WHEREAS, The Presidential nomination of CAGR Dean Joseph J. Jen to serve the nation as Under-Secretary of U.S. Department of Agriculture (Education, Research & Economics) is worthy of commendation; and

WHEREAS, Such call to high government office brings honor to Cal Poly and is indicative of the national prominence of not only Dean Jen but also the College of Agriculture and Cal Poly; therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate extend its congratulations to Dean Joseph J. Jen for this honor which recognizes his decade of exemplary service to Cal Poly; and be it further

RESOLVED: That this commendation be conveyed to him by the Chair of the Academic Senate.

Proposed by: Unny Menon, CENG Caucus Chair
Date: April 9, 2001
Revised: April 16, 2001
I am pleased to acknowledge the above Resolution of the Academic Senate and to also express my appreciation of Dean Jen's exemplary service to Cal Poly. While Cal Poly is losing a valuable member of the team, his appointment as Undersecretary of Agriculture for Research, Education & Economics in the Bush Administration is certainly high recognition of Dean Jen's abilities and professionalism.