

Press Release

POKERTEK SECURES NEW CREDIT FACILITY WITH SILICON VALLEY BANK

Matthews, NC – July 28, 2008: PokerTek, the industry pioneer and worldwide leader in automated poker tables and related software, announced today that it has entered into a commercial banking relationship, including a working capital based credit facility, with Silicon Valley Bank. The credit facility provides an additional source of liquidity for PokerTek and will be available to support the Company's working capital needs as it continues to execute its growth strategy.

The \$5.0 million credit facility has a one year term with a maximum availability of approximately \$4.1 million based on specified percentages of PokerTek's accounts receivable and inventory, which will vary from time to time. The credit facility carries an interest rate of prime plus 1.5% and includes covenants and other terms customary for this type of credit facility.

"We are pleased to partner with Silicon Valley Bank," said Mark Roberson, PokerTek's CFO. "We felt it was important to find a financial partner that understood our business and could offer a flexible, non-dilutive source of financing as we expand our footprint in the Casino and Amusement markets. Silicon Valley Bank is one of the premier commercial banks for emerging, growth and mature companies in the technology industry. Accordingly, they understand the working capital needs of fast-growth companies like PokerTek and this facility is a key financial building block for us."

About PokerTek:

PokerTek™, Inc. (NASDAQ: PTEK), headquartered in Matthews, NC, develops and markets PokerPro and PokerPro Heads-Up™, automated poker tables and related software applications developed to increase casino revenue, reduce expenses and attract new players into poker rooms. PokerTek entered the amusement space by introducing Heads-Up Challenge™, a heads-up poker table for bars and restaurants that targets adults who play for amusement only. PokerPro tables are located in the United States, Canada, Panama, Germany, Australia, South Africa and several major cruise lines. For more information, please visit the company's website at www.pokertek.com or contact Mark Roberson at 704.849.0860 x101.

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, which are made in accordance with the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. The forward-looking statements herein

include, but are not limited to, the expected adoption of the PokerPro systems by casinos and other customers and the expected acceptance of the PokerPro systems by players. Our actual results may differ materially from those implied in these forward-looking statements as a result of many factors, including, but not limited to, overall industry environment, customer acceptance of our products, delay in the introduction of new products, further approvals of regulatory authorities, adverse court rulings, production and/or quality control problems, the denial, suspension or revocation of permits or licenses by regulatory or governmental authorities, termination or non-renewal of customer contracts, competitive pressures and general economic conditions, and our financial condition. These and other risks and uncertainties are described in more detail in our most recent annual report on Form 10-K and other reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made. We undertake no obligation to update or revise such statements to reflect new circumstances or unanticipated events as they occur, except as required by applicable laws, and you are urged to review and consider disclosures that we make in the reports that we file with the Securities and Exchange Commission that discuss other factors germane to our business.