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WesBanco Increases Quarterly Cash Dividend To Its Shareholders

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WHEELING, W.Va., Aug. 29 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- WesBanco, Inc. (Nasdaq: WSBC) today announced a quarterly cash dividend to be paid to its shareholders of $0.28 per common share. Paul M. Limbert, President and Chief Executive Officer of the multi-state bank holding company headquartered in Wheeling, West Virginia, said that the dividend would be payable on October 1, 2008 to shareholders of record on September 12, 2008. The cash dividend represents an annualized cash dividend of $1.12 per common share, or a 1.8% increase over the cash dividend paid during 2007.

WesBanco, Inc. is a multi-state bank holding company of $5.3 billion in total assets providing banking services through 109 locations and 148 ATMs in West Virginia, Ohio and Pennsylvania. WesBanco's banking subsidiary is WesBanco Bank, Inc., headquartered in Wheeling, West Virginia. In addition, WesBanco operates an insurance company, WesBanco Insurance Services, Inc., and a full service broker/dealer, WesBanco Securities, Inc.

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