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**ONLINE REGISTRATION NOW OPEN FOR WSA SHOW, WORLD'S LARGEST FOOTWEAR AND ACCESSORIES SHOW, FEB. 10-13 IN LAS VEGAS**

**ENCINO, Calif., November 17, 2005** – WSA, host of the largest and most comprehensive marketplace for the global footwear and accessories industry, today announced that registration for the February 2006 Show is officially open at [www.wsashow.com](http://www.wsashow.com). The deadline for pre-registration is January 20, 2006. Registration for qualified buyers is a free, user-friendly online process. The show will take place February 10-13 in Las Vegas, Nevada and is being held in three venues: The Las Vegas Convention Center-South Hall, The Venetian, and the Sands Exposition Center

"The WSA Show is the 'must attend' event for the footwear and accessories industry," said Diane Stone, COO of WSA. "Only at the WSA Show will buyers, retailers, manufacturers and all industry professionals find the largest and most diverse selection of footwear and accessories - ranging from athletic to the ultra-luxurious. The WSA Show provides the ultimate venue for discovering new resources, networking, placing orders, and forming strategic alliances."

The next WSA Show, including The Collections at WSA, will take place February 10-13, 2006 in Las Vegas. The event will be held in three venues - The Las Vegas Convention Center-South Hall, the Sands Exposition Center and The Collections at WSA at The Venetian. Registration is free to qualified buyers and available online at [www.wsashow.com](http://www.wsashow.com). Registration information is also available at (888) 62-SHOES. The deadline for pre-registration is January 20, 2006. Renowned R&B group Earth, Wind & Fire and the legendary rock band Chicago will headline the traditional WSA Shoe Party concert benefiting The Two Ten Foundation on February 10, 2006, the opening night of the show. Tickets are priced at \$60 each and can be ordered online by registered industry professionals, including retail buyers, exhibitors and executives at [www.wsashow.com](http://www.wsashow.com).

**About the World Shoe Association (WSA)**

The WSA is the largest association serving the footwear trade. Twice a year in Las Vegas, it hosts the WSA Show, the largest and most comprehensive marketplaces for the footwear industry in the world. The WSA Shows provide a forum for footwear manufacturers, buyers and others allied to the footwear industry to showcase and review designer brand fashions and learn about other related products. With more than 35,000 participants and 6,000+ key brands from all over the world covering 1.9 million square feet of space, the WSA Show is the *must-attend* event for buyers of footwear, accessories and others allied to the industry. For more information, please visit [www.wsashow.com](http://www.wsashow.com).

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