



## Webcast Alert: Eagle Materials Inc. Announces Its Fourth Quarter, Fiscal 2004 Earnings Release Webcast

DALLAS, Apr 23, 2004 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via Comtex/ -- Eagle Materials Inc. (NYSE: EXP and EXP.B) will release earnings for the fourth quarter and fiscal year end 2004 on Tuesday, April 27 after the close of the New York Stock Exchange. The company will hold a conference call with senior management the following morning, April 28, at 11 a.m. Eastern time (10 a.m. Central time). The conference call and accompanying slide presentation will be webcast live via the Eagle Materials Web site at <http://www.eaglematerials.com>.

What: Eagle Materials Inc. Fourth Quarter, Fiscal Year End 2004 Earnings Conference Call

When: April 28, 2004 at 11:00 a.m. Eastern, 10:00 a.m. Central

Where: Access live broadcast through <http://www.eaglematerials.com>

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 download the software prior to the event, participants should visit <http://www.eaglematerials.com>, click the conference call link, and follow the pre-event instructions. It is suggested that participants access the webcast event page at least 15 minutes before the live event.

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If you are unable to listen to the live webcast, the call will be archived at <http://www.eaglematerials.com> 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 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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