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**TRIMAS CORPORATION ANNOUNCES THIRD QUARTER 2008
EARNINGS CONFERENCE CALL DATE**

BLOOMFIELD HILLS, Michigan, November 3, 2008 – TriMas Corporation (NYSE: TRS) announced today that it will hold its conference call for third quarter 2008 earnings on Monday, November 10, 2008. The call will begin at 11:00 a.m. EST and will follow the Company's release of third quarter 2008 earnings at 8:00 a.m. that day.

To participate in the earnings conference call, please dial: (866) 261-2650 (conference ID #1300101) and ask to be connected to the TriMas third quarter 2008 earnings conference call. The conference call will also be simultaneously webcast via TriMas' website at www.trimascorp.com, under the "Investors" section, with an accompanying slide presentation.

If you are unable to participate during the live teleconference, a replay of the conference call will be available beginning November 10th at 1:00 p.m. EST through November 17th at 11:59 p.m. EST. To access the replay, please dial: (866) 837-8032 (access code 1300101) or visit the "Investors" section of the Company's website.

About TriMas

Headquartered in Bloomfield Hills, Mich., TriMas Corporation (NYSE: TRS) is a diversified growth company of specialty niche businesses manufacturing a variety of highly engineered products for commercial, industrial and consumer markets worldwide. TriMas Corporation is organized into five strategic business segments: Packaging Systems, Energy Products, Industrial Specialties, RV & Trailer Products, and Recreational Accessories. TriMas Corporation has nearly 5,000 employees at 70 different facilities in 10 countries. For additional information, please visit www.trimascorp.com.

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