

## Webcast Alert: Eagle Materials Inc. Announces Fourth Quarter and Fiscal Year 2006 Earnings Release

DALLAS, March 31, 2006 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- Eagle Materials Inc. (NYSE: EXP and EXP.B) will release earnings for the Fourth Quarter and Fiscal Year 2006 on Tuesday, May 2, 2006 after the close of the New York Stock Exchange. The company will hold a conference call with senior management on Wednesday, May 3, 2006 at 3:00 p.m. Eastern time (2:00 p.m. Central time). The conference call and accompanying slide presentation will be webcast live via the Eagle Materials Inc. Web site at <a href="http://www.eaglematerials.com">http://www.eaglematerials.com</a>.

What: Eagle Materials Inc. Fourth Quarter and Fiscal Year 2006 Earnings Webcast

When: May 3, 2006 @ 3:00 PM Eastern

Where: <a href="http://www.eaglematerials.com">http://www.eaglematerials.com</a>

How: To listen to the live event, a participant must have a multimedia computer with speakers and the Windows Media Player plug-in installed. To down load the software prior to the event, participants should visit <u>http://www.eaglematerials.com</u>, click the conference call link, and follow the pre-event instructions. It is suggested that participants access the webcast event page at least 10 minutes before the live event.

If you are unable to listen to the live webcast, the call will be archived at <u>http://www.eaglematerials.com</u> for one year. To access the replay, click on the Investor Relations line and click the webcast button.

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS: During this presentation, Eagle Materials Inc. may make forward-looking statements relating to results of operations. These statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve a number of risks and uncertainties.

Eagle Materials Inc. is a Dallas-based company that manufactures and distributes Cement, Gypsum Wallboard, Recycled Paperboard and Concrete and Aggregates.

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