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RETURN TO GRIDIRON GLORY AS MIDWAY ANNOUNCES *BLITZ: THE LEAGUE® II*

Sequel to Million Unit Selling Football Video Game Expected This Fall

London – July 8, 2008 - Midway Games Inc. (NYSE: MWY), a leading interactive entertainment software publisher and developer, announced today the development of *Blitz: The League® II*. Back for another season of heart-pumping, bone-crushing, no-holds-barred football action, *Blitz: The League II* strips the rules and regulations from traditional football to enhance the fun by bringing the pain. Complete with an all-new story mode penned by former ESPN “Playmakers” writer, Peter Egan, and the return of football legend, Lawrence Taylor, *Blitz: The League II* builds on the success of the previous release with new features and enhanced gameplay. *Blitz: The League II* is scheduled for release this fall for the Xbox 360® video game and entertainment system from Microsoft and the PLAYSTATION® 3 computer entertainment system.

“Professional football has long sought to gloss over the often brutal realities that surround the game and its players,” said Mona Hamilton, vice president of marketing, Midway Home Entertainment. “*Blitz: The League II* embraces the most compelling storylines behind America’s favorite sport and allows fans to experience them in a bold, interactive way.”

For additional information about *Blitz: The League II* visit www.blitzleague.com.

About *Blitz: The League II*

As the sequel to the more than one million unit selling and award-winning football experience, *BLITZ: THE LEAGUE II*, continues the franchise legacy as the ultimate alternative to the watered-down, licensed competition. In addition to an all-new story mode penned by Peter Egan (ESPN’s Playmakers), *BLITZ: THE LEAGUE II* features include: Precision-Aim Tackles, player-controlled touchdown celebrations, an enhanced on-the-field Clash Mode, online multiplayer capabilities, expanded rosters with all-new personalities, and the return of a cornerstone of the Blitz franchise...Late Hits! Football legend Lawrence Taylor returns as the

game's cover-athlete and star linebacker for the New York Nightmare, Quentin Sands, along with a star-studded supporting cast.

About Midway

Midway Games Inc. (NYSE: MWY), headquartered in Chicago, Illinois, with offices throughout the world, is a leading developer and publisher of interactive entertainment software for major videogame systems and personal computers. More information about Midway and its products can be found at www.midway.com.

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