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Orion Energy Systems Sets Conference Call and Webcast for First Quarter Fiscal 2010 Financial Results

MANITOWOC, Wis., Jul 20, 2009 (GlobeNewswire via COMTEX News Network) -- Orion Energy Systems Inc. (Nasdaq:OESX), a leading energy management company, announced today that it will hold its quarterly conference call for investors and analysts on Tuesday, August 4 at 5:30 p.m. Eastern (4:30 p.m. Central). The earnings announcement is scheduled for release at 5 p.m. Eastern. Orion's Chief Executive Officer, Neal Verfuwerth, Chief Operating Officer, Erik Birkerts, and Chief Financial Officer, Scott Jensen, will host the conference call.

The details of the webcast and conference call are as follows:

Date: Tuesday, August 4, 2009

Time: 5:30 p.m. Eastern

Access by conference call:

Domestic callers: Dial 888-455-2265

International callers: Dial 719-457-2626

Access by webcast:

Go to the Investor Relations section of Orion Energy Systems' Web site at <http://investor.orionenergy.com/events.cfm> for a live webcast link. To ensure a timely connection, it is recommended that users register at least 15 minutes prior to the scheduled webcast.

An audio replay of the earnings conference call will be available shortly after the call and will remain available through August 11, 2009. The replay can be accessed by dialing 888-203-1112. International callers should dial 719-457-0820. The replay pass code for all callers is 2948259.

About Orion Energy Systems, Inc.

Orion Energy Systems, Inc. (Nasdaq:OESX) is a leading power technology enterprise that designs, manufactures and implements energy management systems, consisting primarily of high-performance, energy efficient lighting systems and controls and related services, for commercial and industrial customers without compromising their quantity or quality of light. For more information, visit www.oesx.com.

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