



## NEWS RELEASE

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### **TSI Taps Industry Well-Knowns, Whittemore and Cohn, to Lead Industry**

WASHINGTON, DC, April 20, 2011 – The Sulphur Institute held its Annual Meeting of the Members and Directors recently. Elected as chair was Mark Whittemore, executive vice president, ICEC, a division of Oxbox Carbon. Jack Cohn, senior vice president, Savage Services Corporation, was elected vice chair.

Catherine Randazzo, TSI president and CEO, commented, “TSI continues to demonstrate its commitment to serve the entire sulphur industry with ICEC, a major worldwide sulphur marketing and logistics company, and Savage Services Corporation, a leader in sulphur logistics.” When asked about his direction for TSI, Whittemore stated, “Within the last year, we have seen the addition of 10 new members. These companies recognize TSI’s value in their day-to-day operations and long-term business strategies. We critique each TSI program yearly and adjust it to bring measurable value to the members with each.”

Whittemore continued, “I won’t mention all 10, but will simply say that the addition of PotashCorp demonstrates TSI’s value to yet another major consumer. Bolstering our membership, with three new European companies, shows the resurgence in value seen from companies in this region...a Latin American company joining...and I could go on. My interest within the next year is to further expand our geographical diversity as well as role within the industry of our membership. We have formed a strategy group with our European members to confirm their priorities and we plan to expand this approach to focus on the Middle East.”

Founded in 1960, TSI represents all stakeholders actively engaged in producing, buying, selling, handling, transporting, or adding value to sulphur on a global basis. For more information about TSI membership, programs and contributions to the industry, as well as its latest educational program, *Sulphur—an advantaged element™*, contact Don Messick, The Sulphur Institute, 1140 Connecticut Avenue, NW, Suite 612, Washington, DC 20036, USA. Telephone: +1 202 331 9586; E-mail: [DMessick@sulphurinstitute.org](mailto:DMessick@sulphurinstitute.org); Website: [www.sulphurinstitute.org](http://www.sulphurinstitute.org)

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