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OSTEC Announces 2009 Board of Directors

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June 25, 2009 - KELOWNA, BC - The Okanagan Science & Technology Council (OSTEC) held its 8th Annual General Meeting at the Delta Grand Okanagan on June 24, 2009. Business conducted at the meeting included presentation of the financial statements for 2008/2009 fiscal year, report of activities and election of the Board of Directors. Mr. David Jenkins has been elected to the position of President. Mr. Jenkins, with Borcom Associated Consultants, begins a one-year term as President after serving as a director on the board for two years.

The new Board of the Okanagan Science & Technology Council is as follows:

David Jenkins, Borcom Associated Consultants Inc.	President
Simone Brunton, Grant Thornton LLP	Director
John Christie, Vineyard Technology Consulting	Director
*Aaron Dow, Farris, Vaughan, Wills & Murphy LLP	Director
Raghwa Gopal	Director
Peter Haubrich, Okanagan Research & Innovation Centre (ORIC)	Director
Andrew Hay, Okanagan College	Director
David Jones, UBC - UILO	Director
Mike Martin, Quantech Software.com	Director
Jason Richards, Vineyard Networks	Director
*Dr. Ian Stuart, Faculty of Management – UBC Okanagan	Director
Jack Van der Star, WaveTeq Communications Inc.	Director
Sonja Vrcic, National Research Council - DRAO	Director
Steve Wandler	Director

* denotes new board members

The Okanagan Science & Technology Council (OSTEC) is a not-for-profit, membership driven organization that fosters an environment that supports science and technology initiatives by acting as a representative and advocate for the interests of members and the business community as a whole. OSTEC is a conduit that brings people together, partnering with industry, agencies and government and supports the region as a globally competitive centre of excellence in the research, development and application of science, technology and innovation.

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