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Daniel T. Crocker is the Principal Commercial Officer and sole U.S. Government diplomat in Belo Horizonte, Brazil. His office both promotes U.S. commercial exports and defends U.S. business interests in the state of Minas Gerais and the Northeast region of Brazil. Mr. Crocker is a member of the U.S. & Foreign Commercial Service, a foreign affairs agency housed within the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Mr. Crocker was previously Commercial Attaché in the U.S. Embassy in Brasilia, Brazil. His first diplomatic position was Vice Consul in the U.S. Embassy in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic. For his work in the consular section, Mr. Crocker received the Meritorious Honor Award from the U.S. Department of State.

Mr. Crocker has extensive experience in the private sector with information technology and supply chain reorganization. In addition to working with Hewlett Packard's Inkjet Business Division to optimize their global manufacturing, he worked as product manager for warehouse management system applications at Webvan and as director of supply chain management for HomeWarehouse.com. He has published an MIT business school case on managing technological supply chains.

Mr. Crocker brings a strong engineering and operations background to his current position. As a field service engineer for Schlumberger in Angola, he was responsible for finding oil offshore. He also worked as both a manufacturing engineer and international sales and servicing engineer for Brenco, a railroad equipment manufacturer.

Mr. Crocker holds an MBA and MS in Civil Engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, where he was a Leaders for Manufacturing Fellow. He also holds an MA in Foreign Affairs from the University of Virginia and a BSE in Mechanical Engineering from Princeton University. He is married with two children.