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# Steven I. Cooper Joins StrikeForce Technologies as Chairman of its Board of Advisors

Edison NJ, (July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2007), StrikeForce Technologies (OTCBB:SKFT), a company that specializes in the prevention of Identity Theft is pleased to announce the appointment of Steven I. Cooper as chairman of its Board of Advisors.

"Steve Cooper brings an incredible wealth of knowledge, experience and relationships to StrikeForce's Board of Advisors. His experiences gained as the first CIO of the Department of Homeland Security and the CIO of the largest humanitarian organization in the United States—the American Red Cross, will be utilized as we strive to continuously create global security products and solutions that address the growing threat of Identity Theft around the world," said Mark L. Kay, CEO of StrikeForce.

"It is truly an honor to serve as Chairman of StrikeForce Technologies Board of Advisors. The need for more effective cyber and information security grows daily to better protect the mission critical information and intellectual property of the nation's public and private sectors. The innovative technologies developed by StrikeForce will ensure that federal, state, local, and tribal governments, corporate America, academic and non-profit organizations have affordable and effective products to protect their digital environments," said Steve Cooper.

Prior to his current position as the CIO of the American Red Cross, Mr. Cooper was appointed by President Bush to be the first CIO of the Department of Homeland Security (February 2003). Steve and his team had responsibility for the information technology assets supporting 190,000 federal employees of the 22 agencies now comprising the new department. Their efforts focused on integrating new and existing sources of essential homeland security information via proven and emerging technologies and in full compliance with broader values of privacy, civil liberties and openness.

Steve was appointed in March 2002 as a Special Assistant to the President for Homeland Security and served as Senior Director for Information Integration in the White House Office of Homeland Security. In this role, Mr. Cooper launched the development of the National Enterprise Architecture for Homeland Security to address information integration within the federal government and the sharing of homeland security information with local, state and relevant private sector entities. "Steven Cooper is a wonderful addition to our team and we're proud and honored that he has chosen to serve as Chairman of our Board of Advisors." added Mr. Kay.

#### StrikeForce's advisory board members are:

Steven Cooper (Chairman) – Former CIO Department of Homeland Security, ARC
General Teddy Allen – Chairman TAI Inc., Lieutenant General United States Army, Retired
Sondra Schneider – CEO and founder of Security University
Howard Medow – Vice President, Modis Inc.
Jon McDowall – Partner, Fraud Resource Group
Bill Demopolis – Vice President, National Bankcard Systems of Durango
Clark Coley – SVP of Corporate Direction & Business Development, Financial Services Inc.

**About StrikeForce:** StrikeForce Technologies, a leader in solutions that helps prevent identity theft, is a company that can protect consumers, customers, partners and employees -- in real time against identity fraud. Its total protection solution strengthens companies' defenses against the biggest points of fraud -- when the Internet is accessed, when accounts are opened, when they're accessed, when they're changed, and each time there's a new transaction. StrikeForce Technologies is trading on the OTC bulletin board (SKFT) and the company is headquartered in Edison, N.J., and can be reached at <u>http://www.strikeforcetech.com</u> & <u>http://www.guardedid.com</u> or (866) 787-4542.

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