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**Wabtec Corporation Announces Webcast Of Quarterly Earnings Conference Call**

WILMERDING, Pa., October 17, 2000 – Wabtec Corporation (NYSE: WAB) invites interested shareholders and other stakeholders to listen to its third quarter earnings conference call live over the Internet on Thursday, October 19 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time. William E. Kassling, chairman and chief executive officer, and Robert J. Brooks, executive vice president and chief financial officer, will host the presentation and discussion of the company's third quarter financial results.

Listeners can access the Webcast by logging onto [www.wabtec.com](http://www.wabtec.com). The Webcast will also be archived at the Wabtec Web site.

Wabtec Corporation ([www.wabtec.com](http://www.wabtec.com)) is North America's largest provider of value-added, technology-based products and services for the rail industry. Through its subsidiaries, the company manufactures a full range of products for locomotives, freight cars and passenger transit vehicles. The company also builds new locomotives up to 4,000 horsepower and provides aftermarket services, including locomotive and freight car fleet maintenance. Wabtec's mission is to help its customers achieve higher levels of quality, safety and productivity so they can compete more effectively. The company has facilities located throughout the world.

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