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Immediate Release

**ACCELLENT INC. ANNOUNCES TIMING OF FIRST QUARTER 2012 EARNINGS
RELEASE AND CONFERENCE CALL**

Wilmington, Mass. (May 10, 2012) — Accellent Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Accellent Holdings Corp., announced today that it will release first quarter 2012 results on Monday May 14, 2012 and will hold its quarterly conference call to discuss those results at 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Time) that day.

The teleconference can be accessed live on the internet through the Investor Relations section of the Accellent web site at www.accellent.com or by calling (866) 804-6928 pass code 88571031. Participants should dial in or visit our website 10 to 15 minutes prior to the beginning of the call to download and install any necessary audio software.

A replay of the conference call will be available via www.accellent.com or by telephone at (888) 286-8010 pass code 35531841 beginning May 14, 2012 at 8:00 p.m. through May 21, 2012 at 11:59 p.m. In addition, the earnings release and other pertinent financial information will be available in the Investor Relations section of the Company's website at the time of the conference call.

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About Accellent

Accellent Holdings Corp., through its wholly owned subsidiary Accellent, Inc., provides fully integrated outsourced manufacturing and engineering services to the medical device industry primarily in the cardiology, endoscopy and orthopaedic markets. Accellent has broad capabilities in precision component fabrication, finished device assembly, complete supply chain management capabilities and engineering services. These capabilities enhance customers' speed to market and return on investment by enabling them to refocus internal resources more efficiently. For more information, please visit www.accelent.com.