## RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES UNIVERSITY OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

Purpose: To approve the Bachelor of Science degree program in Agricultural Business

**WHEREAS**, the Bachelor of Science degree program in Agricultural Business supports needed workforce development in the Territory, and provides UVI students with further opportunities for professional careers after graduation; and

**WHEREAS**; the Bachelor of Science degree program is consistent with the spirit and goals of the University's strategic plan, *Greatness through Innovation*; and

**WHEREAS,** on September 01, 2022, the Agriculture Curriculum Committee in the School of Agriculture and the fulltime faculty in the Agricultural Experimental Station and the Cooperative Extension Services approved the Bachelor of Science degree program in Agricultural Business; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 02, 2022, the voting faculty in the School of Agriculture approved the Bachelor of Science degree program in Agricultural Business; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 22, 2022, the Curriculum Committee of the University approved the Bachelor of Science degree program in Agricultural Business; and

**WHEREAS**, on October 6, 2022, the faculty of the University approved the Bachelor of Science degree program in Agricultural Business; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 8, 2023, the Academic Research and Student Affairs Committee of the Board of Trustees approved the Bachelor of Science degree program in Agricultural Business; and

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY THAT:

- 1. The establishment of the Bachelor of Science degree program in Agricultural Business is hereby approved.
- 2. The President is authorized to take such action as is necessary to implement this resolution.
- 3. This resolution shall become effective June 24, 2023.

## **CERTIFICATION**

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of a resolution of the Board of Trustees of the University of the Virgin Islands and adopted at its meeting on Saturday, June 24, 2023, as recorded in the minutes of the said meeting.

David Hall	June 24, 2023
Secretary of the Board	Date