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Office of the President January 24, 2006

Members, Board of Trustees:

LOUISE HARRISON SHOUSE GIFT TO THE COLLEGE OF FINE ARTS

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept a gift of \$75,000 from Louise Harrison Shouse to add to and rename the Louise Harrison Shouse Endowed Enrichment Fund for Research in Vocal Studies to the Louise Harrison Shouse Endowed Research Fund in Opera Studies in the College of Fine Arts and submit this gift of \$75,000 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>: Mrs. Shouse has been a generous donor to the College of Fine Arts' vocal arts endowments. This endowment will support research into the historical and experimental dimensions of vocal music and opera.

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