S&W Seed Company Sets First Quarter Fiscal Year 2018 Conference Call and Earnings Release for Thursday, November 9, 2017

Financial results to be released after the close of the market; Conference call to be conducted at 4:30 pm ET

HANFORD, Calif., Oct. 31, 2017 — S&W Seed Company (Nasdaq: SANW) will report financial results for its first quarter fiscal year 2018, ended September 30, 2017, after the market closes on Thursday, November 9, 2017. The Company has scheduled a conference call that same day, Thursday, November 9, 2017, at 4:30 pm ET, to review the results.

Interested parties can access the conference call by dialing (844) 861-5498 or (412) 317-6580 or can listen via a live Internet webcast, which is available in the Investor Relations section of the Company's website at http://swseedco.com/investors/.

A teleconference replay of the call will be available for three days at (877) 344-7529 or (412) 317-0088, confirmation # 10113570. A webcast replay will be available in the Investor Relations section of the Company's website at http://swseedco.com/investors/ for 30 days.

About S&W Seed Company

Founded in 1980, S&W Seed Company is a global agricultural company, headquartered in Hanford, California. The Company's vision is to be the world's preferred proprietary seed company by supplying a range of forage, grain and specialty crop products to support the growing global demand for animal proteins and healthier consumer diets. The Company is a global leader in alfalfa seed, with significant research and development, production and distribution capabilities. S&W's capabilities span the world's alfalfa seed production regions, with operations in the United States, Australia, and Canada, and S&W sells its seed products in more than 30 countries around the globe. The company is also a provider of proprietary hybrid sorghum and sunflower seed germplasm, and is utilizing its research and breeding expertise to develop and produce stevia, the all-natural, zero calorie sweetener for the food and beverage industry. For more information, please visit www.swseedco.com.

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