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Vancouver, British Columbia, April 27, 2009 – Fortress Paper Ltd. ("Fortress Paper" or the "Corporation") announced today that it intends to release its first quarter financial results for the period ended March 31, 2009 after the close of the market on Monday, May 11th, 2009. In connection with the release of its results, Fortress Paper will host a conference call Tuesday, May 12th, 2009 at 8:00 a.m. (PST) to discuss the financial results and the Corporation's operations. Mr. Chadwick Wasilenkoff, President and Chief Executive Officer, Alfonso Ciotola, Chief Operating Officer and Erich Sulser, Chief Financial Officer, will host the call.

To participate in the conference call, please dial one of the following numbers:

Local / International: 201-689-8055

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A replay of the conference call will be available for 7 days. To access the replay, listeners may dial toll-free 1-877-660-6853. The pass code to access the replay is 321692.

About Fortress Paper Ltd.

Fortress Paper is a leading international producer of security and other specialty papers. Fortress Paper operates two paper mills, the Landqart Mill located in Switzerland and the Dresden Mill located in Germany. Fortress Paper's security papers include banknote, passport and visa papers and its specialty papers include non-woven wallpaper base products, and graphic and technical papers. As an extension of its security papers business, the Landqart Mill has been actively developing and marketing innovative paper-based security products.

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