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PREFORMED LINE PRODUCTS ANNOUNCES QUARTERLY DIVIDEND

Cleveland, Ohio – December 20, 2006 – The Board of Directors of **Preformed Line Products (Nasdaq: PLPC)** on December 20, 2006 declared a regular quarterly dividend in the amount of \$.20 per share on the Company's common shares, payable January 19, 2007 to shareholders of record at the close of business on January 2, 2007.

Founded in 1947, Preformed Line Products is an international designer and manufacturer of products and systems employed in the construction and maintenance of overhead and underground networks for energy, communications and broadband network companies.

Preformed's world headquarters are in Mayfield Village, Ohio, and the Company operates three domestic manufacturing centers, located in Rogers, Arkansas, Albemarle, North Carolina, and Asheville, North Carolina. The Company serves its worldwide market through international operations in Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, England, Mexico, New Zealand, South Africa, Spain and Thailand.

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