



Webcast Alert: Owens-Illinois Announces Second Quarter Earnings Conference Call Webcast

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TOLEDO, Ohio, July 14 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Owens-Illinois (NYSE: OI) announces the following:

What: Owens-Illinois Second Quarter Conference Call Webcast

When: Wednesday, July 21, at 8:30 a.m. Eastern

Where: <http://www.o-i.com> or
<http://www.firstcallevents.com/service/ajwz408573255gf12.html>

How: Live over the Internet -- Simply log on to the web at the address above.

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If you are unable to participate during the live webcast, the call will be archived at <http://www.o-i.com>. The replay will be available through July 30.

The conference call also may be accessed by dialing 1-888-733-1701 (U.S. and Canada) or 706-634-4943 (International) by 8:20 a.m. (Eastern Time) on July 21. Ask for the Owens-Illinois conference call.

A replay of the call will be available from approximately 11:30 a.m. (Eastern Time) on July 21 through 11:59 p.m. (Eastern Time) on July 30. To access the replay, please dial 800-642-1687 (U.S. and Canada) or 706-645-9291 (International). The conference ID number to access the replay is 5293579.

Owens-Illinois is the largest manufacturer of glass containers in North America, South America, Europe, Australia and New Zealand. O-I also is a worldwide manufacturer of plastics packaging with operations in North America, South America, Europe, Australia and New Zealand. Plastics packaging products manufactured by O-I include consumer products (blow molded containers, injection molded containers and closures and dispensing systems) and prescription containers.

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