



Baldor Electric Company to Hold Investor Meeting

FORT SMITH, Ark., May 27, 2009 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- Baldor Electric Company (NYSE: BEZ) will hold an Investor Meeting on Tuesday, June 9, 2009, in New York City. During the meeting, Baldor will provide updates on current business, cost reduction efforts for 2009, and long-term growth opportunities.

The meeting is open to investors of both the Company's equity and debt. To reserve a seat, please contact Tracy Long at tlong@baldor.com or call 479-648-5769.

The meeting will also be webcast live at 11:30 a.m. Eastern on Tuesday, June 9, 2009. The webcast and presentation materials will be available on the Investor Relations' portion of Baldor's website at www.baldor.com.

Baldor Electric Company markets, designs, and manufactures industrial electric motors, mechanical power transmission products, drives, and generators and is based in Fort Smith, Arkansas. Baldor is the leading manufacturer of industrial electric motors in North America and has 26 manufacturing facilities worldwide.

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