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## **BRAD SPELLBERG, M.D. - AUTHORITY ON INFECTIOUS DISEASE AND UCLA MEDICAL PROFESSOR JOINS ZIMEK ADVISORY BOARD**

*Author of Rising Plague: The Global Threat From Deadly Bacteria and  
Our Dwindling Arsenal to Fight Them*

TAMPA, FL—Medical doctor, renowned researcher, UCLA professor, and author of the 2009 book, *Rising Plague: the Global Threat from Deadly Bacteria and Our Dwindling Arsenal to Fight Them* joined the Advisory Board of Zimek Technologies, the nation's most-respected and innovative decontamination experts.

Dr. Spellberg is an Associate Professor of Medicine at the David Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, and is a researcher based in the Division of General Internal Medicine at Harbor-UCLA Medical Center. Dr. Spellberg is an academic hospitalist in addition to an ID specialist. He joined Zimek's Advisory Board to support the company's innovative approach to combating dangerous pathogens.

"In the face of this growing threat, it's incumbent upon the medical community to explore every credible tool for combating dangerous, life threatening bacteria, many of which have grown resistant to antibiotics," said Dr. Spellberg, "Zimek's technology provides us with a new and powerful addition to our arsenal."

Zimek's Micro Mist™ technology "micronizes" disinfectants that can quickly and effectively decontaminate hospitals, healthcare facilities and the vehicles which transport the sick and dying. The germ-killing mist can permeate crevasses and hidden surfaces where super-germs are untouched by standard sanitizing methods. Zimek's industry-leading technology is used by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Fire and EMS Departments, healthcare facilities, public health agencies, transit systems, and local law enforcement agencies across America.

"We're honored to welcome Dr. Spellberg to the Advisory Board, and look forward to incorporating his insights into our product development," said Kurt Grosman, Chairman and CEO of Zimek Technologies.

Dr. Spellberg received his BA in Molecular Cell Biology-Immunology in 1994 from UC Berkeley. He then attended medical school at the Geffen School of Medicine at UCLA, where he received numerous academic honors, including serving as the UCLA Alpha Omega Alpha Chapter Co-President, and winning the prestigious Stafford Warren award for top academic performance in his graduating class. Dr. Spellberg completed his Residency in Internal Medicine and subspecialty fellowship in Infectious Diseases at Harbor-UCLA Medical Center, where he received the Department of Medicine Subspecialty Fellow of the Year award.

Dr. Spellberg is joined by former Florida Governor Jeb Bush on the Zimek Advisory Board among others.

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