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

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NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 14 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Hornbeck Offshore Services, Inc. (NYSE: HOS) announced today that it will release its third quarter 2004 results at approximately 6:00 a.m. Eastern on Thursday, November 4, 2004. In conjunction with the release, the Company has scheduled a conference call, which will be broadcast live over the Internet, on Thursday, November 4, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern (9:00 a.m. Central).

What: Hornbeck Offshore Third Quarter 2004 Earnings Conference Call

When: Thursday, November 4, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern (9:00 a.m. Central)

How: Live via phone -- By dialing (303) 262-2131 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 November 11, 2004 and may be accessed by calling (303) 590-3000 and using the pass code 11011932. 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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