GlobalFoundries Reports Fourth Quarter 2023 and Fiscal Year 2023 Financial Results

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MALTA, N.Y., Feb. 13, 2024 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- GlobalFoundries Inc. (GF) (Nasdaq: GFS) today announced preliminary financial results for the fourth quarter and fiscal year ended December 31, 2023.

Key Fourth Quarter Financial Highlights

- Revenue of $1.854 billion.
- Gross margin of 28.3% and adjusted gross margin[(1)] of 29.0%.
- Operating margin of 16.3% and adjusted operating margin[(1)] of 20.7%.
- Net income of $278 million and adjusted net income[(1)] of $356 million.
- Adjusted EBITDA[(1)] of $773 million.
- Cash, cash equivalents and marketable securities of $3.9 billion.

Key Full Year 2023 Financial Highlights

- Revenue of $7.4 billion.
- Gross margin of 28.4% and adjusted gross margin[(1)] of 29.1%.
- Net income of $1.0 billion and adjusted EBITDA[(1)] of $2.8 billion

"In the fourth quarter, GF's dedicated teams across the world delivered financial results that exceeded the mid-point of the guidance ranges we provided in our November earnings release," said Dr. Thomas Caulfield, president and CEO of GF. "We continue to position GF to drive foundry innovation and differentiation across essential end-markets and we are especially proud of our Automotive end market revenue growth, with over $1 billion of revenue in 2023. It also gives me great pleasure to welcome John Hollister to GF, as our new CFO. I look forward to partnering with John as we focus on our business priorities through 2024 and beyond."

Recent Business Highlights

- GF and Infineon announced a new multi-year agreement on the supply of Infineon's leading 40nm automotive safety controller as well as power management and connectivity solutions through 2030.
- GF was awarded $35 million in federal funding to accelerate the manufacturing of GF's differentiated gallium nitride (GaN) on silicon semiconductors at its facility in Essex Junction, Vermont. This funding brings GF closer to large-scale production of GaN chips, which are unique in their ability to handle high voltages and temperatures.
- For the second year in a row, GF has earned a place on Newsweek's esteemed list of "America's Most Responsible Companies," underscoring the company's longstanding commitment to ESG and environmentally sustainable manufacturing practices.

[(1)]Adjusted gross profit, adjusted operating profit, adjusted net income, adjusted EBITDA and any related margins are all Non-IFRS measures. See "Unaudited Reconciliation of IFRS to Non-IFRS" for a detailed reconciliation of Non-IFRS measures to the most directly comparable IFRS measure. See "Financial Measures (Non-IFRS)" for a discussion of why we believe these Non-IFRS measures are useful.

Unaudited Summary Quarterly Results (in millions USD, except per share amounts and wafer shipments)

	Q4'23	Q3'23	Q4'22	Year-over-year Q4'23 vs Q4'22		Sequential Q4'23 vs Q3'23	
Net revenue	$ 1,854	$ 1,852	$ 2,101	$ (247)	(12)%	$ 2	—%
Gross profit	525	529	622	$ (97)	(16)%	$ (4)	(1)%

