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PRESS RELEASE **LEISURE CANADA FINALIZES PGA AGREEMENT**

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Leisure Canada Inc. is pleased to announce that, further to its announcement on May 18, 1999, it has now finalized the licensing and joint venture arrangements, respectively, with The Professional Golfers' Association of Great Britain and Ireland ("PGA") and PGA Golf Management Ltd. (PGAGM), the design, development and management arm of PGA.

The joint venture company, to be based in Havana, has been established with the objective of developing professional golf in Cuba by providing construction, operation and/or management of golf courses, golf academies and other related operations, the licensing of golf operations in Cuba using the systems and intellectual property of PGA and PGAGM, and organization of golf tournaments, as well as marketing and media rights related to its golf operations. The new company is also planning the development of a PGA National Academy for teaching amateurs and those wishing to aspire to PGA Professional status.

Commenting on the joint venture, Sandy Jones chief executive of PGA said: "We believe that Cuba is one of the most exciting new markets for the expansion of golf. This joint venture therefore gives us the chance to be at the forefront of taking the game to a new and undeveloped area and establishing professional golf in Cuba. "An aim is also to provide the first learning center for PGA outside the UK, and this will enable youngsters who meet the recognized standards to obtain PGA qualifications", he added.

Bob Hunt of PGA Golf Management said: "Cuba is already experiencing an economic boom and is set for a tourist invasion. Visitor levels are growing at a phenomenal rate and set to dramatically rise over the next few years. "The new company will be based in Havana to build and operate the golf resorts as well as organize amateur and professional golf events under PGA brand. It will also give PGA and Leisure Canada Inc substantial benefits through merchandising and other areas as the sports develops and grows in Cuba."

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