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MSA to Host Analysts and Shareholders at the 86th Annual Fire Department Instructors Conference

PITTSBURGH, April 9, 2014 – MSA Safety Incorporated (NYSE: MSA), the global leader in the development, manufacture and supply of safety products that protect people and facility infrastructures, announced today that it will host a group of sell-side analysts and shareholders at the Fire Department Instructors Conference (FDIC) in Indianapolis, Ind., on Thursday, April 10, 2014 at 9:30 a.m. Eastern Time. Select members of MSA's management team will deliver a presentation on key topics of interest including a regulatory update surrounding product approvals, discussion of MSA's go-to-market strategy in the U.S. Fire Service market and the G1 SCBA, MSA's all new breathing apparatus platform..

Investors and interested parties will have the opportunity to view the presentation slides and listen to the audio live at www.MSAsafety.com/StockInformation. A replay of the presentation will be available on MSA's Web site for 30 days.

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About MSA

Established in 1914, MSA Safety Incorporated is the global leader in the development, manufacture and supply of safety products that protect people and facility infrastructures. Many MSA products integrate a combination of electronics, mechanical systems and advanced materials to protect users against hazardous or life-threatening situations. The company's comprehensive line of products is used by workers around the world in a broad range of industries, including the fire service, the oil, gas and petrochemical industry, construction, mining and utilities, as well as the military. Principal products include self-contained breathing apparatus, fixed gas and flame detection systems, handheld gas detection instruments, head protection products, fall protection devices and thermal imaging cameras. The company also provides a broad range of consumer and contractor safety products through a joint venture with MCR Safety. These products are marketed and sold under the Safety Works® brand. MSA, based north of Pittsburgh in Cranberry Township, Pa., has annual sales of approximately \$1.1 billion, manufacturing operations in the United States, Europe, Asia and Latin America, and 42 international locations. Additional information is available on the company's Web site at www.MSAsafety.com. Information on Safety Works products can be found at www.SafetyWorks.com.

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