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STEPHEN L. GOESER APPOINTED PRESIDENT/CEO OF METHODIST HOSPITAL

(OMAHA) – Methodist Health System President and CEO John M. Fraser announced that Stephen L. Goeser has been promoted to president and chief executive officer of Methodist Hospital, effective January 1, 2008.

Mr. Goeser will have overall administrative responsibility for Methodist Hospital and its divisions, including the Methodist Women’s Hospital.



STEPHEN L. GOESER

Mr. Goeser joined Methodist Hospital in June 2004 as vice president with responsibility for the administrative direction of the Hospital’s Home Health program, the Methodist Estabrook Cancer Center and the departments of Pastoral Services, Volunteers in Partnership (VIP), Medical Records, Transcription, Referral Communications, and the Hospital and State Tumor Registries.

Mr. Goeser was promoted to executive vice president and chief operating officer in June 2006. In this capacity, he managed the daily operations of Methodist Hospital and its divisions.

“Steve has faithfully served the Methodist organization for the past 3 1/2 years as hospital vice president and subsequently chief operating officer, and is very deserving of this increase in responsibility,” Mr. Fraser said. “Over the course of that time he has demonstrated tremendous leadership, knowledge and dedication, and has proven himself to be a valuable asset to the entire organization.”

Prior to joining Methodist Hospital, Mr. Goeser served as the chief executive officer of Myrtue Memorial Hospital, Shelby County Medical Corporation and the Prairie Rose Mental Health Center in Harlan, Iowa. Prior to that, Mr. Goeser was the Administrator and CEO at Orange City Municipal Hospital and Medical Clinic in Orange City, Iowa.

Mr. Goeser earned his bachelor’s degree at Creighton University and his master’s of business administration in health care administration from City University in Bellevue, Wash.

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430-bed acute care hospital serving the metropolitan-Omaha area.
Methodist Hospital has a 116-year tradition
of providing quality health care to the region.*