FARO Invites You to Join Its Fourth Quarter 2010 Conference Call

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FARO Technologies, Inc. (Nasdaq: FARO) announced that after the market closes on February 23, 2011, it will release its financial results for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2010. In conjunction with FARO's Fourth Quarter earnings release, you are invited to listen to its conference call that will be broadcast live over the Internet on February 24, 2011, at 11:00 a.m. ET with the Company's President and CEO, Jay Freeland, and CFO, Keith Bair.

What: FARO Technologies Fourth Quarter 2010 Earnings Release Conference Call

When: Thursday, February 24, 2010 at 11:00 a.m. ET

How: <u>www.faro.com/CCQ4-0211</u>
Dial-in Numbers: (800) 895-0198 or (785) 424-1053

Conference ID: FARO

Alternately, one may access the call via FARO's web site www.faro.com, then click "Investor Relations," "Conference Calls," then click the relevant date.

If you are unable to participate during the live web cast, the call will be archived on www.faro.com. Conference Call Replay is also available until April 24, 2011 by calling (800) 839-2434 (domestic) or (402) 220-7211 (international). No code is required.

FARO Technologies, Inc. designs, develops, and markets portable, computerized measurement devices and software used to create digital models or to perform evaluation and analysis against an existing model - for anything requiring highly detailed 3-D measurements, including part and assembly inspection, factory planning and asset documentation, as well as specialized applications ranging from surveying, recreating accident sites and crime scenes to digitally preserving historical sites.

FARO's technology increases productivity by dramatically reducing the amount of on-site measuring time, and the various industry-specific software packages enable users to process and present their results quickly and more effectively.

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