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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **VASCULAR SOLUTIONS TO PRESENT AT THOMAS WEISEL PARTNERS HEALTHCARE CONFERENCE 2005**

MINNEAPOLIS, Minnesota -- Vascular Solutions, Inc. (Nasdaq:VASC) today announced that the Company is scheduled to present at the Thomas Weisel Partners Healthcare Conference 2005 at The Four Seasons Hotel in Boston, Massachusetts, on Friday, September 9, 2005.

Howard Root, Chief Executive Officer of Vascular Solutions, will deliver the Company's presentation beginning at approximately 8:35am (EST). To hear the live audio webcast and view the slides of the Vascular Solutions' presentation, go to the investor relations page of the Company's web site <http://www.vascularsolutions.com> and click on the "IR Conferences" icon a few minutes prior to start time to download any necessary software.

#### **About Thomas Weisel Partners**

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#### **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 since the second half of 2003 include the Vari-Lase® endovenous laser product line for the treatment of varicose veins, the D-Stat® Dry hemostatic bandage for the rapid control of topical bleeding, the Pronto™ extraction catheter for the mechanical extraction of soft thrombus and the Langston™ dual lumen catheter for the measurement of aortic stenosis. The Company's other major 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 information in this press release contains forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Our actual results could differ materially from those anticipated in these 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, 2004 and other recent filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The risks and uncertainties include, without limitation, risks associated with the need for adoption of our new products, limited working capital, lack of profitability, exposure to 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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