



## **NEWS RELEASE**

**CONTACT:** Gary Augustine, Executive Director, Market Development  
**Phone:** (800)323-9320 or (269)349-9711  
**E-Mail:** gaugustine@kalsec.com

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: December 4, 2017**

### **Kalsec® Achieves ‘Excellent’ SQF Rating**

KALAMAZOO, Mich., USA - Kalsec®, Inc. has once again received an ‘Excellent’ rating during a recent annual Safe Quality Food (SQF) Level 2 recertification, the highest rating possible. SQF certification is achieved when a company demonstrates exceptional quality control and food safety practices. SQF is a globally recognized certification as a food safety management system and is administered by the SQF Institute.

“Our employees continue to demonstrate their ongoing commitment and passion to our customers for safe, high quality products through their knowledge, experience and training,” said Dr. Scott Nykaza, president and chief operating officer.

Kalsec® is the leading global producer of natural spice and herb flavor extracts, colors, antioxidants, and advanced hop products for the food and beverage industry. For nearly 60 years, Kalsec® has consistently delivered high-quality, innovative ingredient solutions that make products look better, taste better and last longer. Kalsec® is headquartered in Kalamazoo, Mich., with facilities in the United States, Europe and Asia. For more information, visit [www.kalsec.com](http://www.kalsec.com).

###