



Webcast Alert: The Thomson Corporation To Webcast 2004 Investor Day Conference - October 6, 2004

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STAMFORD, Conn. and TORONTO, Oct. 1 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- The Thomson Corporation (NYSE: TOC; TSX: TOC) today announced that it will provide a live webcast of the Corporation's Investor Day Conference on October 6, 2004.

What: President and CEO, Richard J. Harrington, and other Thomson executives will discuss the Corporation's growth strategy, business highlights and overall market conditions.

When: Wednesday, October 6, 2004 @ 9:30 a.m. (EDT)

How: To access the webcast, simply log on to:

http://www.thomson.com/corp/investor_relations/ir_home.jsp

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Minimum Requirements to listen to broadcast:

The Windows Media Player software, downloadable free from <http://www.microsoft.com/windows/windowsmedia/EN/default.asp> and at least a 28.8Kbps connection to the Internet.

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