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**A RESOLUTION OF THE FACULTY OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
OF
THE COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY IN VIRGINIA
IN THE YEAR 2008**

REGARDING PROFESSOR EMERITUS ALAN FUCHS

Whereas,

The Faculty of Arts and Sciences is known to have at least as many opinions as it has members, all of which need to be heard at its public meetings upon occasion, and,

Whereas,

The Faculty of Arts and Sciences has been prone to maneuvers such as dissolving itself into a Committee of the Whole and being unable to reconstitute itself into a body able to do official business, and,

Whereas,

The Faculty of Arts and Sciences has become finally convinced that there is, in fact, no such thing as a friendly amendment, and,

Whereas,

Professor Alan Fuchs has distinguished himself with infinite patience, peerless discretion, unflinching common sense, and knowledge of Robert's Rules of Order worthy of the greatest of parliamentarians in trying to keep the Faculty from its worst faults, and has served both Faculty Assembly and the Faculty of Arts and Sciences as parliamentarian par excellence for lo these many years,

Be It Resolved,

By the Faculty of Arts and Sciences of the College of William and Mary in Virginia, that Professor Alan Fuchs is hereby thanked by the Faculty assembled, and presented with a humble token of our profoundest appreciation, a new copy of Roberts' Rules of Order, signed by a grateful Faculty Affairs Committee and dean,

This day, Tuesday, May the Sixth, Two Thousand and Eight,

Recorded, Professor Michael Leruth, Secretary, for the Faculty of Arts & Sciences