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Capcom Co., Ltd. Announces Partnership with Rockstar Games for the Release of "Grand Theft Auto 3" in Japan

Capcom Co., Ltd. is pleased to announce a partnership agreement with Rockstar Games, the world-renowned publishing division of Take-Two Interactive Software, Inc. to localize, publish and distribute the blockbuster title *Grand Theft Auto 3* for the PlayStation2 computer entertainment system and PC in Japan. *Grand Theft Auto 3* is scheduled for release in the Japanese market in Fall 2003.

“We are extremely excited to have the opportunity to bring *Grand Theft Auto 3* to the Japanese gaming public,” stated Sam Houser, President of Rockstar Games. “We at Rockstar Games have great respect for Japan’s passionate gaming community and admire its celebrated video game history. We have always felt that the freedom, non-linearity and gameplay mechanics explored in the *Grand Theft Auto* series possessed a universal allure that would appeal to gamers worldwide and clearly, Capcom shares the same beliefs. We look forward to working with them to extend the global reach of our best-selling franchise.”

“It is an honor to partner with Rockstar Games to release *Grand Theft Auto 3* in Japan,” stated Kenzo Tsujimoto, President and CEO of Capcom Co., Ltd. “The *Grand Theft Auto* franchise changed the way video games are played and perceived with its groundbreaking gameplay, amazing production values and unparalleled sense of style. Now, the Japanese gaming community will finally have the opportunity to experience the *Grand Theft Auto* phenomenon firsthand. The release of *Grand Theft Auto 3* is sure to be a landmark event in the Japanese gaming market.”

About Take-Two Interactive Software

Headquartered in New York City, Take-Two Interactive Software, Inc. is an integrated global developer, marketer, distributor, and publisher of interactive entertainment software games and accessories for the PC, PlayStation game console, PlayStation2 computer entertainment system, Xbox video game system from Microsoft, Nintendo GameCube and Nintendo Game Boy Advance. The Company publishes and develops products through its wholly owned subsidiary labels: Rockstar Games, Gotham Games, Gathering, Joytech and Global Star. The Company maintains sales and marketing offices in Cincinnati, New York, Toronto, London, Paris, Munich, Vienna, Copenhagen, Milan, Sydney, Amsterdam and Auckland. Take-Two’s common stock is publicly traded on NASDAQ under the symbol TTWO. For more corporate and product information please visit our website at www.take2games.com.