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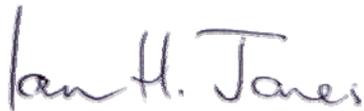
Company Announcements Office
Australian Stock Exchange Limited
Exchange Centre
Level 4
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SYDNEY NSW 2000

Dear Sir,

MEDIA RELEASE

Please find attached a copy of the Media Release, issued by the Company today.

Yours sincerely,
PROGRAMMED MAINTENANCE SERVICES LIMITED



Ian H. Jones
Secretary

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ASX/media release**Programmed confident of continuing earnings growth**

Programmed Maintenance Services Limited (ASX:PRG) notes Spotless' announcements this morning stating that it will allow its current offer to lapse and that it has attracted acceptances in respect of only 1.4 per cent of Programmed shares during the offer period.

Managing Director Chris Sutherland said: 'We are pleased that many of our shareholders have agreed with the board's recommendation to reject Spotless' offer and have confirmed their confidence in Programmed's strong business model, consistent profit performance and growth potential. We have been overwhelmed by letters of support from shareholders who highly value our record of consistent earnings growth over many years.'

'We delivered our tenth consecutive year of profit growth in FY2008, with earnings per share (pre-amortisation) (EPS) up 13.4 per cent on FY2007, and we project EPS to increase by more than 10 per cent in the current year to 31 March 2009. The acquisition of SWG, which will increase our exposure to the energy and resources sectors, and the sale of Barry Bros. are both on track for completion by 30 June 2008.'

'Programmed's growth is underpinned by our strong business model – based on our ability to recruit, retain and deploy a skilled workforce and our broad range of customers across many sectors of the economy. We will continue to focus our energy on the value creation strategies we have announced in our four core divisions – Property Maintenance, Facilities Management, Workforce and Marine.'

Mr Sutherland said that April and May 2008 trading was in line with projections and the company confirms its current projections for the year ending 31 March 2009. These are;

Revenue	\$1,171.7 million (up 33%)
EBITA	\$74.0 million (up 29%)
EPS (pre-amortisation)	40.3 cents (up 10.4%)

The company notes that the strong 29 per cent projected EBITA growth arises from a number of initiatives consistent with its overall plan, which include organic growth across the four core divisions, a full year contribution by Integrated and the net impact of the proposed sale of Barry Bros. and the proposed acquisition of SWG.

Please refer to Programmed's Target's Statement lodged with the ASX on 7 May 2008 for detailed explanations and assumptions regarding the current FY2009 projection.

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The Programmed Maintenance Group is a leading international provider of staffing and maintenance services. The Group has annual revenue of approximately \$900 million and employs more than 12,000 skilled and semi-skilled personnel throughout Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom. It operates through four divisions:

The Property Maintenance division provides maintenance services for more than 6,000 customers in the commercial, industrial, government and educational sectors in Australia, New Zealand and the United Kingdom. The division has 35 branches in Australia, 15 branches in New Zealand and 9 branches in the United Kingdom.

The Facilities Management division provides facility and infrastructure management services and consulting services in the fields of facilities management, procurement and strategic asset management, with customers across Australia.

The Workforce division is a leader in Australia in the supply of recruitment and labour hire services across a broad range of sectors. Services are provided through a network of over 50 branches employing in excess of 7,000 people daily for clients.

The Marine division is a major specialist provider of manning, project management and logistics solutions to the offshore oil and gas sector in Australia and New Zealand.