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ASA ANNOUNCES STAFF CHANGES Inge Calderon Departs, Amy Black and Chris Murin Receive Promotions

Chicago, IL – June 1, 2009 Inge Calderon, executive director of the ASA Education Foundation and former executive vice president of the American Supply Association, has departed ASA after twenty-four years.

“We wish Inge the very best and thank her for the many accomplishments she has worked to achieve over the twenty-four years of dedicated service to the association,” said Mike Adelizzi, ASA’s executive vice president. “We hope that the new opportunities that await Inge will be as challenging and rewarding as she had with ASA.”

The Board of Directors is pleased to announce that Amy Black has been promoted to Executive Director of the ASA Education Foundation and Chris Murin has been promoted to take over for Ms. Black as Executive Director of ASA.

“Both Amy and Chris have exhibited the leadership qualities that these demanding positions require. Their hard work and dedication to the association will serve them well as they take on their new roles at ASA,” shared Adelizzi. “We congratulate both Chris and Amy and look forward to the many successes that they will achieve in their new capacity.”

Ms. Black joined ASA in 1999, became Director of Membership in 2003 and then Executive Director in 2007. She has been responsible for all aspects of member development, relations, recruitment and retention, managing ASA’s Young Executives Division and Industrial Supply Division, and was deputy chief of staff, responsible for organizational oversight of ASA’s professional team. Ms. Black is a member of the Association Forum of Chicagoland and the American Society of Association Executives (ASAE).

Mr. Murin joined ASA in December 2003 as Regional Director and will continue to be responsible for the day-to-day management of two of ASA’s independent regional affiliates. He has coordinated member development throughout the Midwest, Northeast and South-Central U.S. Mr. Murin also manages ASA’s Young Executives Division, coordinates the Association’s benchmarking activities and assists Mike Adelizzi with ASA’s Government & Public Affairs program, including the ASA PAC. Prior to joining ASA, he worked with multiple association clients as their account executive with an association management company in Evanston, IL. Mr. Murin is a member of the Association Forum of Chicagoland and the American Society of Association Executives (ASAE).

“Our association has accomplished many new and exciting things over the past two years. I am confident that we have the structure in place to insure that we achieve the goals that have been established by the ASA Board,” concluded Adelizzi.

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