

Approved by the Board of Trustees  
November 10, 2005

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## ROLL CALL

### AUTHORIZATION FOR SETTLEMENT

**Action:** Approve Settlement of Case

**Funding:** Self-Insurance Fund

The University Counsel recommends that the board approve settlement of *Young v. Portugal, et al.*, in the amount of \$450,000. The plaintiff, 44-year-old Robert Young, alleges that defendants failed to treat properly papillary squamous cell carcinoma and to timely diagnose its recurrence, resulting in additional surgery, scarring, and possible decreased life expectancy.

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 for Administration concurs.

The President of the University recommends approval.