

AZZ Inc. Announces Successful Completion of Term Loan B Repricing in Leverage-Neutral Transaction

FORT WORTH, Texas , Sept. 24, 2024 /PRNewswire/ -- **AZZ Inc. (NYSE: AZZ)**, the leading independent provider of hot-dip galvanizing and coil coating solutions in North America, today announced the successful repricing of its existing \$890 million Term Loan B which matures May 13, 2029. The repricing reduced the interest rate margin on the Term Loan B by an additional 75 basis points to SOFR + 250 basis points with no change to leverage, covenants, or maturity date. Assuming the same level of indebtedness of \$890 million on its Term Loan B, AZZ expects the completion of this repricing to result in annual interest savings of approximately \$7 million per year.

Jason Crawford, Chief Financial Officer commented, "We are pleased with the strong market demand for our Term Loan B. Since the issuance of the Term Loan B in May 2022, the Company has reduced the interest rate margin by an aggregate of 185 basis points. Subsequent to acquiring Precoat Metals in May 2022, our robust business performance and strong cash flow generation has allowed AZZ to take a disciplined approach to reducing debt, strengthening, and simplifying its balance sheet and improving its leverage profile."

About AZZ Inc.

AZZ Inc. is the leading independent provider of hot-dip galvanizing and coil coating solutions to a broad range of end-markets. Collectively, our business segments provide sustainable, unmatched metal coating solutions that enhance the longevity and appearance of buildings, products and infrastructure that are essential to everyday life.

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