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Office of the President
October 25, 2005

Members, Board of Trustees:

NORTON HEALTHCARE PLEDGE

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept a pledge of \$1,150,000 from Norton Healthcare of Louisville, Kentucky, to create a UK College of Pharmacy Louisville Clinical Education Center in the College of Pharmacy.

Background: Norton Healthcare is one of the leading healthcare providers in Kentucky and one of the Fortune 500 companies that is headquartered in the state. The Clinical Education Center will serve as the hub for the final year of the College of Pharmacy's curriculum for 20-25 pharmacy students in the greater Louisville-Jefferson County metropolitan area. This partnership between Norton Healthcare and the College of Pharmacy will result in more dynamic and contemporary pharmacy service within the greater Louisville health care complex that will benefit the entire state of Kentucky. The Center will begin operations in the summer of 2006.

Action taken: Approved Disapproved Other _____