



Encore Acquisition Company Announces Public Offering of 2,750,000 Shares of Common Stock

FORT WORTH, Texas, Sep 08, 2009 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- Encore Acquisition Company (NYSE: EAC) announced today a public offering of 2,750,000 shares of common stock. The Company did not grant the underwriter an option to purchase additional shares of common stock to cover over-allotments. The offering is expected to close on September 14, 2009. The net proceeds from the offering are expected to be used to repay amounts outstanding under Encore's revolving credit facility.

Barclays Capital Inc. is acting as the sole underwriter for the offering. When available, a copy of the prospectus supplement and the accompanying prospectus relating to the offering may be obtained from Barclays Capital Inc. at the address set forth below:

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Cautionary Statement

This press release includes forward-looking statements, which give Encore's current expectations or forecasts of future events based on currently available information. Forward-looking statements in this press release relate to, among other things, the closing of the offering and the use of proceeds therefrom. Such statements are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties, including those identified in "Item 1A. Risk Factors" and elsewhere in its most recent annual report on Form 10-K and other filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. If one or more of these risks or uncertainties materialize (or the consequences of such a development changes), or if underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual outcomes may vary materially from those forecasted or expected.

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