



## **Kennametal Management Holds Financial Community Meeting September 19, 2006**

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LATROBE, Pa., Sept 12, 2006 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- Kennametal Inc. (NYSE: KMT) announced today that its President and Chief Executive Officer Carlos M. Cardoso, as well as key members of the senior management team, will discuss the company's strategy and provide an update on its financial outlook at a meeting with the financial community on Tuesday, September 19, in New York. During this meeting, the company will reaffirm its previously stated guidance of \$4.20 to \$4.40 earnings per share for fiscal year 2007.

The presentation is scheduled to begin at 8:30 a.m. Eastern time and expected to end by 10:30 a.m. This event will be broadcast live on the company's website, [www.kennametal.com](http://www.kennametal.com). Once on the homepage, click "Corporate," and then "Investor Relations." Also, the replay of this event will be available on the company's website through October 3, 2006.

This release contains "forward-looking" statements within the meaning of the federal securities laws. Forward-looking statements are statements that do not relate strictly to historical or current facts. You can identify forward-looking statements by the fact they use words such as "should," "anticipate," "estimate," "approximate," "expect," "may," "will," "project," "intend," "plan," "believe" and other words of similar meaning and expression in connection with any discussion of future operating or financial performance. These statements may relate to, among other things, our plans for the upcoming meeting described herein, our strategy, goals, plans and projections regarding our financial position, results of operations, market position, and product development, all of which are based on current expectations that involve inherent risks and uncertainties, including factors that could delay, divert or change any of them in the next several years. It is not possible to predict or identify all factors; however, for Kennametal they may include the following: global and regional economic conditions; risks associated with the availability and costs of the raw materials we use to manufacture our products; our ability to protect our intellectual property in foreign jurisdictions; risks associated with our foreign operations and international markets, such as currency exchange rates, different regulatory environments, trade barriers, exchange controls, and social and political instability; energy costs; commodity prices; risks associated with integrating recent acquisitions, as well as any future acquisitions, and achieving the expected savings and synergies; risks relating to our recent business divestitures; competition; demands on management resources; future terrorist attacks or acts of war; labor relations; demand for and market acceptance of new and existing products; and risks associated with the implementation of restructuring plans and environmental remediation matters. We provide additional information about many of the specific risks our Company faces in the "Risk Factors" Section of our Annual Report on Form 10-K, as well as our other securities filings. We undertake no obligation to release publicly any revisions to forward-looking statements as a result of future events or developments.

Kennametal Inc. (NYSE: KMT) is a leading global supplier of tooling, engineered components and advanced materials consumed in production processes. The company improves customers' competitiveness by providing superior economic returns through the delivery of application knowledge and advanced technology to master the toughest of materials application demands. Companies producing everything from airframes to coal, from medical implants to oil wells and from turbochargers to motorcycle parts recognize Kennametal for extraordinary contributions to their value chains. Customers buy over \$2.3 billion annually of Kennametal products and services -- delivered by approximately 13,500 talented employees in over 60 countries -- with almost 50 percent of these revenues coming from outside the United States. Visit us at [www.kennametal.com](http://www.kennametal.com). [KMT-G]

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