

## Applied DNA Sciences Reports Second Consecutive Quarter of Continued Revenue Growth

**STONY BROOK, N.Y., February 19, 2008/Business Wire/** -- Applied DNA Sciences, Inc. (OTC Bulletin Board: APDN) reported its revenues for the first fiscal quarter of 2008 ending December 2007. Revenues increased from \$0 in the first quarter of 2007 to \$123,167 in the first quarter of 2008. This is the second consecutive quarter of continued revenue growth for the company which reported revenues of \$121,920 in the fourth quarter of 2007.

James A. Hayward, President and CEO of APDN said, "We are off to a positive start in fiscal 2008 and our first quarter results are in line with our expectations. We continue to be excited by the opportunities that await us this year and we believe we are uniquely positioned to grow, generating revenues from our SigNature™ DNA markers, DermalRx™ products and Fibertyping™. As a company we are committed to further strengthening our position by expanding our customer base and developing a pipeline of solutions that effectively meet their needs."

Following are recent highlights and developments:

- February 2008 SigNature<sup>™</sup> DNA Marker Kits supplied to global cash-in-transit customer
- January 2008 Patents filed for optical DNA SigNature<sup>™</sup> Markers, marking our entrance into the instant detection market
- First quarter of 2008 Development and testing of a unique assay to differentiate between Pima and Upland Cotton (Fibertyping)™ for Supima
- November 2007- First commercial order of DermalRx™

"We are very pleased with our first quarter results," stated Kurt Jensen, ADNAS Chief Financial Officer. "This is a dynamic time for our company and we remain very focused on driving growth, managing the day-to-day business and serving the diverse needs of our expanding customer base throughout the world."

## **About APDN**

Applied DNA Sciences markets and sells DNA encrypted and embedded solutions that are forensically authenticated by machine readable devices. These solutions can be easily integrated with a range of inks, threads, varnishes, adhesives as well as thermal ribbon, inkjet and laser ink. Applied DNA Sciences' products can help protect the brands and intellectual property that can easily be eroded by counterfeiting, product diversion and fraud.

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