



O.I. Corporation Announces Cash Dividend

College Station, Texas---February 2, 2009—O.I. Corporation (NASDAQ: OICO) today announced that its Board of Directors declared a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.05 per common share payable on February 27, 2009 to shareholders of record at the close of business on February 12, 2009.

About O.I. Corporation:

O.I. Corporation, dba OI Analytical, develops, manufactures, sells, and services analytical instrumentation that detects, measures, analyzes, and monitors chemicals in liquids, solids, and gases. Providing products used to digest, extract, and separate components of chemical mixtures, the Company designs application-specific solutions for various industries including environmental testing, defense, and petrochemical. Headquartered in College Station, Texas, the Company's products are sold worldwide.

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