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Coherent, Inc. Announces Live Webcast of First Quarter Fiscal Year 2015 Results

Coherent, Inc. (Santa Clara, CA, Nasdaq: COHR) today announced that it plans to report first quarter fiscal year 2015 results after market close on January 29, 2015. The Company will host a conference call to discuss its financial results at 1:30 P.M. Pacific (4:30 P.M. Eastern) on January 29, 2015. A listen-only broadcast of the conference call can be accessed on the Company's website at http://www.coherent.com/Investors/. For those who are not available to listen to the live broadcast, the call will be archived for approximately three months.

Founded in 1966, Coherent, Inc. is a world leader in providing photonics based solutions to the commercial and scientific research markets and part of the Standard & Poor's MidCap 400 Index and the Russell 2000. Please direct any questions to Leen Simonet, Chief Financial Officer at 408-764-4110. For more information about Coherent, visit the Company's Web site at http://www.coherent.com/ for product and financial updates.

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