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## news release

## ArcelorMittal Prices Common Stock and Convertible Senior Note Offerings

Luxembourg, April 29th, 2009 (22:00 CET) – ArcelorMittal ("the Company" or "the Issuer") ") is pleased to announce the pricing of its offerings of common shares and convertible senior notes, announced earlier today.

The Company announces that it has now priced its common shares and convertible senior notes offerings. Total aggregate proceeds from the offerings are approximately \$3.5 billion (exclusive of any proceeds attributable to the underwriters' possible exercise of their over-allotment options described below) or \$4 billion (assuming full exercise of those options), in each case before deduction of underwriting discounts and commissions.

The Company has agreed to sell 125,143,915 common shares at a public offering price of 17.10 EUR (US\$22.77 at a \$/EUR conversion rate of 1.3318) per common share. In addition, the Company has granted the underwriters an option to purchase up to an additional 15,738,719 common shares in the 30 day period following the date hereof.

The Company also announced the pricing of its public offering of \$700 million aggregate principal amount of 5 percent convertible senior notes due May 15, 2014. The Company has granted the underwriters an option to purchase up to an additional \$100 million aggregate principal amount of convertible senior notes in the 30 day period following the date hereof. Interest on the convertible senior notes will be paid semi-annually at a rate of 5 percent per year, and the convertible senior notes will mature on May 15, 2014, unless earlier repurchased or converted. The convertible senior notes will be convertible at the holder's option into shares of ArcelorMittal common stock (or, at the option of

ArcelorMittal, into cash or a combination of cash or common stock) at an initial conversion ratio of 33.1675 shares of common stock per \$1,000 principal amount of convertible senior notes, which is equivalent to an initial conversion price of approximately \$30.15 per share of common stock, subject to adjustment in certain circumstances. This initial conversion price represents a premium of approximately 32.4 percent relative to the public offering price of ArcelorMittal's common stock of 17.10 EUR (US\$22.77 at a \$/EUR conversion rate of 1.3318) per share in the common stock offering.

The offerings are scheduled to close on May 6, 2009, subject to satisfaction of customary conditions. The closing of each offering is not contingent on the closing of the other.

The Company intends to use the proceeds of the common stock offering for general corporate purposes and to strengthen its balance sheet and the proceeds of the convertible senior note offering to lengthen its debt maturity profile and refinance existing indebtedness under various revolving credit facilities, with maturities ranging from 2010 until 2012.

Goldman Sachs International is acting as Sole Global Coordinator and Bookrunner for the offerings.

CALYON and Société Générale Corporate & Investment Banking also are acting as Bookrunners. Morgan Stanley is acting as a Joint Bookrunner. BNP Paribas, ABN AMRO, HSBC Bank Plc, Citigroup and JPMorgan Chase are acting as Co-Bookrunners.

The Issuer has filed registration statements (each including a prospectus) with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") for the offerings to which this communication relates. Before you invest, you should read the prospectus in that registration statement and other documents the Issuer has filed with the SEC for more complete information about the Issuer and this offering. You may get these documents for free by visiting IDEA on the SEC web site at <u>www.sec.gov</u>. Alternatively, copies may be obtained from Goldman, Sachs & Co., Attn: Prospectus Department, 85 Broad Street, New York, NY 10004, call toll-free 1-866-471-2526, or fax 212-902-9316, or email <u>prospectus-ny@ny.email.gs.com</u>.

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(i) to legal entities which are authorized or regulated to operate in the financial markets or, if not so authorized or regulated, whose corporate purpose is solely to invest in securities;

(ii) to any legal entity which meets two or more of the following criteria: (1) an average of at least 250 employees during the last financial year; (2) a total balance sheet of more than euro43 million; and (3) an annual net turnover of more than euro50 million, as shown in its last annual or consolidated accounts;

(iii) in any other circumstances, that would not require publication of a prospectus by ArcelorMittal under article 3(2) of the Prospectus Directive.

For the purposes of this provision, the expression an "offer to the public" in relation to any Securities in any Relevant Member State means the communication in any form and by any means of sufficient information on the terms of the offer and any Securities to be offered so as to enable an investor to decide to purchase any Securities, as the same may be varied in that Member State by any measure implementing the Prospectus Directive in that Member State and the expression "Prospectus Directive" means Directive 2003/71/EC and includes any relevant implementing measure in each Relevant Member State.

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## About ArcelorMittal

ArcelorMittal is the world's leading steel company, with operations in more than 60 countries.

ArcelorMittal is the leader in all major global steel markets, including automotive, construction, household appliances and packaging, with leading R&D and technology, as well as sizeable captive supplies of raw materials and outstanding distribution networks. With an industrial presence in over 20 countries spanning four continents, the Company covers all of the key steel markets, from emerging to mature.

Through its core values of sustainability, quality and leadership, ArcelorMittal commits to operating in a responsible way with respect to the health, safety and wellbeing of its employees, contractors and the communities in which it operates. It is also committed to the sustainable management of the environment and of finite resources. ArcelorMittal recognises that it has a significant responsibility to tackle the global climate change challenge; it takes a leading role in the industry's efforts to develop breakthrough steelmaking technologies and is actively researching and developing steel-based technologies and solutions that contribute to combat climate change.

In 2008, ArcelorMittal had revenues of \$124.9 billion and crude steel production of 103.3 million tonnes, representing approximately 10 per cent of world steel output.

ArcelorMittal is listed on the stock exchanges of New York (MT), Amsterdam (MT), Paris (MT), Brussels (MT), Luxembourg (MT) and on the Spanish stock exchanges of Barcelona, Bilbao, Madrid and Valencia (MTS).

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