Gross margin		*28.3%*		*28.6%*		*29.6%*			*(130)bps*			*(30)bps*
Adjusted gross profit[(1)]	**$**	**537**	**$**	**541**	**$**	**633**	**$**	**(96)**	**(15)%**	**$**	**(4)**	**(1)%**
Adjusted gross margin[(1)]		*29.0%*		*29.2%*		*30.1%*			*(110)bps*			*(20)bps*
Operating profit	**$**	**303**	**$**	**261**	**$**	**288**	**$**	**15**	**5 %**	**$**	**42**	**16 %**
Operating margin		*16.3%*		*14.1%*		*13.7%*			*+260bps*			*+220bps*
Adjusted operating profit[(1)]	**$**	**383**	**$**	**322**	**$**	**425**	**$**	**(42)**	**(10)%**	**$**	**61**	**19 %**
Adjusted operating margin[(1)]		*20.7%*		*17.4%*		*20.2%*			*+50bps*			*+330bps*
Net income	**$**	**278**	**$**	**249**	**$**	**668**	**$**	**(390)**	**(58)%**	**$**	**29**	**12 %**
Net income margin		*15.0%*		*13.4%*		*31.8%*			*(1,680)bps*			*+160bps*
Adjusted net income[(1)(2)]	**$**	**356**	**$**	**308**	**$**	**800**	**$**	**(444)**	**(56)%**	**$**	**48**	**16 %**
Adjusted net income margin[(1)]		*19.2%*		*16.6%*		*38.1%*			*(1,890)bps*			*+260bps*
Diluted earnings per share ("EPS")	**$**	**0.50**	**$**	**0.45**	**$**	**1.21**	**$**	**(0.71)**	**(59)%**	**$**	**0.05**	**11 %**
Adjusted diluted EPS[(1)]	**$**	**0.64**	**$**	**0.55**	**$**	**1.44**	**$**	**(0.80)**	**(56)%**	**$**	**0.09**	**16 %**
Adjusted EBITDA[(1)]	**$**	**773**	**$**	**667**	**$**	**821**	**$**	**(48)**	**(6)%**	**$**	**106**	**16 %**
Adjusted EBITDA margin[(1)]		*41.7%*		*36.0%*		*39.1%*			*+260bps*			*+570bps*
Cash from operations	**$**	**684**	**$**	**416**	**$**	**491**	**$**	**193**	**39 %**	**$**	**268**	**64 %**
Wafer shipments (300mm equivalent) (in thousands)		**552**		**575**		**580**		**(28)**	**(5)%**		**(23)**	**(4)%**

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[(2)] Beginning in Q4 2022, the Company revised its definition of adjusted net income to include an adjustment for restructuring charges and the associated tax impact. The change was made due to a restructuring undertaken in Q4 2022. The Company believes the revised definition provides management and investors with more useful information to evaluate the operations of our business. Adjusted net income is now defined as net income adjusted for share-based compensation, restructuring charges and the associated tax impact.

Unaudited Summary Annual Results (in millions USD, except per share amounts and wafer shipments)

		FY2023		FY2022		Year-over-year FY23 vs FY22	
Net revenue	**$**	**7,392**	**$**	**8,108**	**$**	**(716)**	**(9)%**
Gross profit	**$**	**2,101**	**$**	**2,239**	**$**	**(138)**	**(6)%**
Gross margin		*28.4%*		*27.6%*			*+80bps*
Adjusted gross profit[(1)]	**$**	**2,149**	**$**	**2,303**	**$**	**(154)**	**(7)%**
Adjusted gross margin[(1)]		*29.1%*		*28.4%*			*+70bps*
Operating profit	**$**	**1,129**	**$**	**1,167**	**$**	**(38)**	**(3)%**
Operating margin		*15.3%*		*14.4%*			*+90bps*

Adjusted operating profit[1]	**$ 1,369**	**$ 1,443**	**$ (74)**	**(5)%**
Adjusted operating margin[1]	*18.5%*	*17.8%*		*+70bps*
Net income[2]	**$ 1,018**	**$ 1,446**	**$ (428)**	**(30)%**
Net income margin	*13.8%*	*17.8%*		*(400)bps*
Adjusted net income[1][2][3]	**$ 1,251**	**$ 1,717**	**$ (466)**	**(27)%**
Adjusted net income margin[1]	*16.9%*	*21.2%*		*(430)bps*
Diluted EPS	**$ 1.83**	**$ 2.62**	**$ (0.79)**	**(30)%**
Adjusted diluted EPS[1]	**$ 2.24**	**$ 3.11**	**$ (0.87)**	**(28)%**
Adjusted EBITDA[1][4]	**$ 2,763**	**$ 3,088**	**$ (325)**	**(11)%**
Adjusted EBITDA margin[1]	*37.4%*	*38.1%*		*(70)bps*
Cash from operations	**$ 2,125**	**$ 2,624**	**$ (499)**	**(19)%**
Wafer shipments (300mm equivalent) (in thousands)	**2,211**	**2,472**	**(261)**	**(11)%**

[1] Adjusted gross profit, adjusted operating profit, adjusted net income, adjusted diluted EPS, and adjusted EBITDA, and any related margins are all Non-IFRS measures. See "Unaudited Reconciliation of IFRS to Non-IFRS" for a detailed reconciliation of Non-IFRS measures to the most directly comparable IFRS measures. See "Financial Measures (Non-IFRS)" for a discussion of why we believe these Non-IFRS measures are useful.

