



## **ALLETE to announce first quarter financial results April 30**

DULUTH, Minn.-ALLETE, Inc. (NYSE:ALE) will announce its financial results for the first quarter of 2010 before the stock markets open on Friday, April 30, 2010.

Following the release, ALLETE Chairman and CEO Donald J. Shippar, President Alan R. Hodnik and Chief Financial Officer Mark A. Schober will present an overview of results for the first quarter of 2010 during a conference call beginning at 10 a.m. Eastern time.

Interested parties may listen to the conference by calling (678) 224-7717 or by listening to a Web cast on ALLETE's Web site, [www.allete.com](http://www.allete.com).

ALLETE's corporate headquarters are located in Duluth, Minnesota. More information about the company is available at [www.allete.com](http://www.allete.com).

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