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Hospital CEO Elected as Trustee of Statewide Association

MONTGOMERY – David Spillers, CEO of Huntsville Hospital in Huntsville, was recently elected to the board of the Alabama Hospital Association (AlaHA) at its annual meeting in Destin, Fla. Mr. Spillers will serve as an at-large member of the board.

“While David has only been in Alabama for four years, he has already demonstrated strong leadership and strategic vision, and we are pleased to have him as one of our newest board members,” said J. Michael Horsley, FACHE, president of the Alabama Hospital Association.

In March 2006, Spillers left his position as chief operating officer of Mission Hospitals in Asheville, N.C., to fill the role of CEO at Huntsville Hospital. Prior to his 18 years of service at Mission Hospitals, Spillers was the vice president of external operations and part owner of Health Care Data Systems and before that was employed with UNISYS Corporation designing and implementing software for the health care industry. He holds a master’s degree in business administration from the University of Miami and a bachelor’s degree in business administration and computer science from Winthrop College.

In addition to his involvement with the Alabama Hospital Association, Spillers’ professional affiliations include the American College of Healthcare Executives (ACHE) and Health Care Financial Management Association. He is also a member of the Huntsville Rotary Club and the Huntsville Committee of 100. Spillers currently serves on the board of directors for the Huntsville and Madison County Chamber of Commerce and Emergency Response Commission on Health Care Crisis for the State of Alabama. He was recently appointed to the Alabama State Health Planning and Development Agency’s Statewide Health Coordinating Council.

The Alabama Hospital Association, based in Montgomery, is a statewide trade organization that represents more than 100 hospitals and numerous other health care providers by offering membership services designed to enhance the provision of health care in Alabama.