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Office of the President
September 18, 2001

Members, Board of Trustees:

BAXTER HEALTHCARE CORPORATION GIFT

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept a gift of \$101,500 from Baxter Healthcare Corporation of Deerfield, Illinois, to support the artificial kidney research of Dr. Dayong Gao, associate professor in the Department of Mechanical Engineering in the College of Engineering.

Background: Baxter Healthcare has a longstanding relationship with the University, including gifts of over \$576,000 to the Colleges of Engineering, Medicine, Pharmacy and the UK Hospital. Baxter Healthcare is the distribution subsidiary of Baxter International, a medical technology manufacturer specializing in biotechnology, cardiovascular, intravenous and renal therapy products and equipment.

Action taken: Approved Disapproved Other _____