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George J. Batavick

Board Member

Financial Accounting Standards Board

“Financial Reporting Challenges and Opportunities”

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George J. Batavick was appointed to the Financial Accounting Standards Board, effective August 1, 2003. Prior to joining the FASB, Mr. Batavick was most recently the former Comptroller of Texaco Inc. In this post, he had company-wide responsibility for strategy and policy matters covering all aspects of accounting and financial reporting, special studies, internal controls and tactical plan coordination.

Prior to his appointment as Comptroller, Mr. Batavick held a number of key positions at Texaco, including Deputy Comptroller, Assistant Comptroller and Director of Internal Auditing. He joined Getty Oil Company in Los Angeles in 1975 and rose through the ranks of that organization, which was acquired by Texaco in 1984.

Mr. Batavick began his career in public accounting at Arthur Andersen LLP in Philadelphia and is a Certified Public Accountant.

He is a graduate of St. Joseph's University in Philadelphia where he earned a bachelor's degree in accounting.

Mr. Batavick serves on the Board of Directors of the United Way of Westchester and Putnam.