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Hornbeck Offshore Announces Second Quarter 2004 Earnings Release and Conference Call Schedule

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NEW ORLEANS, July 20 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc. (NYSE: HOS) announced today that it will release its second quarter 2004 results at approximately 6:00 a.m. Eastern on Wednesday, August 4, 2004. In conjunction with the release, the Company has scheduled a conference call, which will be broadcast live over the Internet, on Wednesday, August 4, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern (9:00 a.m. Central).

What:	Hornbeck Offshore Second Quarter 2004 Earnings Conference Call
When:	Wednesday, August 4, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern
	(9:00 a.m. Central)
How:	Live via phone By dialing (303) 205-0066 and asking for the
	Hornbeck Offshore call at least 10 minutes prior to the start
	time, or Live over the Internet By logging onto the web at the
	address below
Where:	http://www.hornbeckoffshore.com , on the "IR Home" page of the
	"Investors" section of the Company's website

For those who cannot listen to the live call, a telephonic replay will be available through August 11, 2004 and may be accessed by calling (303) 590-3000 and using the pass code 11003034. Also, an archive of the webcast will be available after the call for a period of 30 days on the "IR Home" page under the "Investors" section of the Company's website.

Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc. is a leading provider of technologically advanced, new generation offshore supply vessels in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico and select international markets, and is a leading transporter of petroleum products through its fleet of ocean-going tugs and tank barges, primarily in the northeastern U.S. and in Puerto Rico.

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