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Office of the President
June 14, 2005

Members, Board of Trustees:

CONSOL ENERGY, INC. GIFT-IN-KIND

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept a gift-in-kind valued at \$115,750 from CONSOL Energy, Inc. of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to the Department of Special Collections and Digital Programs in the University of Kentucky Libraries.

Background: The CONSOL Energy collection contains approximately 1,660 maps, as well as records, ledgers, data books, core samples, and photographs concerning the mining of coal in Eastern and particularly Western Kentucky from the early 1900s to the 1990s. Due to the nature of the coal business during the last half-century, many older and smaller companies have been absorbed by CONSOL Energy, Inc. Consequently, the collection contains records pertaining to more than fifty other companies.

Action taken: Approved Disapproved Other _____