[2] Includes the gain on sale of our East Fishkill business in December 2022.

[3] Beginning in Q4 2022, the Company revised its definition of adjusted net income to include an adjustment for restructuring charges and the associated tax impact. The change was made due to a restructuring undertaken in Q4 2022. The Company believes the revised definition provides management and investors with more useful information to evaluate the operations of our business. Adjusted net income is now defined as net income adjusted for share-based compensation, restructuring charges and the associated tax impact.

[4] Beginning in Q3 2022, the Company revised its definition of adjusted EBITDA to include an adjustment for finance income. The change was made due to the Company making an investment during Q2 2022 of approximately $1.0 billion in marketable securities. The Company believes the revised definition provides management and investors more useful information to evaluate the operations of our business. Adjusted EBITDA is now defined as net income, adjusted for the impact of finance expense, finance income, income tax expense, depreciation and amortization, share-based compensation, divestiture gains and associated expenses, restructuring charges, labor optimization initiatives and litigation settlement.

Summary of First Quarter 2024 Guidance (unaudited in millions USD, except per share amounts)[1]

	IFRS	Share-based compensation	Non-IFRS Adjusted[2]
Net revenue	**$1,500 - $1,540**	**—**	**—**
Gross profit	**$329 - $371**	**$14 - $16**	**$345 - $385**
Gross margin[3] (mid-point)	*23.0%*		*24.0%*
Operating profit	**$60 - $130**	**$50 - $60**	**$120 - $180**
Operating margin[3] (mid-point)	*6.3%*		*9.9%*
Net income	**$40 - $106**	**$50 - $60**	**$100 - $156**
Net income margin[3] (mid-point)	*4.8%*		*8.4%*
Diluted EPS	**$0.07 - $0.19**		**$0.18 - $0.28**

[1]The Guidance provided above contains forward-looking statements as defined in the U.S. Private Securities Litigation Act of 1995, and is subject to the safe harbors created therein. The Guidance includes management's beliefs and assumptions and is based on information currently available.

[2]Adjusted gross profit, adjusted operating profit, adjusted net income, and adjusted diluted EPS are Non-IFRS metrics and, for purposes of the Guidance only, are defined as gross profit, operating profit, net income, and EPS before share-based compensation, respectively. Adjusted operating expense is calculated by subtracting adjusted operating profit from adjusted gross profit.

[3]Adjusted margins are Non-IFRS metrics and for purposes of the Guidance only, are defined as adjusted gross profit, adjusted operating profit and adjusted net income, each divided by net revenue (using the definitions of adjusted gross profit, adjusted operating profit, and adjusted net income, in footnote (2) above, as appropriate).

Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Operations

(in millions USD, except for per share amounts)	Three Months Ended		Year Ended	
	December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022	December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022
Net revenue	**$ 1,854**	**$ 2,101**	**$ 7,392**	**$ 8,108**
Cost of revenue	1,329	1,479	5,291	5,869
Gross profit	**$ 525**	**$ 622**	**$ 2,101**	**$ 2,239**
Operating expenses:				
Research and development	105	110	428	482
Selling, general and administrative[1]	87	130	473	496
Restructuring charges	30	94	71	94
Total operating expenses	**$ 222**	**$ 334**	**$ 972**	**$ 1,072**
Operating profit	**$ 303**	**$ 288**	**$ 1,129**	**$ 1,167**
Finance income (expense), net	8	(2)	12	(60)
Other income (expense)	(12)	(13)	(57)	22
Gain on sale of a business[2]	—	403	—	403
Income tax expense	(21)	(8)	(66)	(86)
Net income	**$ 278**	**$ 668**	**$ 1,018**	**$ 1,446**
Attributable to:				
Shareholders of GlobalFoundries	277	668	1,020	1,448
Non-controlling interest	1	—	(2)	(2)
EPS:				
Basic	$ 0.50	$ 1.22	$ 1.85	$ 2.69
Diluted	$ 0.50	$ 1.21	$ 1.83	$ 2.62
Shares used in EPS calculation:				
Basic	553	546	552	539
Diluted	557	554	556	552

[1] Beginning in Q3 2023, selling, general and administrative includes (gain)/loss on tool sales and certain contract cancellation fees. Prior period amounts have not been adjusted, as they are immaterial.

