



LMI Aerospace Announces Annual Shareholder Meeting

Meeting to be Available On Live Streaming Audio

ST. LOUIS, June 22, 2009 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- LMI Aerospace, Inc. (Nasdaq:LMIA), a leading provider of design engineering services, structural components, assemblies, kits and structural components to kits to the aerospace, defense and technology industries, today announced that its annual shareholder meeting, as stated in the company proxy, will be held at 10:00 a.m., CDT, on Tuesday, June 23, 2009, at the company headquarters.

The meeting will stream live online and be available on the LMI Web site by going to <http://ir.lmiaerospace.com/events.cfm> and clicking on the appropriate link.

LMI Aerospace, Inc. is a leading provider of design engineering services, structural components, assemblies and kits to the aerospace, defense and technology industries. Through its Aerostructures segment, the company fabricates machines, finishes and integrates formed, close-tolerance aluminum and specialty alloy components and sheet-metal products, primarily for large commercial, corporate and military aircraft. It manufactures more than 30,000 products for integration into a variety of aircraft platforms manufactured by leading original equipment manufacturers and Tier 1 aerospace suppliers. Through its Engineering Services segment, operated by its D3 Technologies subsidiary, the company provides a complete range of design, engineering and program management services, supporting aircraft lifecycles from conceptual design, analysis and certification through production support, fleet support and service-life extensions.

The LMI Aerospace, Inc. logo is available at <http://www.globenewswire.com/newsroom/prs/?pkgid=4971>

This news release includes forward-looking statements related to LMI Aerospace, Inc.'s, outlook for 2009, which are based on current management expectations. Such forward-looking statements are subject to various risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond the control of LMI Aerospace, Inc. Actual results could differ materially from the forward-looking statements as a result of, among other things, the factors detailed from time to time in LMI Aerospace, Inc.'s filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Please refer to the Risk Factors contained in the company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2008, and any risk factor set forth in our other subsequent filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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