



## **Advance Comment on the Unemployment Rate Announcement Provided by Global Staffing Solutions Provider, Kelly Services**

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**WHAT:** Advance comment on the unemployment rate announcement provided by global staffing solutions provider, Kelly Services.

**WHO:** Carl Camden, president and chief executive officer, Kelly Services. □

**DETAILS:** The following commentary is offered in advance of the April unemployment rate announcement due Friday from the U.S. Department of Labor:

"The economy has displayed signs of resilience and continues to grow despite persistently high energy prices. Surging prices at the gas pump may slightly impact further gains in employment numbers, but we anticipate overall hiring trends will remain strong as we head into the busy summer months.

"Job growth has been steady and the temporary staffing industry in particular has shown no signs of slowing. Conversions from temporary to permanent employment continue to climb, and direct placements are also increasing at a faster pace than originally anticipated. Engineering, information technology, and scientific professionals are all producing high numbers and remain highly sought after."

**WHEN:** Carl Camden is available Friday, May 5, for media interviews through the contact information listed below.

### **About Kelly Services**

Kelly Services, Inc. (NASDAQ: KELYA) (NASDAQ: KELYB) is a Fortune 500 company headquartered in Troy, Mich., offering staffing solutions that include temporary staffing services, staff leasing, outsourcing, vendor on-site and full-time placement. Kelly operates in 30 countries and territories. Kelly provides employment to more than 700,000 employees annually, with skills including office services, accounting, engineering, information technology, law, science, marketing, light industrial, education, health care and home care. Revenue in 2005 was \$5.3 billion. Visit [www.kellyservices.com](http://www.kellyservices.com).

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