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**STAR CRUISES ON 9-DAY ROAD SHOW IN AUSTRALIA**

3 June, 1999 - In recognition of Australia as the largest fly/cruise market, Star Cruises is pleased to announce a 9-day road show in Australia covering the main cities of Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne and Perth from June 7 to June 15, 1999.

The road show will be headed by Mr Colin Au, President and Chief Executive of Star Cruises and Mr Gary Sharman, Vice-President for Sales and Marketing for Australia, Europe and the Americas.

During the road show, Star Cruises will brief agents, wholesalers and travel executives:

on the development plans of Star Cruises launch the maiden relocation cruise of SuperStar Virgo from Mumbai to Singapore, and unveil the general arrangement plans for the US\$400 million, 91,000-gross ton, SuperStar Libra, the largest and fastest Panamax ship in the world to be delivered in 2001.

Star Cruises will strengthen its relationship with the Australian travel agents, wholesalers and the travel industry with the ability to offer 4 world-class ships ñ the SuperStar Gemini, SuperStar Europe, SuperStar Leo and SuperStar Virgo from the main embarkation fly/cruise hubs of Singapore, Kuala Lumpur, Bangkok, Hong Kong and Phuket. Cruise passengers can also cruise on the Star series ships Star Aquarius and Star Pisces from Taipei to the Okinawa Islands in Japan and from Kobe/Osaka to Beppu, (the most famous hot spring area in Japan),

Pusan and Cheju (Korea). "Star Cruises is the only cruise line focused on cruising in Asia-Pacific, delivering world-class cruises in four world-class ships at affordable prices. Australian agents can package year-round 2, 3, 5, 10 and 12-night cruises calling at up to 6 Asia-Pacific countries on these four ships," says Mr Colin Au, President and Chief Executive of Star Cruises.

"As we take delivery of the new 91,000-gross tonne SuperStar Libra and SuperStar Scorpio, in 2001 and 2002, we will be evaluating new itineraries that will add diversity and be attractive to cruise passengers from around the world," he added. Star Cruises, "The Leading Cruise Line in Asia-Pacific" is one of the five largest cruise lines in the world. By 2002, Star Cruises will have a fleet of 10 vessels with lower berth capacity of about 12,000 with annual growth of 25% per year for the corresponding period.

Star Cruises has also one of the youngest cruise fleets in the world with ships based throughout Asia with Singapore, Port Klang, Phuket, Bangkok, Hong Kong, Taipei and Osaka/Kobe as ports of embarkation by early 2000. Star Cruises has offices in Australia (Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane and Perth), Asia (China, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Singapore, Taiwan and Thailand), Europe (Austria, Germany, Sweden and United Kingdom) and the United States of America.

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