

## **Lawson Products Announces Dividend**

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DES PLAINES, III., Aug 16, 2005 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX/ -- Directors of Lawson Products, Inc. (Nasdaq: LAWS) today announced a dividend for the third quarter 2005 of \$.20 per share on common shares. The dividend is payable October 18, 2005 to stockholders of record October 4, 2005.

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