

## Iridium to Present at 2011 Stifel Nicolaus Technology, Communications & Internet Conference

MCLEAN, Va., Feb. 7, 2011 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Iridium Communications Inc. (Nasdaq:IRDM) ("Iridium") today announced that chief executive officer Matthew J. Desch is scheduled to speak at the 2011 Stifel Nicolaus Technology, Communications & Internet Conference in San Francisco on Thursday, February 10, 2011 at 10:20 am PT. The presentation will be simultaneously audio webcast at <a href="http://investor.iridium.com/events.cfm">http://investor.iridium.com/events.cfm</a>. The webcast is audio-only and will be archived for 30 days following the conference.

## **About Iridium Communications Inc.**

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Iridium Communications Inc. (www.iridium.com) is the only mobile satellite service (MSS) company offering coverage over the entire globe. The Iridium constellation of low-Earth orbiting (LEO) cross-linked satellites provides critical voice and data services for areas not served by terrestrial communication networks. Iridium serves commercial markets through a worldwide network of distributors, and provides services to the U.S. Department of Defense and other U.S. and international government agencies. The Company's customers represent a broad spectrum of industry, including maritime, aeronautical, government/defense, public safety, utilities, oil/gas, mining, forestry, heavy equipment and transportation. Iridium has launched a major development program for its next-generation satellite constellation, Iridium NEXT. The Company is headquartered in McLean, Va., U.S.A. and trades on the NASDAQ Global Market under the ticker symbols IRDM (common stock), IRDMW (\$7.00 warrants), IRDMZ (\$11.50 warrants) and IRDMU (units).

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