[2] Includes the gain on sale of our East Fishkill business in December 2022.

Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Financial Position

(in millions USD)	December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022
Assets:		

Cash and cash equivalents	$ 2,387	$ 2,352
Receivables, prepayments and other	1,420	1,487
Marketable securities	1,033	622
Inventories	1,487	1,339
Current assets	**$ 6,327**	**$ 5,800**
Deferred tax assets	$ 241	$ 292
Property, plant, and equipment, net	10,164	10,596
Marketable securities	468	372
Other assets	844	781
Non-current assets	**$ 11,717**	**$ 12,041**
Total assets	**$ 18,044**	**$ 17,841**
Liabilities and equity:		
Current portion of long-term debt	$ 571	$ 223
Other current liabilities	2,528	3,136
Current liabilities	**$ 3,099**	**$ 3,359**
Non-current portion of long-term debt	$ 1,801	$ 2,288
Other liabilities	1,993	2,234
Non-current liabilities	**$ 3,794**	**$ 4,522**
Shareholders' equity:		
Common stock/additional paid-in capital	$ 24,038	$ 23,842
Accumulated deficit	(13,001)	(14,021)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	67	92
Non-controlling interest	47	47
Total liabilities and equity	**$ 18,044**	**$ 17,841**

Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

	Three Months Ended		Year Ended	
(in millions USD)	**December 31, 2023**	**December 31, 2022**	**December 31, 2023**	**December 31, 2022**
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Net income	**$ 278**	**$ 668**	**$ 1,018**	**$ 1,446**
Depreciation and amortization	402	409	1,451	1,623
Gain on the sale of a business[1]	—	(403)	—	(403)
Finance (income) expense, net and other[2]	(21)	(3)	(21)	1
Deferred income taxes	8	30	50	82
Other non-cash operating activities	41	16	134	50
Net change in working capital	(24)	(226)	(507)	(175)
Net cash provided by operating activities	**$ 684**	**$ 491**	**$ 2,125**	**$ 2,624**
Cash flows from investing activities:				
Purchases of property, plant, equipment, and intangible assets	$ (228)	$ (991)	$ (1,804)	$ (3,059)
Other investing activities	133	(60)	(78)	(999)
Net cash used in investing activities	**$ (95)**	**$ (1,051)**	**$ (1,882)**	**$ (4,058)**
Cash flows from financing activities:				
Proceeds from issuance of equity instruments and other	$ 1	$ 12	$ 47	$ 168
Proceeds (repayment) of debt, net	(88)	255	(259)	581
Other financing activities	—	93	—	93
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities	**$ (87)**	**$ 360**	**$ (212)**	**$ 842**
Effect of exchange rate changes	5	11	4	5
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	**$ 507**	**$ (189)**	**$ 35**	**$ (587)**

Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period	1,880	2,541	2,352	2,939
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period	**$ 2,387**	**$ 2,352**	**$ 2,387**	**$ 2,352**

(1)Includes the gain on sale of our East Fishkill business in December 2022.

(2)Finance (income) expense, net and other has been adjusted to include interest and taxes paid that were previously included in "Other non-cash operating activities." Prior period amounts have been adjusted accordingly.

