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## **BSK Elects First Outside Board Member**

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BSK Associates (BSK) is pleased to welcome Mr. Mike Keenan, of Sacramento, to the Board of Directors. Mr. Keenan is currently the Chief Financial Officer of Basic3, Inc. and general partner for Stowe Partners, LLC; both companies provide consulting to investors of natural resources. Mr. Keenan has 18 years of experience in natural resources and a former BSK employee. In addition to private practice, he has served as a natural resources regulator at the State and local levels in California.

The announcement was made at BSK's annual shareholder's meeting held on Friday, April 24, 2009. "Mr. Keenan is the first outside board member for BSK. Mike has experience with a number of consulting companies, and he brings diverse experience and a different perspective to the group," said Amer Hussain, Chairman of the Board.

BSK Associates has offices in Bakersfield, Fresno, Pleasanton, Sacramento, and Visalia and is an employee-owned, professional consulting and testing firm that offers civil and geotechnical engineering, environmental assessment and remediation engineering, hydrogeology, seismic hazards and engineering-geology, construction materials testing and inspection services. In addition, BSK offers a full suite of analytical chemistry and food microbiology.

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