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Office of the President
April 25, 2006

Members, Board of Trustees:

ESTATE OF ANTHONY LEONARD BOADEN WYATT GIFT

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept gifts totaling \$491,038 from the estate of Anthony Leonard Boaden Wyatt, formerly of Herefordshire, England, to support the Wallace Genetic Foundation Fund in the Department of Chemistry in the College of Arts and Sciences.

Background: Mr. Wyatt, a citizen of Great Britain, heard Dr. Boyd Haley, Chemistry faculty member, lecture on mercury toxicity and its possible link to autism. Mr. Wyatt did further reading on Dr. Boyd's research and spoke to him by phone. Upon his death, Mr. Wyatt left a portion of his estate to further the research on mercury toxicity.

Action taken: Approved Disapproved Other _____