

Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc. Provides Update of Previously Reported Reverse Stock Split

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IRVINE, Calif., Jan. 9 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc. (Pink Sheets: IMPH), or the "Company," a Maryland corporation, being taxed as a real estate investment trust ("REIT"), announces that its previously reported 1-for-10 reverse stock split will begin to trade on a split-adjusted basis at the open of business on January 12, 2009. At that time the security will be traded-over-the-counter under the new ticker symbol "IMPM" and the new CUSIP number 45254P 508.

About the Company

Impac Mortgage Holdings, Inc. is a mortgage REIT, which through its Long Term Investment Operations is primarily invested in non-conforming Alt A mortgage loans (Alt-A) and to a lesser extent small balance commercial and multi-family loans. The Company is organized as a REIT for tax purposes, which generally allows it to pass through earnings to stockholders without federal income tax at the corporate level.

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