

Healthcare Laundry Accreditation Council

Nominations for HLAC Board to Open August 18, 2010

FRANKFORT, IL, 8/16/2010—The Healthcare Laundry Accreditation Council (HLAC) will begin accepting nominations beginning August 18, 2010 for its 2011 Board of Directors. Nominations are for a 2011-2013 term.

Per the HLAC Bylaws, each year four positions are elected or re-elected to the Board of Directors. Board seats are categorized into four classes:

Class 1 represents the commercial healthcare textile laundry operator.

Incumbents re-running:

- Rob Potack, Vice President, Operations, Unitex Textile Rental
- Open seat

Class 2 represents industry associations interested in the processing of healthcare textiles such as ALM, ARTA, TRSA, APIC and others.

Incumbents re-running:

- Bill Mann, Director, Industry Affairs, Textile Rental Services Association (TRSA)
- Brad Bushman, Vice President, Technical Affairs, Standard Textile (representing ARTA)

Class 3 represents in-house or cooperative textile laundry operator.

Class 3 Incumbent: No 2011 openings.

Class 4 represents the government or users of healthcare textiles.

Class 4 Incumbent: No 2011 openings.

Preference will be given to accredited laundry organizations for the Class 1 position. Industry professionals who are interested and meet the qualifications are encouraged to fill out and submit the nominee packet, which can be downloaded from www.hlacnet.org. Submissions must be received no later than 5:00 Pacific Time, September 7, 2010. All eligibility and nomination questions may be answered by contacting Kathy Tinker, HLAC Executive Director at 708/790-1749 or kathytinker@sbcglobal.net.

About HLAC

Founded in 2005, HLAC is an independent council that has developed a comprehensive set of standards for healthcare textile processing. It is the only organization that exclusively inspects and accredits laundries that process healthcare textiles. To learn more about the Standards, and the inspection and accreditation program, visit www.hlacnet.org, or contact Kathy Tinker, HLAC Executive Director at 708/790-1749 or kathytinker@sbcglobal.net.