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A.M. Castle & Co. Announces Date for Fourth Quarter and Year-End 2006 Earnings Release
Thursday, March 8, 2007

FRANKLIN PARK, IL, February 19th – A. M. Castle & Co. (AMEX: CAS), a global distributor of specialty metal and plastic products, services and supply-chain solutions, today announced that it will release fourth quarter and year-end results for the period ended December 31, 2006 on Thursday, March 8, 2007.

Management will hold a conference call at 11:00 a.m. ET that day to review the Company's results for the three month and twelve month periods ended December 31, 2006. The call can be accessed via the Internet live or as a replay. Those who would like to listen to the call may access the webcast through <http://www.amcastle.com>.

An archived version of the conference call webcast will be accessible for replay on the above website until the next earnings conference call. A replay of the conference call will also be available for seven days by calling 303-590-3000 (international) or 800-405-2236 and citing code 11084285.

About A. M. Castle & Co.

Founded in 1890, A. M. Castle & Co. is a specialty metal and plastic products and services distributor, principally serving the producer durable equipment sector of the economy. Its customer base includes many Fortune 500 companies as well as thousands of medium and smaller-sized firms spread across a variety of industries. Within its core metals business, it specializes in the distribution of alloy and stainless steels; nickel alloys; aluminum and carbon. Through its subsidiary, Total Plastics, Inc., the Company also distributes a broad range of value-added industrial plastics. Together, Castle operates over 65 locations throughout North America and Europe. Its common stock is traded on the American and Chicago Stock Exchange under the ticker symbol "CAS".