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**Kenneth L. Minton Re-elected Vice Chairman, Southern Region Board of Directors, National Association of Credit Management**

*June 8, 2006: Columbia, Maryland*—Kenneth L. Minton, CCE has been re-elected Vice Chairman of the Southern Region to the Board of Directors of the National Association of Credit Management (NACM). Mr. Minton is Manager of Credit, Southeast Region for CEMEX, Inc. in Tampa, Florida. CEMEX is the largest producer of cement in the United States, and is the world's leading marketer of cement and ready-mix products. Mr. Minton is a resident of Odessa.

Mr. Minton is a graduate of Florida State University and completed the NACM Mid-Career School, the NACM Graduate School of Credit and Financial Management<sup>®</sup>, and the NACM Certified Expert Witness program as he has progressed in his career and professional development.

He has been an NACM member for over 25 years, serving as an NACM-Tampa Affiliate board member since 1986, an Affiliate Chairman in 1990-92, an NACM-National Director, and has served on several NACM-National committees over his years of membership. He was recognized as the NACM-Tampa Credit Executive of the Year in 1992.

Mr. Minton says, "As an NACM leader, I strive to build upon the past success and strength of our organization, looking towards its future success by ensuring that we continue to provide the day-to-day tools and ever-more comprehensive educational opportunities that credit professionals seek for professional growth in this changing work environment. I look forward to assisting in building an even stronger organization for the future."

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