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Office of the President June 9, 2009

Members, Board of Trustees:

DR. RONALD J. SAYKALY PLEDGE FOR THE SAYKALY/GARBULINSKA FUND

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept a pledge of \$200,000 from Dr. Ronald J. Saykaly of Lexington, Kentucky to create and endow the Saykaly/Garbulinska Fund for Rheumatology Fellows Research and Education and submit this pledge of \$200,000 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.

<u>Background</u>: Dr. Ronald J. Saykaly is a part-time faculty member in the UK College of Medicine and is a member of the UK College of Medicine Dean's Advisory Council and the Gill Heart Institute's Director's Council.

Action taken:	☑ Approved	☐ Disapproved	Other	