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Delphi Financial Declares Regular \$0.10 Per Share Cash Dividend

Wilmington, Delaware, May 6, 2010 -- Delphi Financial Group, Inc. (NYSE: DFG) announced today that its Board of Directors declared a cash dividend of \$0.10 per share on the Company's common stock for the second quarter of 2010. Such dividend will be payable on June 2, 2010 to shareholders of record at the close of business on May 19, 2010.

Delphi Financial Group, Inc. is an integrated employee benefit services company. Delphi is a leader in managing all aspects of employee absence to enhance the productivity of its clients and provides the related group insurance coverages: long-term and short-term disability, life, excess workers' compensation for self-insured employers, large casualty programs including large deductible workers' compensation, travel accident, dental and limited benefit health insurance. Delphi's asset accumulation business emphasizes individual annuity products. Delphi's common stock is listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol DFG and its corporate website address is www.delphifin.com.

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