Pulitzer-Prize Winning Journalist Charlie Savage Will Address Executive Power and the George W. Bush Presidency at the Richard Stockton College of New Jersey

Event Set for 4:30 P.M. on Thursday, September 18, 2008 at the Performing Arts Center on the Galloway Twp. Campus

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GALLOWAY TWP., NJ – On Thursday, September 18, from 4:30 to 6:00 P.M. in the Performing Arts Center, the Richard Stockton College of New Jersey will host Pulitzer-prize winning journalist and Freshman Convocation speaker, Charlie Savage.

Mr. Savage, the author of Takeover: The Return of the Imperial Presidency and the Subversion of American Democracy, will speak about executive power and the presidency of George W. Bush. He will also discuss the upcoming election and its likely impact on the Supreme Court. This event will be followed by a book-signing.

Savage’s work on the Bush-Cheney administration’s signing statements and other efforts to expand presidential power has been widely recognized. In addition to winning the 2007 Pulitzer Prize for National Reporting, he has received the American Bar Association’s Silver Gavel Award and the Gerald R. Ford Prize for Distinguished Reporting on the Presidency. For additional information about Charlie Savage, please visit his Web site at http://www.charliesavage.com/.

Mr. Savage’s visit to Stockton is featured among the highlights centered around Constitution Day. These events underscore The Political Engagement Project at Stockton, which is part of a broad civic engagement initiative. Constitution Day events are sponsored by the Office of the Provost and the Division of Student Affairs. All of these events are free and open to the public.

For additional information, please call the Box Office at (609) 652-9000 for overflow seating in nearby classrooms that will carry the broadcast live.

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