

## **ASM International N.V. Announces Availability of Agenda and Proxy Materials for EGM**

**Almere**, The Netherlands, November 5, 2009 – ASM International N.V. (NASDAQ: ASMI and Euronext Exchange in Amsterdam: ASM) announces that the Agenda for the Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders (EGM) scheduled for November 24, 2009 is now available on the Company's website, [www.asm.com](http://www.asm.com). Furthermore, the US market proxy materials for the EGM are now being mailed to shareholders and are also available on the Company's website.

The EGM is scheduled for Tuesday November 24, 2009, at 10:30 CET in the Otter Room of Hotel Okura, Ferdinand Bolstraat 333, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

A live webcast of the meeting will be available for registered shareholders on the Company's website. The webcast will be available in both Dutch and English. A replay of the proceedings will be available for a period of two weeks following the meeting date. There will be no telephone conference feature for the EGM.

### **About ASM International**

ASM International N.V., headquartered in Almere, the Netherlands, and its subsidiaries design and manufacture equipment and materials used to produce semiconductor devices. ASM International and its subsidiaries provide production solutions for wafer processing (Front-end segment) as well as assembly and packaging (Back-end segment) through facilities in the United States, Europe, Japan and Asia. ASM International's common stock trades on NASDAQ (symbol ASMI) and the Euronext Amsterdam Stock Exchange (symbol ASM). For more information, visit ASMI's website at [www.asm.com](http://www.asm.com).

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