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MEMORANDUM

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TO: Members of the Board of Trustees

FROM: Dr. John B. King Jr., Chancellor

**SUBJECT: Naming of an Endowed Scholarship at the School of Dental
Medicine at the State University of New York at Buffalo**

Action Requested

The proposed resolution names the Steven A. Guttenberg endowed scholarship in oral health professions at the School of Dental Medicine at the State University of New York at Buffalo.

Resolution

I recommend that the Board of Trustees adopt the following resolution:

Whereas upon earning his BA in Psychology in 1965 and his DDS in 1969 from the State University of New York at Buffalo, Dr. Steven A. Guttenberg pursued advanced medical and surgical training, earning his medical degree from the University of Health Sciences and completing his residency in oral and maxillofacial surgery at MedStar Washington Hospital Center in Washington, D.C.;

Whereas over the course of a 50-year career, Dr. Guttenberg became a nationally recognized leader in oral and maxillofacial surgery and founded The Washington Institute for Mouth, Face and Jaw Surgery, a premier center offering a full spectrum of surgical, reconstructive, and cosmetic services; and

Whereas Dr. Guttenberg has been honored for his professional excellence and service, including receiving the School of Dental Medicine's Distinguished Alumni Award in 2022 and the Continuing Dental Education Award from the District of Columbia Dental Society; now, therefore, be it

Resolved that, in recognition of the support and philanthropic commitment by Dr. Guttenberg, the Dr. Steven A. Guttenberg Scholarship is hereby named.

Background

Steven A. Guttenberg, DDS, MD, FICD, FACD and his wife Diana Winters Guttenberg have a long history of supporting UB's School of Dental Medicine. They are actively engaged with alumni, donors, and volunteers working for the betterment of the University. Through this scholarship, Dr. and Mrs. Guttenberg wish to support the recruitment and retention of talented dental students.