

## Ashland Inc. Files 10-K Annual Report with SEC

COVINGTON, Ky., Nov. 22, 2010 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Ashland Inc. (NYSE: ASH) today filed its annual report on Form 10-K with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

(Logo: http://photos.prnewswire.com/prnh/20040113/ASHLANDLOGO)

There are several options to access a paper copy of Ashland's complete audited financial statements free of charge. The Form 10-K may be downloaded from the company's website at <u>www.ashland.com</u> by accessing a link provided in the Investor Center. In addition, the report may be requested by calling Investor Relations at 859-815-4454, or by directing an e-mail to <u>investor relations@ashland.com</u>.

In more than 100 countries, the people of Ashland Inc. (NYSE: ASH) provide the specialty chemicals, technologies and insights to help customers create new and improved products for today and sustainable solutions for tomorrow. Our chemistry is at work every day in a wide variety of markets and applications, including architectural coatings, automotive, construction, energy, personal care, pharmaceutical, tissue and towel, and water treatment. Visit <u>www.ashland.com</u> to see the innovations we offer through our five commercial units — Ashland Aqualon Functional Ingredients, Ashland Hercules Water Technologies, Ashland Performance Materials, Ashland Consumer Markets (Valvoline) and Ashland Distribution.

SOURCE Ashland Inc.

News Provided by Acquire Media