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Building Service Contractors Association International Completes Reorganization

CHICAGO – Building Service Contractors Association International (BSCAI) emerged today from Chapter 11 reorganization as approved by the US Federal Court of northern Illinois.

Last week BSCAI hosted a successful trade show in Chicago, hosting some 900 building service and security contract professionals, service providers and suppliers. “Coming off a successful event, BSCAI is poised for growth once again, having rid ourselves of onerous contracts we can continue to focus on the needs of our members,” said BSCSAI Executive Vice President Moe Desmarais.

In 2009 BSCAI will continue to build alliances with industry organizations and suppliers that benefit members. A most notable partnership is between BSCAI and ISSA, the worldwide cleaning association. Effective with its 2010 Convention (immediately), BSCAI will co-locate its annual convention to Orlando, Florida on November 9-12, 2010. BSCAI members will be eligible to attend the ISSA/INTERCLEAN event at member rates.

“BSCAI and ISSA formed this alliance in order to capitalize on the strengths of our respective organizations. Our leadership and staff have met in the recent weeks and months to formalize an agreement and develop a working model that will enhance the networking, educational and professional services provided to our respective membership and business partners,” said Stan Doobin, BSCAI President.

The ISSA program will be held from Tuesday – Friday and BSCAI’s Annual Convention will be held from Thursday through Sunday (November 11-14) at the same location. The exhibition dates fall in the middle of both events on Wednesday through Friday. BSCAI will no longer sponsor an independent trade show. However, sponsorship opportunities and vendor partner programs will continue as usual.

BSCAI will continue to host webinars, its CEO Seminar, Executive Seminar, provide educational materials and offer certifications for members and nonmembers, building on a solid foundation of quality education in the years to come. “BSCAI is well aware of its strengths and we will continue to service the industry with quality educational products and services. We look forward to driving growth in the industry,” Desmarais said.

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About BSCAI

Founded in 1965, BSCAI has become the trade association of the building service industry, representing a worldwide network of more than 2,000 member companies from across the United States and 30 other countries who provide cleaning, facility maintenance, and other related services to building owners and managers. The association provides educational programs, publications, video training programs, seminars, and networking opportunities, all developed specifically for the building service contracting industry.

For more information, please visit www.bscai.org.