

Erie Indemnity To Host Fourth Quarter And Full Year 2003 Conference Call and Webcast

Erie, Pa., February 17, 2004 - Erie Indemnity Company (Nasdaq: ERIE) will host an audio webcast with the financial community to discuss financial results for the fourth quarter and full year on Thursday, Feb. 26, 2004, at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time (ET). Erie Indemnity will issue a press release reporting its results after the close of the market on Wednesday, of Feb. 25.

The webcast will be broadcast live via the Company's Investor Relations website at www.erieinsurance.com, and will be available as an archive after 1:30 p.m. ET.

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Erie Indemnity Company provides management services to the member companies of the Erie Insurance Group, which includes the Erie Insurance Exchange, Flagship City Insurance Company, Erie Insurance Company, Erie Insurance Property and Casualty Company, Erie Insurance Company of New York and Erie Family Life Insurance Company.

According to A.M. Best Company, Erie Insurance Group, based in Erie, Pennsylvania, is the 17th largest automobile insurer in the United States based on direct premiums written and the 20th largest property/casualty insurer in the United States based on total lines net premium written. The Group, rated A+ (Superior) by A.M. Best Company, has more than 3.6 million policies in force and operates in 11 states and the District of Columbia. Erie Insurance Group ranked 454 on the FORTUNE 500 and is included in Forbes Magazine's PLATINUM 400 list of the best-managed companies in America.

News releases and more information about Erie Insurance Group are available at www.erieinsurance.com.