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Cayman National & CITN/Cayman 27 Sign Up As Quincentennial Sponsors

The Minister for Tourism, the Hon. McKeeva Bush and the Quincentennial Celebrations Office are pleased to announce that Cayman National and CITN/Cayman27 have joined the Quincentennial Celebrations as silver partners.

QCO Executive Director, Angela Martins is delighted with the support the Quincentennial Celebrations are receiving from the private sector; "The participation of Cayman National and CITN in next years' celebrations as silver partners is not solely about significant monetary donations; their involvement shows the level of commitment they have to our community and to these islands that both of these companies call home."

With their level of sponsorship, Cayman National will become the official bank of the Quincentennial. They have chosen to support a wide variety of activities ranging from exclusive branding of the Wall of History, providing all musical instruments for the establishment of the first ever Cayman Brac High School Band, providing uniforms for the National Youth Concert Band and funding the fireworks at the launch of the Quincentennial Celebration on New Years Eve 2002. Cayman National will also be funding the printing of an educational colouring book on the flora and fauna of the Cayman Islands which will be given to all primary age school children, donating art supplies for Art@Governors and participating as a major sponsor in the Technology Expo scheduled for April 2003.

Members of Cayman National's Executive Management Committee explained how Cayman National has more than one reason to celebrate in 2003; "As the country celebrates 500 years of recorded history in



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2003, Cayman National will also commemorate its 30th year of incorporation and providing quality service to the people of the Cayman Islands. It only seems appropriate that we would join in a partnership to celebrate the country's history and we are honoured to be the official bank of the Quincentennial Celebrations."

CITN/Cayman 27 will play a crucial role in the Quincentennial Celebrations and as such will become the official Quincentennial television station. They will be delivering live coverage of events throughout the year and providing a wide range of advertising and other promotional assistance which will ensure that all members of the community are aware of the events and activities that will be taking place throughout 2003. Explaining the reasons behind their involvement CITN Managing Director, Colin Wilson stated; "We feel strongly that the youth of the Cayman Islands in particular need to be proud of our 500 year old heritage, and as the official Quincentennial television station we have the opportunity to highlight all the events taking place during 2003."

For information on how you or your company can become involved in next years celebrations contact the Quincentennial Celebrations Office at 946-9992 or email info@cayman500.ky.

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