

## Diamond Offshore to Release First Quarter 2013 Results on April 25

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HOUSTON--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Apr. 4, 2013-- Diamond Offshore Drilling, Inc. (NYSE: DO) announced today that it will issue a press release and host a conference call and webcast related to its first quarter 2013 operating results on Thursday, April 25, 2013. The conference call and webcast will begin at 9:00 a.m. CDT and will include a discussion by management regarding the Company's results of operation.

The news release and a live webcast of the conference call will be available online at the Company's website, <a href="www.diamondoffshore.com">www.diamondoffshore.com</a>. The dial-in number to participate in the conference call is 800-247-9979. Those individuals calling from international locations may participate by dialing 973-321-1100. The conference ID number is 32776586.

A replay of the call will be available at <a href="https://www.diamondoffshore.com">www.diamondoffshore.com</a> or by dialing 855-859-2056, or internationally, 404-537-3406. The telephone replay requires conference ID number 32776586 and will be available through May 5, 2013.

## ABOUT DIAMOND OFFSHORE

Diamond Offshore provides contract drilling services to the energy industry and is a leader in deepwater drilling. Diamond Offshore's fleet of offshore drilling rigs consists of 30 semisubmersibles, seven jack-ups and one drillship, in addition to four ultra-deepwater drillships and two deepwater semisubmersibles currently under construction. For additional information and access to SEC filings, please visit the Company's website at <a href="https://www.diamondoffshore.com">www.diamondoffshore.com</a>. Diamond Offshore is a 50.4% owned subsidiary of Loews Corporation (NYSE: L).

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