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Crescent Technology and Sae Kwang Chemical — Now TSI Members

WASHINGTON, DC, August 25, 2010 — The Sulphur Institute (TSI) is pleased to announce that Crescent Technology, Inc. and Sae Kwang Chemical Ind. Co., Ltd. are now members of the industry association dedicated to benefiting all stakeholders in the sulphur industry. Catherine Randazzo, TSI president and CEO, referenced the continuing diversity within TSI's membership, both in geography and aspects of the business. "TSI continues to demonstrate value to a growing number of companies globally. We remain committed to the entire industry, but have recently been expanding benefits exclusive to TSI membership, such as historical data, our popular weekly newsletter, all archived within the Members Only section of our website, www.sulphurinstitute.org, along with numerous other items of interest. TSI also organizes workshops and onsite visits to industry operations of interest. All stand to benefit our members in making sound business decisions!"

Crescent Technology, Inc., <u>www.cticonsult.com</u>, provides consulting services in engineering, environmental management, safety and laboratory analyses to an international client base, including the sulphur industry. Based in New Orleans, Louisiana, USA, Crescent also has extensive development capabilities at its Belle Chasse Technical Center. Roy A. Pickren, Crescent's president remarked, "We have worked for numerous major companies worldwide with sulphur having both historical and current-day significance to Crescent. We recognize the valuable contribution that TSI makes to the industry and welcome the opportunity to support and take an active role in its equally far-reaching programs."

<u>Sae Kwang Chemical Ind. Co., Ltd.</u>, from its Seoul, South Korea headquarters, sells molten sulphur and sulphur powder, sourced from three major oil refineries, and produces a wide range of sulphur products. Sae Kwang supplies their products to a series of end-users to include fertilizers, lactam, detergents, tires, rubber and agricultural chemicals. Yoon Chul Yoo, Sae Kwang's CEO, highlighted his company's reasoning in joining TSI, "Our company has been active in supplying various industries requiring sulphur for over 20 years now. As we grow our business into new uses of sulphur, such as our plans for sulphur bentonite, TSI's broad experience in market development for numerous areas of interest to our company will be a major asset."

Founded in 1960, TSI is committed to representing all stakeholders actively engaged in producing, buying, selling, handling, transporting, or adding value to sulphur on a global basis. The Sulphur Institute will host *Sulphur World Symposium 2011* in New York, New York, USA, April 11-14, 2011. For more information about TSI membership, programs and contributions to the industry, contact Chris deBrey, 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: <u>CdeBrey@sulphurinstitute.org</u>, Website: <u>www.sulphurinstitute.org</u>.