Office of the President
April 1, 2003

Members, Board of Trustees:

PROFESSORSHIP NAME CHANGE

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees approve changing the name of the Pharmaceutical Technology Lectureship/Professorship/Chair Endowed Fund to the Patrick P. DeLuca Pharmaceutical Technology Professorship in the College of Pharmacy.

In accordance with the Council on Postsecondary Education guidelines, the Board of Trustees acknowledges that it has primary responsibility for the implementation of the Endowment Match Program and is responsible for providing oversight of all endowment funds.

Background: The Board of Trustees approved establishing the Pharmaceutical Technology Lectureship/Professorship/Chair in Pharmaceutical Sciences in August 2001. The College of Pharmacy desires to rename the professorship in honor of Patrick P. DeLuca, Ph.D. to recognize his distinguished career as a nationally and internationally renowned pharmaceutical science and technology educator. Dr. DeLuca, a principal contributor to the endowment and member of the College of Pharmacy faculty, is a UK Sullivan Award recipient.

The gifts of Dr. DeLuca and others were matched by the state’s Research Challenge Trust Fund to create a $114,000 endowment. The College of Pharmacy plans to continue fund raising to achieve the goal of creating a $1 million endowed chair.

Action taken: ☑ Approved ☐ Disapproved ☐ Other ___________________