RESOLUTION

accepting

A GIFT OF COMPUTER SOFTWARE

from

COMSHARE, INCORPORATED

for

CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY

February 5, 1993

WHEREAS, Comshare Incorporated, a leading software house, has extended an offer to donate an executive information system software package to Central Connecticut State University, and

WHEREAS, The donation of the Commander EIS and One-Up Plus LAN software would be used for instructional purposes and in conducting research, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees of the Connecticut State University, on behalf of Central Connecticut State University, accepts the donation of the Commander EIS and One-Up Plus LAN software and expresses its appreciate to Comshare Incorporated.

A Certified True Copy:

Dallas K. Bear
President
MEMORANDUM

TO: Dr. Dallas K. Beal  
President  
Connecticut State University
FROM: John W. Shumaker  
President
DATE: January 19, 1993
SUBJECT: Gifts in Excess of $5,000.00

In accordance with Board Resolution #87-192, I request Board of Trustees acceptance of a gift of computer software to Central Connecticut State University by Comshare, Inc. The software will be utilized by our Department of Management Information Systems for instructional and research purposes. According to the attached correspondence from Comshare, this donation is valued at $87,750.00.

We are very pleased with this donation, and request that you present the request for acceptance to the Board of Trustees for Connecticut State University. Thank you.

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c: M. D'Onofrio
S. Mitchell
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CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY
November 13, 1992

Dr. Marianne D'Onofrio  
Chairperson  
MIS Department  
Central Connecticut State University  
New Britain, CT. 06050

Dear Marianne:

In addition to my letter dated October 26, 1992, which confirms our donation of Commander EIS and One-Up Plus LAN software, I would like to apprise you of the commercial value of these products.

This information should be used for reference only by Central Connecticut State, as most times costs vary due to individual site installation circumstances. However, a commercial installation similar to yours at Central Connecticut would cost approximately $87,750 for initial purchase and first year's maintenance, with an annual renewal fee of $17,550 for every year thereafter.

As you can see, the software donation we are making to Central Connecticut State University is an extremely valuable one. On the other hand, the education of future business leaders is also very valuable, and is most assuredly an ongoing resource for commercial clients using our software.

Every year we publish a Resume Book of graduating students who have had anywhere from demonstration exposure to actual hands-on experience. These books are then distributed to our Field Offices for presentation to our clients. Each year we receive numerous calls from clients wanting to know when the books will be published. We welcome you to participate in this portion of the University Support Program.

Again it is a pleasure working with you and Central Connecticut State.

Sincerely,

Debbie Sandoval  
Program Administrator  
University Support Program

9600 GREAT HILLS TRAIL  •  AUSTIN, TEXAS 78759  •  512/794-9119
October 26, 1992

Ms. Marianne D'Onofrio
Central Connecticut University
College of Business/MIS
East Haven, CT. 06512

Dear Marianne:

It will be a pleasure to add Central Connecticut University to our long list of Commander users, and we welcome your participation in our University Support Program.

As we have discussed on numerous occasions, this letter will confirm our desire to donate the Comshare software, Commander EIS Lan Services and ONE-UP PLUS LAN to Central Connecticut University for instructional/research utilization.

We believe the business application building experience, Mr. Walt Dempsey of United Technologies, is to share with you, will no doubt aid your success in developing a comprehensive and unique strategy for instructing the techniques of today's information systems technology.

Once your project has been completed, I would be most interested in your experience with these products and welcome any suggestions for change or enhancement. Also, any addition you can offer in terms of resultant case study or report to our University Support Library would be most appreciated. Currently, we have well over 200 such pieces from universities all across the country, but are always looking for fresh ideas from new University Program clients. Our company values very highly its relationship with participating universities who are educating the business leaders of tomorrow.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call at anytime.

Sincerely,

Debbie Sandoval
Program Administrator
University Support Program
September 28, 1992

Dr. John W. Shumaker  
President  
Central Connecticut State University  
1615 Stanley Street  
New Britain, CT 06050

GIFT OF SOFTWARE

This letter is to inform you that Comshare Corporation, a leading software house, has extended an offer to donate an executive information system software package valued at $47,500 to the Management Information Systems Department. While the annual maintenance fee to universities is $2,000, Comshare Corporation has agreed to provide the Management Information Systems Department, School of Business with the software and updates as issued without an annual fee. This software package is being used in leading industries such as United Technologies for competitive advantage in strategic decision making.

This software package would be used for instructional purposes and potentially in conducting research as well. The Management Information Systems Department recommends acceptance of this software gift and solicits your endorsement of its recommendation on behalf of the University.

Please advise if you will recommend acceptance of this gift, and, if so, the appropriate procedures for acceptance. Thank you.

MARIANNE J. D'ONOFRIO, PROFESSOR AND CHAIR  
MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS DEPARTMENT

c Dr. Karen C. Beyard  
Dean Larry E. Short