



## **Service Corporation International Declares Quarterly Cash Dividend**

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HOUSTON, Feb. 12 /PRNewswire/ -- The Board of Directors of Service Corporation International (NYSE: SRV) (SCI) today declared a regular cash dividend of 9 cents per share of common stock of the Company.

R. L. Waltrip, Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer, said that the cash dividend is payable April 30, 1999, to shareholders of record at the close of business on April 15, 1999.

As of December 31, 1998, SCI affiliates operated 3,442 funeral service locations, 433 cemeteries and 191 crematoria. SCI provides funeral and cemetery services in 20 countries on five continents.

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