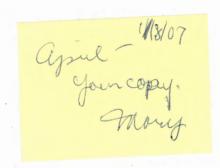


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Ms. Colette Becker, Chair
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Dear Ms. Becker:

I am pleased to endorse the six nominations submitted by the University of Maryland University Senate Staff Awards Committee for the 2007 Board of Regents' University System of Maryland Staff Awards. The nomination materials are enclosed.

Our internal review committee, headed by Carolyn Trimble, Chair of the University Senate Staff Affairs Committee, reviewed each nomination carefully and recommended a slate of candidates for these awards who are without exception outstanding in their performance and dedication.

These candidates are most deserving of the special recognition conveyed by the Regents Staff Awards, and I am pleased to forward to you these nominations with my warmest and unreserved endorsement.

Yours sincerely,

C. D. Mote, Jr.

President

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Enclosures

Ms. Carolyn Trimble, Chair, Senate Staff Affairs Committee

Dr. Jim Gates, Chair, University Senate

Dr. Mary Giles, Director, University Senate

Dr. Ann Wylie, Assistant President and Chief of Staff