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Office of the President December 13, 2005

Members, Board of Trustees:

## JAMES AND DIANE STUCKERT GIFT

<u>Recommendation</u>: that the Board of Trustees accept a gift of \$250,000 from James and Diane Stuckert of Louisville, Kentucky, to create and endow the James and Diane Stuckert Service Learning Professorship in the College of Education and submit this gift of \$250,000 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>: The James and Diane Stuckert Service Learning Professorship will provide a professorship in the College of Education to advance the university's service learning and experiential education efforts. James and Diane Stuckert are generous supporters of the university and Mr. Stuckert is the Chair of the UK Capital Campaign Steering Committee. James Stuckert earned his bachelor's degree from the College of Engineering and his master's degree from the Gatton College of Business and Economics while Diane Stuckert earned her degree from the College of Education.