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**GRAINGER TO PRESENT AT THE
BB&T 7th ANNUAL COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL CONFERENCE**

CHICAGO, March 18, 2013 – DG Macpherson, Senior Vice President and President, Global Supply Chain and Corporate Strategy, will be presenting at the BB&T 7th Annual Commercial & Industrial Conference in Coral Gables, Florida, on Wednesday, March 20, 2013. The live audio webcast of the event, scheduled for 3:15 p.m. EDT, will be available for 30 days at www.grainger.com/investor. The presentation slides will be posted in the Company Information, Presentations and Webcasts section of Grainger's Investor Relations web site, listed above.

About Grainger

W.W. Grainger, Inc. with 2012 sales of \$9.0 billion is North America's leading broad line supplier of [maintenance, repair and operating products](#), with expanding global operations. For more information about the company, visit www.grainger.com/investor.

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