Unaudited Reconciliation of IFRS to Non-IFRS

(in millions USD, except for per share amounts)	Three Months Ended			Year Ended	
	December 31, 2023	September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	December 31, 2023	December 31, 2022
Net Revenue	**$ 1,854**	**$ 1,852**	**$ 2,101**	**$ 7,392**	**$ 8,108**
Gross profit	**$ 525**	**$ 529**	**$ 622**	**$ 2,101**	**$ 2,239**
Gross profit margin	*28.3%*	*28.6%*	*29.6%*	*28.4%*	*27.6%*
Share-based compensation	$ 12	$ 12	$ 11	$ 48	$ 64
Adjusted gross profit(1)	**$ 537**	**$ 541**	**$ 633**	**$ 2,149**	**$ 2,303**
Adjusted gross margin(1)	*29.0%*	*29.2%*	*30.1%*	*29.1%*	*28.4%*
Selling, general and administrative(2)	**$ 87**	**$ 143**	**$ 130**	**$ 473**	**$ 496**
Share-based compensation	$ 30	$ 25	$ 25	$ 96	$ 91
Adjusted selling, general and administrative(1)	**$ 57**	**$ 118**	**$ 105**	**$ 377**	**$ 405**
Research and development	**$ 105**	**$ 108**	**$ 110**	**$ 428**	**$ 482**
Share-based compensation	$ 8	$ 7	$ 7	$ 25	$ 27
Adjusted research and development(1)	**$ 97**	**$ 101**	**$ 103**	**$ 403**	**$ 455**
Operating profit	**$ 303**	**$ 261**	**$ 288**	**$ 1,129**	**$ 1,167**
Operating profit margin	*16.3%*	*14.1%*	*13.7%*	*15.3%*	*14.4%*
Share-based compensation	$ 50	$ 44	$ 43	$ 169	$ 182
Restructuring charges(3)	$ 30	$ 17	$ 94	$ 71	$ 94
Adjusted operating profit(1)	**$ 383**	**$ 322**	**$ 425**	**$ 1,369**	**$ 1,443**
Adjusted operating profit margin(1)	*20.7%*	*17.4%*	*20.2%*	*18.5%*	*17.8%*
Net income	**$ 278**	**$ 249**	**$ 668**	$ 1,018	**$ 1,446**
Net income margin	*15.0%*	*13.4%*	*31.8%*	*13.8%*	*17.8%*
Share-based compensation	$ 50	$ 44	$ 43	$ 169	$ 182
Restructuring charges(3)	$ 30	$ 17	$ 94	$ 71	**$ 94**
Income tax effect(4)	$ (2)	$ (2)	$ (5)	$ (7)	$ (5)
Adjusted net income(1)(5)	**$ 356**	**$ 308**	**$ 800**	**$ 1,251**	**$ 1,717**
Adjusted net income margin(1)	*19.2%*	*16.6%*	*38.1%*	*16.9%*	*21.2%*
Diluted EPS	**$ 0.50**	**$ 0.45**	**$ 1.21**	**$ 1.83**	**$ 2.62**
Share-based compensation	$ 0.09	$ 0.08	$ 0.07	$ 0.30	$ 0.33
Restructuring charges(3)	$ 0.05	$ 0.03	$ 0.17	$ 0.13	$ 0.17
Income tax effect(4)	$ —	$ (0.01)	$ (0.01)	$ (0.02)	$ (0.01)
Diluted shares outstanding	**557**	**556**	**554**	**556**	**552**
Adjusted diluted EPS(1)	**$ 0.64**	**$ 0.55**	**$ 1.44**	**$ 2.24**	**$ 3.11**

Net cash provided by operating activities	**$ 684**	**$ 416**	**$ 2,125**
Less: Purchase of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	$ 228	$ 323	$ 1,804
Free cash flow[1]	**$ 456**	**$ 93**	**$ 321**

[1]Adjusted gross profit, adjusted selling, general and administrative, adjusted research and development, adjusted operating profit, adjusted operating expense (calculated by subtracting adjusted operating profit from adjusted gross profit), adjusted net income, adjusted diluted EPS, free cash flow and any related margins are all Non-IFRS measures. See “Financial Measures (Non-IFRS)” for a discussion of why we believe these Non-IFRS measures are useful.

[2] Beginning in Q3 2023, selling, general and administrative includes (gain)/loss on tool sales and certain contract cancellation fees. Prior period amounts have not been adjusted, as they are immaterial.

[3] Includes $3.1 million of share-based compensation in Q4 2022.

[4] Relates to restructuring charges.

[5] Reflects change to adjusted net income definition discussed in more detail elsewhere in this release.

Unaudited Reconciliation of Net Income to Adjusted EBITDA

	Three Months Ended			Year Ended	
(in millions USD)	**December 31, 2023**	**September 30, 2023**	**December 31, 2022**	**December 31, 2023**	**December 31, 2022**
Net income for the period	**$ 278**	**$ 249**	**$ 668**	**$ 1,018**	**$ 1,446**
Depreciation and amortization	402	366	409	1,451	1,623
Finance expense	35	37	28	137	111
Finance income	(43)	(40)	(26)	(149)	(51)
Income tax expense (benefit)	21	(6)	8	66	86
Share-based compensation	50	44	43	169	182
Restructuring charges[1]	30	17	94	71	94
Divestiture gains and associated expenses, legal settlements and transaction expenses [2]	—	—	(403)	—	(403)
Adjusted EBITDA*[1][3][4][5][6]*	**$ 773**	**$ 667**	**$ 821**	**$ 2,763**	**$ 3,088**
Adjusted EBITDA margin[1][3][4][5][6]	*41.7%*	*36.0%*	*39.1%*	*37.4%*	*38.1%*

[1] Includes $3.1 million of share-based compensation in Q4 2022.

