



Genesco Declares Quarterly Dividends

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NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 25 /PRNewswire/ -- The board of directors of Genesco Inc. (NYSE: GCO) has declared dividends on the various classes of its preferred stock for the quarter ending August 4, 2001, payable on July 31, 2001, to holders of record on July 16, 2001.

The rates are as follows:

*Subordinated serial preferred stock:	
Series 1	\$0.575 per share
Series 3	\$1.1875 per share
Series 4	\$1.1875 per share

Subordinated cumulative preferred stock: \$0.375 per share

Genesco, based in Nashville, sells footwear and accessories in 810 retail stores in the U.S., principally under the names Journeys, Johnston & Murphy, Jarman and Underground Station, and on internet websites www.journeys.com and www.johnstonmurphy.com. The Company also sells footwear at wholesale under its Johnston & Murphy brand and under the licensed Dockers brand. Additional information on Genesco and its operating divisions may be accessed at its website www.genesco.com.

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