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## **National Investor Relations Institute Rocky Mountain Chapter Elects Officers for 2003-04**

DENVER - Karla Kimrey, Vice President of Investor Relations at Storage Tek, (NYSE: STK), has been elected to serve as president of the Rocky Mountain chapter of the National Investor Relations Institute (NIRI).

Kimrey, previously Vice President of Programs for the Chapter, will serve through May 2004.

Other officers elected to serve for the coming year are: John Cummings, independent IR consultant, vice president-programs; Linda Delleit, vice president of investor relations at McData, (Nasdaq: MCDT), vice president-membership; Liza Kaiser, manager of investor relations and corporate communications at ACT Teleconferencing, (Nasdaq: ACTT), secretary; and Jane Okun, Partner with Genesis, Inc., treasurer.

Other NIRI board members are Karen Gross, vice president and corporate secretary of Royal Gold, (Nasdaq: RGLD); Debbie Kelly, a partner in Genesis Inc.; Nancy Sells, vice president of eWatch; Larry Thede, vice president investor relations at Quovadx Inc. (Nasdaq: QVDX); and independent investor relations consultant Gina Wilson, former vice president of investor relations at Stillwater Mining.

NIRI is a professional association of corporate officers and investor relations consultants responsible for communication among corporate management, the investing public and the financial community. NIRI has more than 5,000 members in 34 chapters around the United States. It offers an extensive array of professional development services and materials including seminars, books, articles, audiotapes and reports.