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Ameriprise Financial Chairman and Chief Executive Officer to Present at the 2009 Sanford C. Bernstein Strategic Decisions Conference

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MINNEAPOLIS--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Ameriprise Financial, Inc. (NYSE: AMP) today announced that Jim Cracchiolo, chairman and chief executive officer, is scheduled to speak about the company's business and strategy at the 2009 Sanford C. Bernstein Strategic Decisions Conference at The Waldorf Astoria Hotel in New York City on Friday, May 29, 2009 at approximately 9:00 a.m. (ET).

A live audio webcast of the presentation and the presentation slides will be available to the general public through the Investor Relations section of the Ameriprise Financial website at ir.ameriprise.com. An audio replay of Mr. Cracchiolo's presentation will be available through the same website address later that day.

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