22, 2023

*Eileen M Dickinson*

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Eileen "Lynn" Dickinson, Chair of the Board of Trustees