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Southwest Gas Declares First Quarter 2009 Dividend

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LAS VEGAS, Nov 14, 2008 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- The Board of Directors for Southwest Gas Corporation (NYSE: SWX) has declared the following first quarter 2009 cash dividend:

	Common Stock	
Payable		March 2, 2009
Of Record		February 16, 2009
Dividend		\$.225 per share

The dividend equates to 90 cents per share on an annualized basis. The Company has paid quarterly dividends continuously since going public in 1956.

About Southwest Gas

Southwest Gas Corporation provides natural gas service to over 1.8 million customers in Arizona, Nevada, and California. For more information about Southwest Gas, please visit www.swgas.com.

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