

BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

COMMITTEE: Executive Committee

NO.: BHE 08-04

COMMITTEE DATE: December 6, 2007

BOARD DATE: January 11, 2008

**APPROVAL OF PAUL RAVERTA AS PRESIDENT OF
BERKSHIRE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

MOVED: The Board of Higher Education hereby approves the recommendation of the Board of Trustees of Berkshire Community College to appoint Dr. Paul Raverta as President and Chief Executive Officer of Berkshire Community College and approves and fixes Dr. Raverta's compensation in accordance with the provisions of the attached Employment Agreement, dated November 27, 2007. Such appointment is contingent upon acceptance and approval by the Chancellor of a complete background check conducted by the Massachusetts State Police.

Authority: Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 15A, Sections 9 (q) and 21

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Benefit Administration