



Webcast Alert: The Thomson Corporation Presents at the Merrill Lynch Advertising/Marketing, Education & Information Conference - March 9, 2005

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STAMFORD, Conn., March 2 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- The Thomson Corporation (NYSE: TOC; TSX: TOC) announces the following Webcast:

What: Richard J. Harrington, President and CEO, will present at the Merrill Lynch Advertising/Marketing, Education & Information Conference

When: March 9, 2005 @ 9:30 a.m. EST

Where: <http://www.thomson.com>

How: Live over the Internet -- To participate in the webcast, visit <http://www.thomson.com> and click on "Investors" at the top of the page, then Executive Presentations on the left side of the page.

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The webcast will be archived at <http://www.thomson.com>.

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