[2] Activity for the year ended December 31, 2022, relates to the gain on the sale of our East Fishkill business.

[3]Reflects change to adjusted EBITDA definition discussed in more detail elsewhere in this release

[4]Includes interest income of $1.0 million in Q1 2022 and $7.0 million in Q2 2022. Had these numbers been included, our adjusted EBITDA and adjusted EBITDA margin would have been $697 million and 35.9% for Q1 2022 and $777 million and 39.0% for Q2 2022, respectively.

[5]Adjusted EBITDA and any related margin are Non-IFRS measures. See “Financial Measures (Non-IFRS)" for a discussion of why we believe these Non-IFRS measures are useful.

[6] For the periods presented above, there were no labor optimization expenses.

Financial Measures (Non-IFRS)

In addition to the financial information presented in accordance with IFRS, this press release includes the following Non-IFRS metrics: adjusted gross profit, adjusted operating profit, adjusted operating expense, adjusted net income, adjusted selling, general and administrative, adjusted research and development, adjusted diluted earnings per share (“EPS”), adjusted EBITDA, free cash flow and any related margins. We define each of adjusted gross profit, adjusted selling, general and administrative and adjusted research and development as each respective IFRS measure adjusted for share-based compensation. We define adjusted operating profit as operating profit adjusted for share-based compensation and restructuring charges. We define adjusted

operating expense as adjusted gross profit minus adjusted operating profit. We define adjusted net income as net income adjusted for share-based compensation, restructuring charges and the associated tax impact. We define adjusted diluted EPS as adjusted net income divided by the diluted shares outstanding. We define free cash flow as cash flow provided by (used in) operating activities less purchases of property, plant and equipment and intangible assets. We define adjusted EBITDA as net income, adjusted for the impact of finance expense, finance income, income tax expense (benefit), depreciation and amortization, share-based compensation, restructuring charges, labor optimization initiatives and divestiture gains and associated expenses, legal settlements and transaction expenses. We define adjusted gross margin as adjusted gross profit divided by revenue. We define adjusted operating margin as adjusted operating profit divided by net revenue. We define adjusted EBITDA margin as adjusted EBITDA divided by net revenue.

We believe that in addition to our results determined in accordance with IFRS, these Non-IFRS measures provide useful information to both management and investors in measuring our financial performance and highlight trends in our business that may not otherwise be apparent when relying solely on IFRS measures. These Non-IFRS financial measures provide supplemental information regarding our operating performance that excludes certain gains, losses and non-cash charges that occur relatively infrequently and/or that we consider to be unrelated to our core operations. Management believes that free cash flow as a Non-IFRS measure is helpful to investors as it provides insights into the nature and amount of cash the Company generates in the period. For further information regarding these Non-IFRS measures, please refer to "Unaudited Reconciliation of IFRS to Non-IFRS" table above.

Non-IFRS financial information is presented for supplemental informational purposes only and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for financial information presented in accordance with IFRS. Our presentation of Non-IFRS measures should not be construed as an inference that our future results will be unaffected by unusual or nonrecurring items. Other companies in our industry may calculate these measures differently, which may limit their usefulness as a comparative measure.

Conference Call and Webcast Information

GF will host a conference call with the financial community on Tuesday, February 13, 2024 at 8:30 a.m. U.S. Eastern Time (ET) to review the fourth quarter 2023 results in detail. Interested parties may join the scheduled conference call by registering at https://register.vevent.com/register/BI596916ecbc7f44b8949ef404dff8de42.

The call will be webcast and can be accessed from the GF Investor Relations website https://investors.gf.com. A replay of the call will be available on the GF Investor Relations website within 24 hours of the actual call.

About GlobalFoundries

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