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Office of the President May 10, 2005

Members, Board of Trustees:

## ITHACA MATERIALS RESEARCH LABORATORY GIFT-IN-KIND

<u>Recommendation</u>: that the Board of Trustees accept a gift-in-kind of a Thermo ARL 3460 Optical Emission Spectrometer valued at \$140,000 from Ithaca Materials Research Laboratory (IMR) of Lansing, New York, to the Center for Aluminum Technology (CAT) in the College of Engineering.

<u>Background</u>: IMR has been a supporter and contributor to CAT since its inception in 1999. Formerly Metallurgical Services Company, then Stork MSC, Inc., IMR continues as a research partner with CAT. IMR is a national leader in the materials research field.