DANAHER CORPORATION ANNOUNCES QUARTERLY DIVIDEND

WASHINGTON, D.C., December 15, 2011 -- Danaher Corporation (NYSE:DHR) announced today that its Board of Directors has approved a regular quarterly dividend of \$0.025 per share payable on January 27, 2012 to holders of record on December 30, 2011.

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