

# Press Release:



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**SUBJECT:** DIV

## PRIME RATE PLUS CORP.

### Regular Monthly Dividend Declaration

**TORONTO, ONTARIO – April 18, 2008 / CCN Matthews:** Prime Rate Plus Corp. ("Prime Plus") declares its regular monthly distribution of \$0.09063 (7.25% annualized) for each Class A share which reflects the distribution policy of prime rate in Canada (5.25% as at April 15th) plus 2% annually. Prime Plus also declares its regular monthly distribution of \$0.05000 (6.00% annualized) for each Preferred share which reflects the distribution policy of prime rate plus 0.75% annually. Distributions are payable May 9, 2008 to shareholders on record as of April 30, 2008.

Since inception Class A shareholders have received a total of \$3.17 per share and Preferred shareholders have received a total of \$1.79 per share inclusive of this distribution, for a combined total of \$4.96 per share.

Prime Plus invests in a portfolio of six publicly traded Canadian Banks as follows: Bank of Montreal, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, National Bank of Canada, Royal Bank of Canada, Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto-Dominion Bank. Shares held within the portfolio are expected to range between 5-20% in weight but may vary at any time. To generate additional returns above the dividend income earned on the portfolio, Prime Plus will engage in a selective covered call writing program.

#### ***Distribution Details:***

Class A Share (PPL):	\$0.09063
Preferred Share (PPL.PR.A)	\$0.05000
Ex-Dividend Date:	April 28, 2008
Record Date:	April 30, 2008
Payable Date:	May 9, 2008

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