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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **VASCULAR SOLUTIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN WELLS FARGO SECURITIES HEALTHCARE FORUM**

MINNEAPOLIS, Minnesota -- Vascular Solutions, Inc. (Nasdaq:VASC) today announced that the Company is scheduled to present at the Wells Fargo Securities Healthcare Forum at the St. Regis Hotel in New York City on Wednesday, March 2, 2005.

Howard Root, Chief Executive Officer of Vascular Solutions, will deliver the Company's presentation as part of a fireside chat format, beginning at approximately 10:30am (EST). To hear the live audio webcast of the Vascular Solutions presentation, go to:

<http://www.wallstreetwebcasting.com/webcast/wfc/vasc>

A replay of the webcast will be available until March 9, 2005 at the same link.

#### **About Vascular Solutions**

Vascular Solutions, Inc. is a medical device company that focuses on developing unique solutions for unmet clinical opportunities within Interventional Radiology and Interventional Cardiology. New products introduced in the second half of 2003 include the Vari-Lase® endovenous laser procedural kit for the treatment of varicose veins, the D-Stat Dry™ hemostatic bandage for the rapid control of topical bleeding, the D-Stat Radial™ hemostat band for the control of bleeding following catheterizations utilizing the radial artery in the wrist, and the Pronto™ extraction catheter for the mechanical extraction of soft thrombus. The Company's other products include the Duett™ sealing device to rapidly seal the puncture site following catheterization procedures, the D-Stat® Flowable hemostat for the local management of active bleeding, and the Acolysis® intravascular therapeutic ultrasound product which is sold in international markets for the treatment of peripheral occlusive arterial disease.

The statements made during the presentation are forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Actual results could differ materially from those anticipated in the forward-looking statements. Important factors that may cause such differences include those discussed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2003 and other recent filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The risks and uncertainties include, without limitation, risks associated with our limited operating history, need for adoption of our new products, lack of profitability, exposure to possible intellectual property claims, dependence on key vendors, exposure to possible product liability claims, the development of new products by others, doing business in international markets, limited manufacturing experience, the availability of third party reimbursement, and actions by the FDA.

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