

**APPROVAL OF THE AWARDING OF THE HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA BY IVY TECH  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

**RESOLUTION NUMBER 2006-35**

**WHEREAS**, the State of Indiana is seeking to improve the educational levels of Hoosiers by making available opportunities for individuals to earn a high school diploma while earning credits toward a college degree, and

**WHEREAS**, the College has been identified as an Indiana institution that may provide alternative high school completion options for students currently in high school and for adults, and

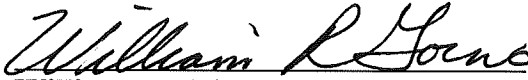
**WHEREAS**, the granting of certifications of achievement and degrees is one of the powers and duties of the Ivy Tech Community College State Board of Trustees, and

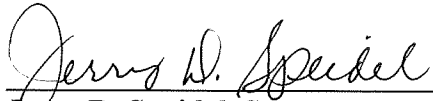
**WHEREAS**, the State Board accepts responsibility for awarding the high school diploma through Ivy Tech Community College, consistent with House Enrolled Act 1347,

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the State Trustees do hereby approve the College to offer a high school diploma.

**FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED**, that the State Trustees authorize that College representatives work with state educational and policy entities to develop further plans for meeting the expectations of HB 1347.

**State Trustees  
Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana**

  
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**William R. Goins, Chairman**

  
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**Jerry D. Speidel, Secretary**

**Dated June 15, 2006**