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**KENTUCKY CRUSHED STONE ASSOCIATION
ANNOUNCES MINER OF THE YEAR**

The Kentucky Crushed Stone Association (KCSA) recently announced Mr. Donnie Spencer of Hinkle Contracting, Stanton, KY as the 2008 Miner of the Year. This award was presented on August 9, 2009 at the KCSA Annual Summer Meeting held at French Lick Resort Casino, French Lick, Indiana.

The Miner of the Year Award is presented annually by the Kentucky Crushed Stone Association to recognize the outstanding contributions to the aggregates industry by an individual. As a respected leader in the industry, this individual's distinguished achievements in the industry in Kentucky and KCSA deserve special recognition. Individuals nominated for this award exemplify the very best in their profession and continually bring credit to the industry and to their entire community. These individuals contribute significantly to the aggregates industry by providing a safe working environment, being innovative in problem-solving, demonstrating a concern for the environment, and contributing to the betterment of his/her community through civic and community affairs activities.

KCSA congratulates Mr. Spencer on being named the 2008 Miner of the Year.