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REVIEWERS SOUGHT FOR “OPTIMIZING PUMPING SYSTEMS” GUIDEBOOK

PARSIPPANY, NJ, June 26, 2007 – The Pump Systems Guide Committee, a joint-committee from the Pump Systems Matter™ (PSM) educational initiative and the Hydraulic Institute (HI), announced today that it is seeking interested and qualified parties to conduct a peer review of *“Optimizing Pump Systems: A Guide to Improved Energy Efficiency, Reliability, and Profitability”* throughout summer 2007.

“Optimizing Pumping Systems: A Guide to Improved Energy Efficiency, Reliability, and Profitability” is intended to be an authoritative reference that will focus on improving the design, operation, and reliability of both new and existing pumping systems. Reviewers will be credited in the book’s “Acknowledgements” section and will be expected to review and comment on the submitted text between August and the end of September 2007. *“Optimizing Pumping Systems”* is expected to be published during the first quarter of 2008.

As a companion piece to *“Optimizing Pumping Systems,”* Pump Systems Matter will present *“People Do the Darndest Things to Pumps!”* This document will be a collection of anonymously contributed stories from reputable pump industry professionals that show common mistakes pump users make when designing, running or maintaining systems. Often times, these mistakes lead to wasted energy, production losses, excessively high maintenance costs, and safety and environmental concerns. By providing details of their stories, contributors will help the many industries that use pumping systems become more efficient and productive. Users and other experienced pump professionals are invited to post by logging on to www.PumpSystemsMatter.org.

Individuals interested in participating in the peer review process should send a letter to PSM stating their pump experience and qualifications, including prior writing experience in the field of pumps and pumping systems. Letters should be faxed to (973) 267-9055 or mailed to: Pump Systems Matter, 9 Sylvan Way, Parsippany, NJ 07054.

Pump Systems Matter™ is an educational initiative created to assist North American pump users gain a more competitive business advantage through strategic, broad-based energy management and pump system performance optimization. PSM strives to provide end-users, engineering consultants, and pump suppliers with tools and collaborative opportunities to integrate pump system performance optimization and efficient energy management practices into normal business operations. For more information, visit www.PumpSystemsMatter.org.

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