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## **Skanska USA Expands Presence in Boston, Adds Second Office in Cambridge to Focus on Growing Infrastructure Market**

**BOSTON** – Skanska USA, a leading provider of construction management, preconstruction, and design-build services, announced today that it has opened a new office in Cambridge to support the growing infrastructure market.

The firm has tapped long-time industry veteran Paul Pedini as vice president of operations and regional manager of the new Cambridge office. Pedini will also serve as the technical leader in BIM and 3D constructability review, and analysis techniques, which will boost Skanska's ability to take on and complete projects in the New England region more efficiently.

Pedini brings more than 36 years of industry experience to Skanska, and his portfolio consists of a wide range of transportation projects Boston residents depend on each day. Prior to joining Skanska, Pedini served as senior vice president and New England regional manager at Dragados USA.

Skanska's work throughout Greater Boston has given New England some of its most vital and well-known structures, including the Central Artery Project, State Street Financial Center at One Lincoln Street, the Battery Wharf Hotel and Residences in the North End, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Second Data Center in Springfield, and Terminal A at Logan International Airport, which is the country's first LEED<sup>®</sup> certified airport terminal. Currently, Skanska's efforts can be seen throughout the Boston area via its management of the Novartis Campus Expansion Project in Cambridge and the Harvard Art Museums' expansion and renovation project, as well as the Fore River Bridge replacement and Longfellow Bridge rehabilitation projects for the Massachusetts Department of Transportation. Skanska also recently broke ground at 101 Seaport in Seaport Square, and is on track to complete construction of EF Education First's 11-story new headquarters building in Cambridge.

"Skanska has a strong reputation for delivering highly complex projects," said Pedini. "New England's combination of historic infrastructure and growing population make it a robust market for infrastructure growth. Beefing up our personnel in this market allows us to provide the Boston area with the advanced civil engineering expertise it needs to improve its infrastructure and help the area continue to thrive."

Skanska's office on Summer Street is home to approximately 200 employees. Pedini will manage a staff of 30 employees at the new Cambridgepark Drive location.

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Skanska USA is one of the largest, most financially sound construction and development companies in the country, serving a broad range of industries including healthcare, education, sports, data centers, government, aviation, transportation, power, energy, water/wastewater and commercial. Headquartered in New York with 39 offices across the country, Skanska USA employs more than 8,300 employees committed to sustainable construction and development and an injury-free workplace. Skanska USA Building, which specializes in building construction, and Skanska USA Civil, which focuses on civil infrastructure, generated \$5.8 billion in revenue in 2012, representing 30 percent of Skanska's global construction revenue. Development units Skanska USA Commercial Development, which invests in and develops office and multi-family projects in select U.S. markets, and Skanska Infrastructure Development North America, which develops public-private partnerships, are both leaders in their selected markets. Global revenue of parent company Skanska AB, headquartered in Stockholm and listed on the Stockholm Stock Exchange, totaled \$19.5 billion in 2012. Skanska shares are publically traded in the U.S. on the OTC market under the symbol SKBSY through a Level I American Depository Receipt program.

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