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INTERVIEW OF TIM PETROVIC

(Interview by tape.)

Q. Looks like you were in control today.

TIM PETROVIC: Yes, very much in control today. I got the ball around the course kind of in the positions that I wanted. I had a little hiccup on 18. I had 145 yards in there. I kind of leaked a 9-iron out and three putted it. You know, that happens. But overall I drove it really well. I felt like I might have left a couple out there but there were a couple of good stays out there.

Q. Looking at your numbers 12 of 14 fairways, 16 of 18 greens, 29 putts, tell me about the eagle at our Kodak challenge hole par 5, 16.

TIM PETROVIC: We were talking about it this week. I think I was four shots behind Spielman. I think he is leading. If I make a couple of eagles on the West Coast I might have to play Jackson. We got one. If I make one next week we might have to shoot on over there.

Q. Help me with my memory, but weren't you also tied for the lead at your last tournament Turning Stone after the opening round where you end up finishing third?

TIM PETROVIC: Yes, I was really proud of that round too. The weather was not cooperating with us that week. We had a great golf course. Unfortunately the weather didn't cooperate. We made the best of it. It was nice to get off to a good start and finish of the week on Monday.

Q. So you bring some momentum in here even though you had the week off for the President's Cup?

TIM PETROVIC: Yes, I'm hitting it really good. I'm doing a lot of things good. My game is well rounded. I think since I've been out

here on the TOUR since '02, I think my game is more rounded now than it every has been.

Q. Since you are hitting it well, seems like you have a little luck working maybe head down to the tables and press the luck.

**TIM PETROVIC:** I played a few slots this past weekend. I didn't do too bad. Then my wife came, I brought her and just gave it all back to her.

Q. Enjoy the night, we'll see you on Friday.

**TIM PETROVIC:** Thanks.

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