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THOR ANNOUNCES PRELIMINARY SALES FOR QUARTER, 9 MONTHS; BACKLOG.

Thor Industries (NYSE:THO) announced today preliminary sales for the quarter and 9 months ended April 30, 2008.

Sales in the quarter were \$707 million, down 10% from \$790 million last year. RV sales were \$600 million, down 12% from \$684 million last year. Bus sales were a record \$107 million, up 1% from \$106 million last year.

Sales in the 9 months were \$2.07 billion, down 1% from \$2.1 billion last year. RV sales were \$1.77 billion, down 2% from \$1.81 billion last year. Bus sales were a record \$300 million, up 3% from \$291 million last year.

Backlog on April 30, 2008 was \$526 million, down 11% from \$593 million last year. RV backlog was \$276 million, down 27% from \$378 million last year. Towables backlog was \$198 million, down from \$267 million last year. Motor home backlog was \$78 million, down from \$111 million last year. Bus backlog was \$250 million, up 16% from \$215 million last year.

Thor is the world's largest manufacturer of recreation vehicles and a major builder of commercial buses.

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