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BBSI Schedules Third Quarter 2006 Earnings Release and Conference Call

VANCOUVER, Wash.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Oct. 10, 2006--Barrett Business

Services, Inc. (Nasdaq:BBSI) will announce its 2006 third quarter operating results on Wednesday, October 25, 2006, after the market close and will hold its regular quarterly conference call, Thursday, October 26, 2006, at 9:00 a.m. PT.

The dial-in number for this conference call is (877) 356-3717 and the call identification number is 8556697. The conference call will be hosted by William W. Sherertz, President and Chief Executive Officer, and Michael D. Mulholland, Vice President-Finance, of BBSI. The conference call will also be webcast live at www.barrettbusiness.com.

To access the webcast, click on the investor relations section of the Web site and select webcasts.

A replay of the conference call will be available beginning at 12:00 p.m. PT on Thursday, October 26, 2006 and ending on November 2, 2006. The access telephone number for the replay is (800) 642-1687 and the access code is 8556697.

BBSI provides a comprehensive range of human resource management solutions to large and small companies throughout many regions of the United States.

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