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SPX NAMES SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT, SECRETARY AND GENERAL COUNSEL

CHARLOTTE, NC - March 16, 2005 - SPX Corporation (NYSE:SPW) today announced that it has named Ross B. Bricker as Senior Vice President, Secretary and General Counsel, and an officer of the company. He succeeds Christopher J. Kearney who became President and CEO of SPX in December 2004. Mr. Bricker's appointment will be effective as of April 11, 2005.

Mr. Bricker joins SPX from the law firm Jenner & Block LLP, where he has been a partner since 1987. During his tenure at the firm, Mr. Bricker has served as a managing partner of Jenner & Block's former Miami, Florida office and as a founding member of the firm's Washington, DC office. He currently serves on Jenner & Block's national management committee.

An honors graduate of Lake Forest College, he received his J.D. degree from the Washington University School of Law. Mr. Bricker is a member of the bars of Illinois, Florida, the District of Columbia, the United States Supreme Court and numerous federal district and appellate courts.

Commenting on today's announcement, Chris Kearney, President and Chief Executive Officer said, "We are delighted to have Ross join the SPX leadership team. He is a talented lawyer and his broad-based business counseling and litigation experience will be an asset to the company."

SPX Corporation is a global provider of technical products and systems, industrial products and services, flow technology, cooling technologies and services, and service solutions. The Internet address for SPX Corporation's home page is www.spx.com.

Certain statements in this press release may be forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and are subject to the safe harbor created thereby. Please refer to our public filings for a discussion of certain important factors that relate to forward-looking statements contained in this press release. The words "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "estimate," "guidance," "target" and similar expressions identify forward-looking statements. Although the company believes that the expectations reflected in its forward-looking statements are reasonable, it can give no assurance that such expectations will prove to be correct.

SPX Corporation shareholders are strongly advised to read the proxy statement relating to SPX Corporation's 2005 annual meeting of shareholders when it becomes available, as it will contain important information. Shareholders will be able to obtain this proxy statement, any amendments or supplements to the proxy statement and any other documents filed by SPX Corporation with the Securities and Exchange Commission for free at the Internet website maintained by the Securities and Exchange Commission at www.sec.gov. In addition, SPX Corporation will mail the proxy statement to each shareholder of record on the record date to be established for the shareholders' meeting. Copies of the proxy statement and any amendments and supplements to the proxy statement will also be available for free at SPX Corporation's Internet website at www.spx.com or by writing to Investor Relations, SPX Corporation, 13515 Ballantyne Corporate Place, Charlotte, North Carolina 28277, telephone (704) 752-4400.

SPX Corporation, its executive officers and directors may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies for SPX Corporation's 2005 annual meeting of shareholders. Information regarding these participants is contained in a filing under Rule 14a-12 filed by SPX Corporation with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 2, 2005.

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