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Sanofi-aventis

Combined General Meeting of April 17, 2009

- Information available concerning the General Meeting -

Sanofi-aventis' Combined General Shareholder Meeting will take place on Friday April 17, 2009 at 3:00 p.m, in Paris, France at Palais des Congrès – 2, place de la Porte Maillot at Paris 17ème.

Documents and information regarding the General Meeting can be viewed on the Company website at the following address: en.sanofi-aventis.com (under Investors/General Meeting 2009).

Meeting announcements published in the February 20, 2009 issue of the Bulletin des Annonces Légales Obligatoires, includes the agenda, draft resolutions and details regarding attendance and voting rights at the General Meeting. It can be viewed on the Company website.

All the documentation regarding the General Meeting will be made available to shareholders in accordance with current regulations.

A proxy card will be addressed by JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. to holders of American Depositary Receipts regarding the voting of American Depositary Receipts at the General Meeting.

About sanofi-aventis

Sanofi-aventis, a leading global pharmaceutical company, discovers, develops and distributes therapeutic solutions to improve the lives of everyone. Sanofi-aventis is listed in Paris (EURONEXT : SAN) and in New York (NYSE : SNY).

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