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Donald M. Kastenbaum, MD, Appointed
Vice President of Perioperative Services at Beth Israel Medical Center

New York, NY (July 14, 2010) Donald M. Kastenbaum, M.D., an authority in the field of orthopedic surgery and a recognized expert in hip and knee surgery, has been promoted to Vice President/Medical Director of the Herbert and Nell Singer Division of Perioperative Services at Beth Israel Medical Center. He has been serving in the position of Assistant Vice President of the service since 2007.

“Under Dr. Kastenbaum’s leadership, the operating room has experienced tremendous growth and improvement of services,” says Harris M. Nagler, M.D., President of Beth Israel. “I am pleased to recognize these accomplishments with this new title and thank him for his outstanding leadership and commitment to Beth Israel.”

In addition to his important administrative role at the hospital, Dr. Kastenbaum maintains a busy surgical practice and continues to serve as Vice Chairman of the Department of Orthopedics and Chairman of the Committee on Surgery. He also served as President of the Medical Board from 2003 to 2006.

Dr. Kastenbaum has performed more than 3,500 total hip and knee replacements and has helped develop hip and knee prostheses that are in use worldwide. More recently, he has been lecturing worldwide on Perioperative quality, safety, and efficiency, for which he has gained national and international renown.

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