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Rank opens new G Casino in Coventry

The Rank Group Plc ("Rank" or "the Group") announces the opening today of a new G Casino at the Ricoh Arena in Coventry.

The casino was acquired from Isle of Capri for a cash consideration of £650,000 in April 2009 and has been re-launched under Rank's G Casino brand after an investment of £1 million to reconfigure the site.

The launch of the 44,000 sq ft Coventry G Casino brings the number of G Casinos operating in Britain to nine with a further G Casino in Sheffield scheduled to open before the end of the year. Recently, Rank announced its intention to grow the successful G Casino brand to 20 clubs by the end of 2012.

Rank's ambition is to broaden the appeal of the casino market in Britain by offering customers a wider range of gaming and non-gaming activities. The new G Casino in Coventry features a modern restaurant, a stylish bar, a sports lounge and one of the largest poker rooms in the UK. The casino also features 20 gaming tables, 20 gaming machines and 50 electronic roulette tables.

The first G Casino opened in Manchester in 2006. Since then seven more G Casinos have been added in Aberdeen, Blackpool, Bolton, Dundee, Luton, Thanet and London's Piccadilly Circus. In September 2009, Rank Interactive launched a new flagship online casino under the brand at gcasino.com.

Commenting on the new opening, Phil Urban, managing director of Rank's casinos business, said:

"I am delighted to be announcing a further G Casino opening in the UK, following the opening of the Dundee G Casino earlier this month. The Ricoh Arena is a great venue and we are proud to be a part of its future."

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About The Rank Group Plc

The Rank Group Plc ('Rank') is a leading European gaming and betting business, based in the UK and listed on the London Stock Exchange (RNK.L). Its principal activities are the operation of bingo clubs and casinos with complementary interactive gaming and bookmaking services.

Rank operates 35 casinos in Great Britain and two in Belgium. In addition, the Group holds a further 11 casino licences, which gives it scope for significant growth in this sector. A moratorium on the submission of applications for new casino licences in Great Britain was effected in April 2006.

For more information about The Rank Group, visit www.rank.com.

About the Ricoh Arena

The Ricoh Arena is a multi-purpose award-winning development which opened in 2005. It features state-of-the-art conference, exhibition and banqueting facilities, a boutique hotel, a health and fitness club, a bar and bistro and 2,000 on-site parking spaces. It is the home of Coventry City FC and this year has featured concerts from Take That, Kasabian and Oasis, amongst others.