



NEWS RELEASE

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NOTICE OF FORACO'S 2008 THIRD QUARTER RESULTS CONFERENCE CALL

Toronto, Ontario – Tuesday, November 4, 2008 – Foraco International SA (the “Company” or “Foraco”) will release its fiscal 2008 third quarter financial results on November 11th, 2008 prior to markets opening. Following the release, Management of the Company will host a conference call at 10:00 a.m. (ET) to review the financial results. The call will be hosted by Daniel Simoncini, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer and Jean-Pierre Charmensat, Vice-CEO and Chief Financial Officer.

You can join the call by dialing 1-800-732-9307 or 416-644-3416. Please call in 15 minutes prior to the call to secure a line. You will be put on hold until the conference call begins.

A live audio webcast of the conference call will also be available through www.foraco.com. Please connect at least 15 minutes prior to the conference call to ensure adequate time for any software download that may be needed to hear the webcast. An archived replay of the webcast will be available for 90 days.

A taped replay of the conference call will also be available until Tuesday November 18th at midnight by calling 1-877-289-8525 or 416-640-1917, reference number 21286305#.

About Foraco

Foraco (TSX: FAR) is a worldwide drilling service provider headquartered in Marseille, France. The Company provides a diverse range of drilling services to the minerals, energy, water, environmental and infrastructure sectors. The Company currently operates 117 drilling rigs, with a presence in 18 countries across five continents. For more information about Foraco, visit www.foraco.com.

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