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Mark Heidebrecht is the owner of ErgoMethods and is a managing partner of Ergonomics International. He graduated with honors from the University of Kansas for his research and thesis, *The Kinetic Analysis of Lifting and Lowering Utilizing Chaffin's Biomechanical Model*. He has provided forensic and expert witness services in the areas of biomechanics, human factors, ergonomics and work physiology. He has testified in over 75 State Court and United States Federal Court cases as an expert witness and presented testimony at the Federal OSHA hearing regarding the National Ergonomic Standard.

Mr. Heidebrecht was a presenter and contributor to the 2001 National Academy of Science publication, *Musculoskeletal Disorders and the Workplace*. Mr. Heidebrecht is certified by the Board of Certified Professional Ergonomists as a Certified Ergonomist / Human Factors Professional and is certified by the American College of Sports Medicine as a Board Certified Exercise Physiologist. He has over 25 years of experience working in the fields of ergonomics, biomechanics, human factors and work physiology. He currently has two patent-pending, evidence-based ergonomic risk and physical demand analysis software programs.

Mr. Heidebrecht has presented throughout the United States, Europe, Canada, Australia and New Zealand. He developed and implemented the Ergonomic Risk Reduction Process for the Customer Service Division of the United States Postal Service and specializes in manufacturing, steel fabrication and food processing.