

## **Take-Two Interactive Software, Inc. Announces Conflict: Desert Storm For PlayStation 2, the Microsoft Xbox, Nintendo GameCube and the PC**

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NEW YORK, May 22, 2002 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- Take-Two Interactive Software, Inc. (NASDAQ: TTWO):

-Special Forces Veteran Advises Game Developers in Assault on Bagdad-

Take-Two Interactive Software, Inc. (NASDAQ: TTWO) today announced Conflict: Desert Storm(a), a new squad-based action game, to be available for the PlayStation(R)2 computer entertainment system, Xbox(TM), GameCube(TM) and the PC in Fall 2002.

Published in North America by Take-Two through a licensing arrangement with SCi, Conflict: Desert Storm lets players lead a squad of four fearless soldiers on missions deep in enemy territory.

Based on the 1991 Gulf War, Conflict: Desert Storm is a squad-based action game, where the player takes control of an elite Special Forces SAS or Delta Force Unit, ordered behind enemy lines to infiltrate enemy territory and neutralize key targets. Cameron Spence, an ex-member of 22 Special Air Service (SAS) is advising SCi on the logistics and realism of the game.

"Conflict: Desert Storm is a heart-stopping thrill ride featuring realistic tactical action designed in co-operation with an SAS officer," said Kelly Sumner, Chief Executive Officer of Take-Two Interactive, Inc. "Gamers will immerse themselves in an experience that is as close as it gets to real action."

### 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(R), PlayStation(R)2, Xbox (TM), Nintendo Game Boy Color, Nintendo GameCube and Nintendo Game Boy Advance. The Company publishes and develops products through various wholly owned subsidiaries including: Rockstar Games, Rockstar Studios, Gathering of Developers, TalonSoft, Joytech, PopTop, Global Star and under the Take-Two brand name. The Company maintains sales and marketing offices in Cincinnati, New York, Toronto, London, Paris, Munich, Vienna, Copenhagen, Milan, Sydney 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](http://www.take2games.com).

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### About SCi

Formed in 1988, SCi has published for all major platforms including PlayStation, PlayStation 2, Nintendo N64, Game Boy Color, Game Boy Advance and PC CD-ROM. The company's innovative product range includes smash hits such as the Carmageddon (TM) range, Thunderbirds(TM) and The Italian Job(TM). SCi is one of the longest established software publishers in the UK and one of the few independent companies in the games industry.

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(a) This title is not officially approved by Sony Computer Entertainment America.

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