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Office of the President
March 9, 2005

Members, Board of Trustees:

GIFTS AND PLEDGES TO THE
PAUL C. VAN BOOVEN FELLOWSHIP ENDOWMENT FUND

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept gifts of \$127,671 and pledges of \$214,015 from family and friends of the late Paul C. Van Booven to create and endow the Paul C. Van Booven Fellowship Endowment in the College of Law. The fund will provide graduate fellowships in the College of Law. It is recommended that the Board submit these gifts and pledges for matching funds from Kentucky's Endowment Match Program. Council on Postsecondary Education guidelines require that the Board of Trustees acknowledge its responsibility for UK's participation in the Program and for all university endowment funds.

Background: Paul C. Van Booven earned his Juris Doctorate from the College of Law in 1976 and served the college and university with consummate skill until his death in 2004. While serving as associate dean of the college, he was responsible at various times for administration, admissions, development, placement, and student affairs. He served a generation of law students as a mentor, counselor, and role model. He later served the university in the Office of Legal Counsel, rising to become the University's General Counsel. In that role, he was a trusted advisor to presidents, trustees, and university administrators.

Action taken: Approved Disapproved Other _____