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**INVITATION TO THE THIRD QUARTER RESULTS CONFERENCE CALL
FOR LAURENTIAN BANK OF CANADA**

Montreal, August 18, 2005 — Investors and reporters are invited on Friday, August 26, 2005 at 3:30 p.m. to the listen-only live conference call with financial analysts on Laurentian Bank of Canada's results.

To listen to this conference call, please dial the toll-free number: 1-866-898-9626. You can listen to the conference on a delayed basis at any time from 6:00 p.m. Friday, August 26, to Friday, September 2, 2005, midnight by dialling 1-800-408-3053 code 3159187#.

To attend to the live or delayed conference on the Internet go to www.laurentianbank.com

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