The Sulphur Institute – Harold Weber to retire in June

WASHINGTON, DC, May 11, 2016 – The Sulphur Institute (TSI) is pleased, yet saddened, to announce that Harold H. Weber, Jr., P.E., Vice President, Regulatory Affairs and Special Projects, will retire effective June 30, 2016. “Harold is a valued member of The Sulphur Institute’s team and its legacy as an industry-wide advocate for sulphur,” expressed Mr. Robert McBride, TSI President and CEO.

Mr. Weber is departing TSI after 32 years of diligently advocating responsible and beneficial resolution of issues associated with international sulphur transportation and logistics. Mr. Weber’s accomplishments include working with regulatory agencies to adopt appropriate requirements for sulphur transportation. Most notably, he fostered adoption of a special provision for formed, solid sulphur in the United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods, a new chapter in the International Maritime Solid Bulk Cargoes Code, and regional adoption of this special provision around the world.

Prior to joining TSI in 1984, Mr. Weber managed road construction programs, including sulphur asphalt paving, for six years with the U.S. Federal Highway Administration and an additional six years with the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation, managing road and bridge construction. He served as TSI's representative on the Association of American Railroads Tank Car Executive Committee.

For 38 years of his professional career, Mr. Weber has been involved with the sulphur industry. His efforts to bring together industry members to improve availability of safety information and leading practices will continue to have positive impacts on industry long after his retirement. “While I am sad to leave TSI behind, my wife and I are eagerly anticipating more family time and travel,” shared Mr. Weber.

Please join with TSI in thanking Mr. Weber and wishing him all the best in his retirement.

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Important Style Note to Editors: Sulfur is the preferred spelling in the United States, but the formal name of The Sulphur Institute is spelled with a “ph.”