**Whereas** the Zope Software Foundation is a Delaware corporation for the purpose of safeguarding the future of the Zope Software; and

Whereas the Zope Software Foundation was declared void by The State of Delaware in 2012; and

**Whereas** the Plone Foundation has provided funding and support for the further development of Zope since that time; and

**Whereas** for technical reasons the objectives of the Plone Foundation necessarily include advancing the Zope Software, and

Whereas the Plone Foundation has made it clear that communities of users and developers of software other than Plone whose IP rights are vested in that foundation will be supported and maintained, therefore

**It is Resolved that** all intellectual property rights, including but not limited to ownership of the Zope Software are hereby donated to the Plone Foundation; and

It is Resolved that in accordance with section 4 of the Zope Contributor Agreement, the Zope Software Foundation's part in the reciprocal agreement regarding the use of contributions is also transferred to the Plone Foundation; and

**It is Resolved that** the Plone Foundation shall be the successor to the Zope Software Foundation in all matters, as far as allowable by law; and

It is Resolved that the Zope Software Foundation officially requests that those people having administrative access to the Zope Software related accounts and repositories on external services, including but not limited to GitHub and PyPI, should assign administrative access to representatives of the Plone foundation, in order to facilitate the performance of their new obligations; and

It is Resolved that the officers of the Zope Software Foundation will complete such applications and the Zope Software Foundation shall pay such fees in order to bring the Zope Software Foundation to Good Standing as defined by the State of Delaware and thereby give legal effect to this resolution; and

**It is Resolved that** upon such resumption of Good Standing status the officers shall file for the dissolution of the Zope Software Foundation, and donate all residual assets to the Plone Foundation.