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• We will acknowledge your gift in writing as soon as we receive notice that the stock has been transferred into the Notre Dame of Maryland University account or as soon as we have received a signed stock certificate or signed stock power.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please call our offices.

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