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Webcast Alert: Southwest Airlines to Discuss First Quarter 2012 Financial Results on April 19, 2012

DALLAS, April 12, 2012 /PRNewswire/ -- Southwest Airlines Co. (NYSE: LUV) invites you to listen to a live webcast of its first quarter 2012 financial results. Details are as follows:

When: Thursday, April 19, 2012 at 12:30 PM Eastern Time

Who: Gary Kelly, Chairman of the Board, President and Chief Executive Officer
Bob Jordan, Executive Vice President and Chief Commercial Officer and President of AirTran Airways
Laura Wright, Senior Vice President Finance and Chief Financial Officer

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To access the live audio webcast, click on the link above, or go to www.southwest.com and click on "Investor Relations" under the "About Southwest" menu at the bottom of the page. Upon completion of the live webcast, a replay will be available in the Investor Relations Events Calendar at <http://southwest.investorroom.com/past-events>.

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