

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER Senate Resolution 25.02

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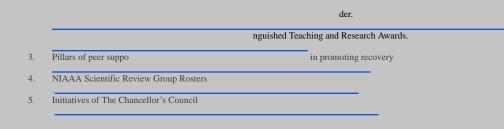
WHEREAS, Dr. Bergeson has been a dedicated and exceptional member of the faculty at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, demonstrating an unwavering commitment to the academic and professional growth of students; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Bergeson has exemplified the value of visionary leadership as Program Director for the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences Biotechnology Master's Program, notably by expanding the program to our Abilene campus and pioneering a dual M.S./M.B.A degree program in collaboration with Texas Tech University's School of Law and Rawls College of Business, further creating opportunities for students and expanding the program's impact; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Bergeson's innovative approach involves modifying existing antibiotics to eliminate antimicrobial properties while retaining anti-inflammatory effects, demonstrating her commitment to repurposing known compounds for novel therapeutic applications; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Bergeson has demonstrated a commitment to advancing scientific knowledge through her leadership in developing novel treatments for Alcohol Use Disorder, focusing on innovative research in drug development and sex differences in Alcohol Use Disorder, which has resulted in securing over \$13 million in funding from the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism,

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WHEREAS, Dr. Bergeson's NIH awards were jointly funded by TTUHSC and

WHEREAS, Dr. Bergeson has held key editorial roles, including Editor-in-Chief of Alcoholism Treatment Quarterly, and actively contributes to the advancing education and research within the TTUHSC. Dr. Bergeson has played a significant role in helping and advancing towards excellence within the scientific community and within TTUHSC; and,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Student Senate of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center congratulates Dr. Bergeson on receiving the Chancellor's Distinguished Teaching Award and expresses its heartfelt gratitude for her ongoing commitment to excellence in teaching, research and her remarkable contributions to the TTUHSC community; therefore,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be spread upon the Journal and that copies be sent to *President of Texas*

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