ROLL CALL

AUTHORIZE SETTLEMENT

Action: Approve Settlement of Case

Funding: Self-Insurance Fund

The University Counsel recommends that the Board approve payment of $550,000 in settlement of Cahill v. Gona. The plaintiff, 22-year-old Elyse Cahill, alleges severe and permanent eye damage, pain and suffering, and disability and loss of income arising from misdiagnosis of a corneal ulcer leading to loss and replacement of a cornea.

The Board action recommended in this item complies in all material respects with applicable State and federal laws, University of Illinois Statutes, The General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedure, and Board of Trustees policies and directives.

The Vice President/Chief Financial Officer and Comptroller concurs.

The President of the University recommends approval.