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## **Press Release**

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## **Skanska Hires New Project Executive**

Skanska USA Building Inc. announced that it has hired John Gould as Project Executive, heading Skanska's Special Projects Group, which provides specialized services for the delivery of stand-alone structures, additions, interior fit-out, renovation and construction/demolition throughout the Mid-Atlantic region. He will be based out of the Rockville, Maryland office.

Gould has more than 23 years of experience in real estate development, construction and architectural design. He has experience in preconstruction planning, estimating, design, construction management, scheduling and project budgeting/cost control. Prior to joining Skanska, Gould was the President and owner of Gould Construction Services Group based out of Chantilly, Virginia. Gould is a member of the American Institute of Architects (AIA), the Third Degree Knight of Columbus and the National Trust for Historic Preservation.

"Gould's knowledge, skills and experience are valuable to the company, and we look forward to his contributions," said Greg Gouldin, Skanska's Vice President.

Skanska USA Building Inc. is a leading national and local provider of construction, pre-construction consulting, general contracting and design-build services to a broad range of U.S. industries, including life sciences, healthcare, education, high-tech, aviation, transportation, and sports and entertainment. Skanska USA Building also provides pharmaceutical validation services to clients. The company, part of the Skanska AB global group of companies, is headquartered in Parsippany, New Jersey, and has approximately 4,100 employees.

Skanska is one of the world's leading construction groups with expertise in construction, development of commercial and residential projects and public-private partnerships. The Group currently has 54,000 employees in selected home markets in Europe, in the U.S. and Latin America. Headquartered in Stockholm, Sweden and listed on the Stockholm Stock Exchange, Skanska's sales in 2005 totaled \$17 billion.

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