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## The Sulphur Institute Elects Chair, Vice Chair and Welcomes New Members and President

WASHINGTON, DC, May 29, 2008 — The Sulphur Institute (TSI) recently held its Annual Meeting of Directors and Members in Budapest, Hungary. Mr. Kevin Boltz, vice president of Jupiter Sulphur LLC, was elected chairman of the board and Mr. Egbert Veldman, business vice president of Shell Sulphur Solutions, was elected vice chairman of the board.

The Institute continues to expand its membership addressing the needs of all stakeholders in the diverse industry its serves. As new members, TSI welcomed, Agip KCO (Kazakhstan), Interacid Trading S.A. (Switzerland), OCP Group (Morocco), solvadis GmbH (Germany), Transammonia, Inc. USA), Marsulex, Inc. (Canada) and Chemical Initiatives (South Africa), all joining within the last year. Ms. Catherine Randazzo, TSI's new president and CEO, indicated goals she has for the organization. "I see TSI collaborating with a variety of other organizations to leverage resources for the benefit of the industries we serve, expanding our membership to better represent the global nature of the industry and strengthening our communications to the membership," remarked Ms. Randazzo.

Founded in 1960, TSI is committed to representing all stakeholders actively engaged in producing, buying, selling, handling, transporting, or adding value to sulphur. For more information about TSI membership and programs, contact Mr. Don Messick, The Sulphur Institute, 1140 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Suite 612, Washington, DC 20036, USA. Telephone: 1 202 331 9660; facsimile: 1 202 293 2940; E-mail: sulphur@sulphurinstitute.org.

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Sulfur is the preferred spelling in the United States, but the formal name of The Sulphur Institute is spelled with a "bh."