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STERLING CONSTRUCTION RESCHEDULES
2011 FOURTH QUARTER RELEASE AND CONFERENCE CALL
FOR WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14TH

HOUSTON, TX – March 6, 2012 – Sterling Construction Company, Inc. (NasdaqGS: STRL), ("Sterling" or the "Company") today announced that it has rescheduled its release of financial results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2011 to Wednesday, March 14, 2012 before the opening of the stock market.

The date and time of the corresponding conference call have been rescheduled to Wednesday, March 14, 2012 at 2:00 pm ET/1:00 pm CT. Interested parties may participate in the call by dialing (201) 493-6744. Please call in 10 minutes before the conference is scheduled to begin and ask for the Sterling Construction call.

To listen to a webcast of the call, please go to the Company's website at www.sterlingconstructionco.com at least 15 minutes early to download and install any necessary audio software. If you are unable to listen live, the conference call webcast will be archived on the Company's website for thirty days. We suggest listeners use Microsoft Explorer as their web browser.

Sterling is a leading heavy civil construction company that specializes in the building and reconstruction of transportation and water infrastructure in Texas, Utah, Nevada, Arizona, California and other states where there are construction opportunities. Its transportation infrastructure projects include highways, roads, bridges and light rail and its water infrastructure projects include water, wastewater and storm drainage systems.

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