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**CAPITAL SENIOR LIVING CORPORATION ANNOUNCES
RELEASE DATE FOR FIRST QUARTER 2009 FINANCIAL RESULTS**

DALLAS – (BUSINESS WIRE) – April 21, 2009 - Capital Senior Living Corporation (NYSE:CSU) will host a conference call with senior management to discuss the Company's first quarter 2009 financial results. The call will be held on Wednesday, May 6, 2009 at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time. The Company's earnings release announcing first quarter 2009 financial results is scheduled to be released to news services the evening of Tuesday, May 5, 2009.

The call-in number is 913-312-0698, confirmation code 6390740. A link to a simultaneous webcast of the teleconference will be available at www.capitalsenior.com through Windows Media Player or RealPlayer. To pre-check your system compatibility prior to our event go to this link: <http://www.investorcalendar.com/aboutus/HelpDesk.asp>

For the convenience of the Company's shareholders and the public, the conference call will be recorded and available for replay starting May 6, 2009 at 2:00 p.m. Eastern Time, until May 13, 2009 at 8:00 p.m. Eastern Time. To access the conference call replay, call 719-457-0820, confirmation code 6390740. The conference call will also be made available for playback via the Company's corporate website, www.capitalsenior.com, and will be available until the next earnings release date.

ABOUT THE COMPANY

Capital Senior Living Corporation is one of the nation's largest operators of residential communities for senior adults. The Company's operating philosophy emphasizes a continuum of care, which integrates independent living, assisted living and home care services, to provide residents the opportunity to age in place.

The Company currently operates 66 senior living communities in 23 states with an aggregate capacity of approximately 9,800 residents, including 40 senior living communities which the Company owns or in which the Company has an ownership interest, 25 leased communities and one community it manages for a third party. Resident capacities in the communities operated by the Company indicate that 69 percent of residents live independently, 24 percent of residents require assistance with activities of daily living and 7 percent of residents live in continuing care retirement communities.

Contact Ralph A. Beattie, Chief Financial Officer, at 972-770-5600 for more information.

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