AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

1. NAME OF ITEM: Awarding of Tenure: UM

2. INITIATED BY: James H. Page, Chancellor

3. BOARD INFORMATION:
   BOARD ACTION: X

4. BACKGROUND:

   The University of Maine is requesting immediate tenure to an exceptionally qualified Professor in the Department of Mathematics and Statistics who has accepted a tentative offer. This individual has an international reputation, having published scholarship in domestic and international journals and comes highly recommended by three of the world’s top analytic number theorists from Princeton, Rutgers and Montreal.

   This recommendation has been reviewed and approved by the Peer Committee in the Department of Mathematics and Statistics, the co-Chairs of the department, and the Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

   Board policy states that at the time of initial appointment, exceptionally qualified individuals may be awarded tenure at the rank of full professor with the approval of the appointment by the Board of Trustees.

5. TEXT OF PROPOSED RESOLUTION

   That the Board of Trustees grant tenure to this individual at the University of Maine as presented.

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