

## Lawson Products Announces Dividend

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DES PLAINES, III.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--May 15, 2008--Directors of Lawson Products, Inc. (NASDAQ:LAWS), declared a dividend of \$.20 per common share on May 13, 2008. The dividend is payable July 15, 2008 to stockholders of record July 1, 2008.

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