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REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

On October 31, 2007, the Company issued a press release announcing a conference call to be held on November 2, 2007 at 10:00 am to discuss its financial results for the third quarter ended September 30, 2007. The press release is included as Exhibit 99.1.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

(d) Exhibits

99.1 Press release dated October 31, 2007 (furnished pursuant to Item 7.01).

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SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

DATE: November 1, 2007

BY: /s/ JOHN W. TIETJEN
JOHN W. TIETJEN
Executive Vice President and Chief
Financial Officer

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Press Release dated October 31, 2007