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## **Stock Exchange and Press Release**

Gabriel Holding A/S 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarterly Report 2008/09 (1 October 2008 – 30 June 2009)

## Gabriel Holding A/S - Nine months of the financial year 2008/09

## Summary:

Gabriel Holding A/S now expects a positive operating profit for the financial year 2008/09

- Operating profit (EBIT) was DKK 3.1 million (DKK 21.7 million).
- Revenue fell by 28% to DKK 160 million (DKK 222 million). Export share is still 89%.
- Profit before tax was DKK 2.4 million (DKK 22.0 million).
- Cash flows from operating activities were increased to DKK 20.9 million (DKK 17.1 million).
- Return on invested capital (ROIC) was 3% (24%).
- Operating margin was 2% (10%).
- Relocation of Gabriel's dye factory was completed in 3<sup>rd</sup> guarter.
- The financial (capital) resources were strengthened via a mortgage loan of DKK 44 million.
- Management adjusts its expectations from the interim report stating a revenue in the range DKK 180-190 million and a break even operating profit (EBIT) to a revenue in the range DKK 200-205 million and a positive operating profit (EBIT) for the whole financial year 2008/09. Management continues to note a high level of uncertainty concerning developments in the market.

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Please see our website www.gabriel.dk for the full version of the interim statement (in Danish).