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CHRISTIAN G. FARMAN, CFO, TO LEAVE THOR TO PURSUE OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

Thor Industries, Inc. (NYSE: THO) announced today that Christian G. Farman, Senior Vice President, Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer, has left the company to pursue other interests. Mr. Farman's resignation from Thor was effective October 12, 2012.

Announcing the resignation, Peter B. Orthwein, Thor's Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of its Board of Directors, stated, "Thor thanks Chris for the value that he brought to our Company during his years with us and we wish him well in all of his future endeavors. We are fortunate to benefit from the strong financial team that Chris built here, led by Colleen Zuhl, who will serve as Thor's interim Chief Financial Officer as we conduct a search for a replacement. Colleen's experience as a Chief Financial Officer of one of our former publicly-traded competitors makes her an ideal candidate for the interim role. The depth of our corporate finance team gives me great confidence in the near-term performance and future direction of our Company."

Thor Industries, through its operating subsidiaries, is the world's largest manufacturer of recreation vehicles and a major builder of commercial buses and ambulances.

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