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Dean C. Pappas Confirmed as Richard Stockton College of NJ Trustee; Installation Set for Wednesday, Dec. 13

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GALLOWAY TWP. – Dean C. Pappas was confirmed by the New Jersey legislature last week as the newest Trustee of the Richard Stockton College of New Jersey and was officially installed at the Board of Trustees' December meeting held in the Townsend Residential Life Center on the College campus.

Mr. Pappas was appointed to a five-year term until June of 2012. He replaces Judge Gerald Weinstein who retired from the Board in September.

Mr. Pappas, a resident of Mannington Township, Salem County, has long been a supporter of higher education and a member of Stockton's Friends of Hellenic Studies. The Pappas family endowed a named professorship in the Interdisciplinary Center for Hellenic Studies, the Clement and Helen Pappas Professorship. The College is one of the state's leading supporters of the Hellenic community through such programs as the Interdisciplinary Center for Hellenic Studies and the Examined Life Program.

He is Chairman and co-Chief Executive Officer of Clement, Pappas & Co., Inc., a family-owned food processing company. The firm is a leader in the supply of private-label fruit juice beverages and cranberry sauce to leading food wholesalers and retailers throughout North America. He has been with the company since 1962.

A graduate of Blair Academy and Dickinson College, Mr. Pappas is a prominent leader in the industry of food and juice processing. He recently completed a term as Chairman of the Food Processors Association and has served as President of the National Juice Products Association, Chairman of the Food Institute, the New Jersey Food Processors Association and the New Jersey Farm Workers Corporation.

Active in civic and arts organizations, Mr. Pappas is a past Chairman of the Philadelphia Presidents Organization and is a former Trustee of Lehigh Investment Trust of

Cambridge, Mass. and Director of the Farmer Mutual Insurance Co. of Salem, NJ. He served on the Early Warning Task Force during the administration of former NJ Governor Brendan Byrne. Mr. Pappas was a member of the Small Business and Agriculture Committees of the 3rd District of the Federal Reserve, the Board of the New Jersey Agriculture Society, and the Board of Newcomb Hospital Foundation. He is currently serving on the Board of Eastern States Group, Wilmington, DE.

Mr. Pappas served on the Board of Trustees of the Blair Academy, and is a member of the John Dickinson Society at his college alma mater. A member of the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church in Wilmington, DE, he served on the Executive Committee of the church as Secretary to the Parish Council. He currently serves on the Endowment Committee of the Salem County Historical Society.

He is married to Zoë Sarbanes Pappas. The couple has two grown children who work in the family business. Their son Dimitri, who is an attorney, is Corporate Counsel of the firm; and their daughter Aleni, holds a Masters in Food Management from New York University and is Product Manager of Organics.