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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### CAVCO INDUSTRIES REPORTS FISCAL FOURTH QUARTER AND YEAR END RESULTS

**PHOENIX** - (May 14, 2009) – Cavco Industries, Inc. (NASDAQ: CVCO) today announced financial results for the fourth quarter and fiscal year ended March 31, 2009.

Net sales for the fourth quarter of fiscal 2009 totaled \$14,730,000, down 57% from \$34,204,000 for the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2008.

Net loss for the fiscal 2009 fourth quarter was \$1,023,000 compared to net income of \$1,303,000 reported in the same quarter one year ago. Net loss per share based on basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding was \$0.16 versus basic and diluted net income per share of \$0.20 last year.

For the fiscal year ended March 31, 2009, net sales decreased 26% to \$105,362,000 from \$141,914,000 for fiscal year 2008, and net income declined 93% to \$458,000 from \$6,312,000 last year. For fiscal 2009, net income per share based on basic and diluted weighted average shares outstanding was \$0.07 versus net income per share of \$0.98 and \$0.95, respectively for the prior year period.

Commenting on the quarter, Joseph Stegmayer, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer, said, "Cavco's reported fourth quarter results from operations reflect the realities of a marketplace that is financing constrained, highly competitive, and populated by consumers wary of the economic outlook and reluctant to make buying decisions. We remain confident, however, in our ability to meet the unprecedented challenges we face. While current operating performance is disappointing, Cavco's financial strength and liquidity provide us the flexibility to consider a variety of growth opportunities and to implement strategies that position our company to weather the storm and to emerge from these times as an even stronger participant in the factory built housing industry."

Cavco's senior management will hold a conference call to review these results tomorrow, May 15, 2009, at 12:00 noon (Eastern Time). Interested parties can access a live webcast of the conference call on the Internet at <a href="https://www.cavco.com">www.cavco.com</a> under the Investor Relations link, or the web site <a href="https://www.opencompany.info">www.opencompany.info</a>. An archive of the webcast and presentation will be available for 90 days at <a href="https://www.cavco.com">www.cavco.com</a> under the Investor Relations link.

Cavco Industries, Inc., headquartered in Phoenix, is the largest producer of manufactured homes in Arizona, based on wholesale shipments. The Company is also a leading producer of park model homes and vacation cabins in the United States.

Certain statements contained in this release are forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, Section 21E of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 and the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. In general, all statements that are not historical in nature are forward-looking. Forward-looking statements are typically included, for example, in discussions regarding the manufactured housing and site-built housing industries; our financial performance and operating results; and the expected effect of certain risks and uncertainties on our business, financial condition and results of operations. All forward-looking statements are subject to risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond our control. As a result, our actual results or performance may differ materially from anticipated results or performance. Factors that could cause such differences to occur include, but are not limited to: adverse industry conditions; general deterioration in economic conditions and continued turmoil in the credit markets; a write-off of all or part of our goodwill, which could adversely affect operating results and net worth; the cyclical and seasonal nature of our business; limitations on our ability to raise capital; curtailment of available financing in the manufactured housing industry; our contingent repurchase obligations related to wholesale financing; competition; our ability to maintain relationships with retailers; labor shortages; pricing and availability of raw materials and unfavorable zoning ordinances; together with all of the other risks described in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Readers are specifically referred to the Risk Factors described in Item 1A of the 2008 Form 10-K, as may be amended from time to time, which identify important risks that could cause actual results to differ from those contained in the forward-looking statements. Cavco expressly disclaims any obligation to update any forward-looking statements contained in this release, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. Investors should not place any reliance on any such forward-looking statements.

## CAVCO INDUSTRIES, INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (Dollars in thousands)

	March 31, 2009		March 31, 2008		
	(Unaudited)				
ASSETS					
Current assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	70,557	\$	73,610	
Short-term investments		4,464		-	
Restricted cash		244		330	
Accounts receivable		6,234		10,093	
Inventories		9,333		11,293	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		4,160		1,839	
Deferred income taxes		3,434		4,033	
Total current assets		98,426		101,198	
Property, plant and equipment, at cost:					
Land		6,580		6,050	
Buildings and improvements		7,355		7,290	
Machinery and equipment		8,203		7,979	
	<u></u>	22,138		21,319	
Accumulated depreciation		(9,279)		(8,613)	
		12,859		12,706	
Goodwill		67,346		67,346	
Total assets	\$	178,631	\$	181,250	
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY					
Current liabilities					
Accounts payable	\$	739	\$	2,147	
Accrued liabilities		13,753		18,005	
Total current liabilities		14,492		20,152	
Deferred income taxes		16,099		14,747	
Commitments and contingencies					
Stockholders' equity					
Preferred Stock, \$.01 par value; 1,000,000 shares authorized;					
No shares issued or outstanding		-		-	
Common Stock, \$.01 par value; 20,000,000 shares authorized;					
Outstanding 6,506,843 and 6,452,415 shares, respectively		65		65	
Additional paid-in capital		126,045		124,814	
Retained earnings		21,930		21,472	
Total stockholders' equity		148,040		146,351	
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	178,631	\$	181,250	

# CAVCO INDUSTRIES, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(Dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)
(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,		Year Ended March 31,			
	2009	2008	2009	2008		
Net sales	\$ 14,730	\$ 34,204	\$ 105,362	\$ 141,914		
Cost of sales	14,501	29,404	94,591	121,538		
Gross profit	229	4,800	10,771	20,376		
Selling, general and administrative expenses	2,108	3,373	11,213	13,825		
(Loss) income from operations	(1,879)	1,427	(442)	6,551		
Interest income	34_	467	764	2,539		
(Loss) income before income taxes	(1,845)	1,894	322	9,090		
Income tax benefit (expense)	822	(591)	136	(2,778)		
Net (loss) income	\$ (1,023)	\$ 1,303	\$ 458	\$ 6,312		
Net (loss) income per share:						
Basic	\$ (0.16)	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.07	\$ 0.98		
Diluted	\$ (0.16)	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.07	\$ 0.95		
Weighted average shares outstanding:						
Basic	6,506,843	6,452,415	6,487,665	6,427,264		
Diluted	6,506,843	6,674,902	6,692,932	6,664,111		

## CAVCO INDUSTRIES, INC. OTHER OPERATING DATA – CONTINUING OPERATIONS (Dollars in thousands, except average sales price amounts)

(Unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,			Year Ended March 31,				
	2009		 2008		2009		2008	
Net sales								
Manufacturing	\$	13,414	\$ 32,879	\$	101,373	\$	134,301	
Retail		2,035	2,328		8,807		12,429	
Less: Intercompany		(719)	 (1,003)		(4,818)		(4,816)	
Net sales	\$	14,730	\$ 34,204	\$	105,362	\$	141,914	
Floors sold - manufacturing		556	 1,316		3,917		5,104	
Average sales price per floor - manufacturing	\$	24,126	\$ 24,984	\$	25,880	\$	26,313	
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Homes sold - manufacturing		393	 876		2,603		3,301	
Average sales price per home - manufacturing	\$	34,132	\$ 37,533	\$	38,945	\$	40,685	
Homes sold - retail		25	 27		117		158	
Capital expenditures	\$	76	\$ 74	\$	986	\$	689	
Depreciation	\$	194	\$ 200	\$	817	\$	785	

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