Churchill Downs Incorporated to Present at Imperial Capital's 5th Annual Global Opportunities Conference on Oct. 6

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 3, 2011 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Churchill Downs Incorporated (Nasdaq:CHDN) today announced that Vice President of Corporate Finance and Treasurer Mike Anderson will present to attendees of the *Imperial Capital 5th Annual Global Opportunities Conference* on **Thursday, Oct. 6, at approximately 10:55 a.m. EDT.** The conference will take place at The Grand Hyatt Hotel in New York City.

A copy of the investor presentation will be available Oct. 6 through the "events and presentations" section of the company's investors relations website located at http://ir.churchilldownsincorporated.com/events.cfm.

Churchill Downs Incorporated ("CDI") (Nasdaq:CHDN), headquartered in Louisville, Ky., owns and operates four world-renowned Thoroughbred racing facilities: Arlington Park in Illinois, Calder Casino & Race Course in Florida, Churchill Downs Racetrack in Kentucky and Fair Grounds Race Course & Slots in Louisiana. CDI operates Harlow's Casino Resort & Hotel in Greenville, Miss., as well as slot and gaming operations in Florida and Louisiana. CDI tracks are host to North America's most prestigious races, including the Arlington Million, the Kentucky Derby and the Kentucky Oaks, the Louisiana Derby and the Princess Rooney. Churchill Downs Racetrack will host the Breeders' Cup World Championships for a record eighth time Nov. 4-5, 2011. CDI also owns off-track betting facilities; TwinSpires.com and other advance-deposit wagering providers; United Tote; television production, telecommunications and racing service companies such as Bloodstock Research Information Services; and an interest in the national cable and satellite network, HorseRacing TV. Information about CDI can be found online at www.churchilldownsincorporated.com.

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