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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2008****A. M. Castle & Co. Declares Quarterly Cash Dividend**

FRANKLIN PARK, IL., FEBRUARY 18TH – A. M. CASTLE & CO. (NYSE:CAS), a global distributor of specialty metal and plastic products, value-added services and supply chain solutions, today announced that its Board of Directors approved a quarterly dividend of six cents per share. This dividend is payable on March 7, 2008 to shareholders of record at the close of business on February 20, 2008. In making the announcement, the Board reiterated its commitment to providing a dividend as part of its total return value to shareholders.

About A. M. Castle & Co.

Founded in 1890, A. M. Castle & Co. is a global distributor of specialty metal and plastic products and supply chain services, principally serving the producer durable equipment sector of the economy. Its customer base includes many Fortune 500 companies as well as thousands of medium and smaller-sized firms spread across a variety of industries. Within its metals business, it specializes in the distribution of alloy and stainless steels; nickel alloys; aluminum and carbon. Through its subsidiary, Total Plastics, Inc., the Company also distributes a broad range of value-added industrial plastics. Together, Castle operates over 65 locations throughout North America, Europe and Asia. Its common stock is traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the ticker symbol "CAS".