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**LSB INDUSTRIES, INC. AGAIN NAMED TO *BUSINESS WEEK*'S LIST OF  
HOT GROWTH COMPANIES**

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma . . . June 3, 2008 . . . LSB Industries, Inc. ("LSB" or the "Company"), (AMEX: LXU), today announced that it has again been named to *Business Week*'s annual list of Hot Growth Companies, published in the June 9, 2008 issue. LSB is ranked 38<sup>th</sup> out of 50 companies that made the cut.

Starting from a database of 10,000 publicly traded corporations, companies (excluding banks, insurers, REITs and utilities) were screened for a minimum stock price of \$5, a market value of at least \$25 million, and sales between \$50 million and \$1.5 billion. From that group, *Business Week* identified companies with one- and three-year sales growth at least 30% higher than the average measures for the corresponding S&P 500 sector. Also, companies' return on invested capital (ROIC) in the most recent year had to equal or beat the ROIC for their sector. The magazine also noted, "Finally, since numbers don't always tell the whole story, we used our editorial judgment. We excluded or adjusted the rank of companies with extended stock price declines or other red flags that raise questions about future performance."

This year the magazine used a tighter screening process ranking only 50 companies, compared to 100 in past years. Additionally for the current listing of Hot Growth Companies, *Business Week* compared each company's performance with the performance of larger companies in its industry.

Jack Golsen, Chairman & CEO noted, "Making the Hot Growth Companies list for the second consecutive year is a great accomplishment and one I share with the entire LSB team of approximately 1,800 men and women whose dedication made this achievement possible."

LSB is a manufacturing, marketing and engineering company. LSB's principal business activities consist of the manufacture and sale of commercial and residential climate control products, such as geothermal and water source heat pumps, hydronic fan coils, large custom air handlers, the manufacture and sale of chemical products for the mining, agricultural and industrial markets, and the provision of specialized engineering services and other activities. LSB Industries is included in the Russell 2000 Index and the Russell 3000 Index.

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