

Connecticut State University System
Board of Trustees

BR#96-4



RESOLUTION

concerning

MICROCOMPUTER PROCUREMENT

February 16, 1996

- WHEREAS, Our universities and the system office have purchased a significant number of microcomputers which requires that faculty and staff be trained in their use to ensure their effective utilization, and
- WHEREAS, The universities perform much of the maintenance associated with these computers in-house, and
- WHEREAS, The purchase of an extensive variety of these computers would increase significantly the cost of training, maintenance, licensing, user support and other related costs, and
- WHEREAS, The marketplace for microcomputers has changed dramatically from both a technological and price perspective and in order to take advantage of these improvements, now therefore be it
- RESOLVED, That Board Resolution 94-106, a resolution concerning microcomputer procurement, be rescinded, and be it further
- RESOLVED, That microcomputer purchases within the Connecticut State University System be standardized on the following brands: Apple, Compaq, Digital Equipment Corporation, Gateway, IBM, Zenith and Hewlett-Packard, and be it further
- RESOLVED, That henceforth the President of the Connecticut State University system is authorized to approve additions or deletions to the list of personal computers authorized for purchase by the universities and system office.

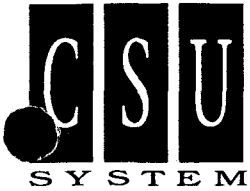
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William J. Cibes, Jr.
President



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Connecticut State University System



October 3, 1997

TO: Bill Cibes, Chancellor
FROM: Jeff Thompson, Chief Information Officer *JTH*
SUBJ: Add Toshiba laptops to standardized brands list of BR#96-4

In accordance with Board Resolution # 96-4 (copy attached), I am requesting that Toshiba portables be included on the list of standardized brands of microcomputer purchases for CSU. The portables produced by Toshiba are rated as one of the highest in the industry for enhanced features and system reliability.

If you are in agreement of this amendment request, please indicate your approval on the signature line below.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Approve:

W. J. Cibes, Jr.

William J. Cibes, Jr.
Chancellor





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October 15, 1999

TO: Bill Cibes, Chancellor

FROM: Jeff Thompson, Chief Information Officer

SUBJECT: PC Desktop Standardized Brands Update List of BR#96-4

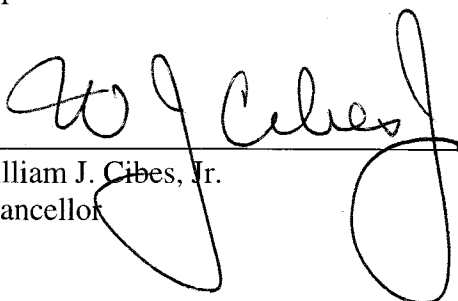
In accordance with Board Resolution # 96-4 (copy attached), I am requesting that Dell PCs be included on the list of standardized brands of microcomputer purchases for CSU and that Digital and Zenith be removed. The Dell microcomputer has been evaluated system-wide and performed well. Over the last two years, Dell has greatly improved the reliability of its microcomputer products and increased market share to warrant inclusion on the approved list.

The approved list is now Dell, Apple, Compaq, Gateway, IBM, and Hewlett-Packard.

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