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**OPENTV TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS TO DELIVER KEY ELEMENTS TO BSKYB'S NEW INTEGRATED PERSONAL TELEVISION RECORDER**

Project To Receive Joint Marketing Effort

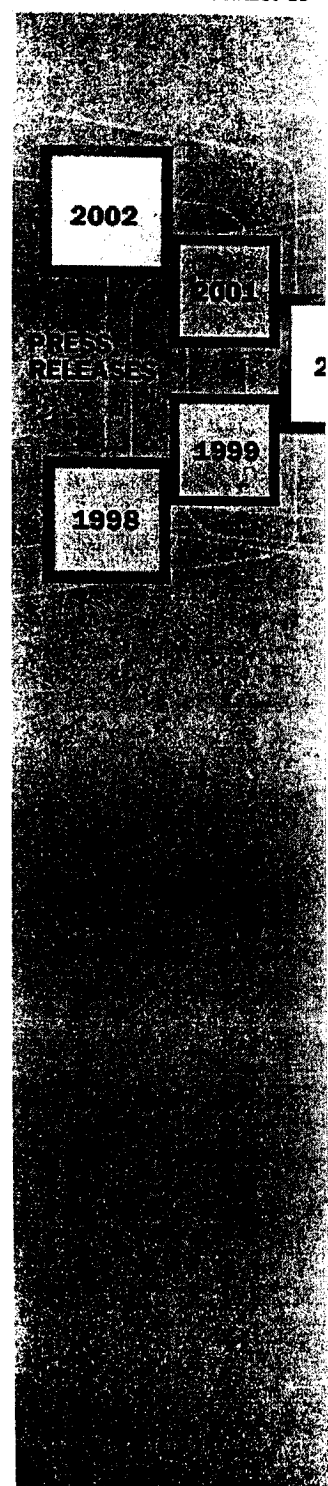
**LONDON -- January 25, 2001** — OpenTV (NASDAQ and AEX: OPTV), the world's leading interactive television and media solutions provider, proudly participates in the development of technology which will bring Sky's revolutionary Integrated Personal Television Recorder to market – a combined Sky Digital set-top-box decoder and 40 gigabyte advanced hard-disk recording facility. BSkyB customers will have available to them advanced interactive and personal TV services in one device.

OpenTV has developed a new multi-pipeline middleware for the recorder that includes extensions for the hard disk functionality and control of twin digital satellite tuners. This new middleware allows viewers to simultaneously watch one digital satellite program while recording another. OpenTV will also contribute approximately \$8 million to the development of the market and to assist in the promotion and sales of this new product to UK consumers.

"Sky was the first to launch interactive services and enhanced channels in the UK which OpenTV proudly participated in," notes OpenTV President James Ackerman. "Once again they are leading the way as the superior multichannel platform in the UK with the addition of Integrated Personal Television," adds James Ackerman. "This partnership is a great investment in the development of a revolutionary product which has opportunities for outstanding personalization and advanced interactive TV services," concludes James Ackerman.

Sky's Chief Operating Officer Richard Freudenstein said: "Sky prides itself at being at the forefront of technology development, specifically when it delivers such a substantial consumer benefit. The Integrated Personal Television Recorder is a truly 21st century home entertainment product. It will deliver all the existing advanced interactive and enhanced features Sky Digital customers love, plus offer the option for even greater choice and control over what they watch and when they watch it."

The Integrated Personal Television Recorder is the culmination of development work done by Sky and its technology partners, NDS, NEC, OpenTV and Pace Micro



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#### About OpenTV

OpenTV is the world's leading interactive television and media solutions company. OpenTV builds a complete software and infrastructure platform that enables digital interactive television and brings on-demand content to other digital communications devices. OpenTV solutions are crafted to meet the needs of all digital communications networks and include operating middleware, content applications, content creation tools, professional services expertise, and strategic consulting.

OpenTV software has been shipped with or installed in [an error occurred while processing this directive] digital set-top boxes worldwide and has been selected by 43 digital cable, satellite and terrestrial communications networks in over 50 countries, including BSkyB in the United Kingdom; TPS and Noos in France; PrimaCom in Germany; Via Digital in Spain; Stream in Italy; DIRECTV™ Latin America LLC; and EchoStar's DISH Network and USA Media in the U.S. In addition, 31 digital set-top box manufacturers have licensed OpenTV's software, and more than 1,100 developers have joined the company's OpenAdvantage developer program.

Worldwide headquarters for OpenTV is located in Mountain View, Calif. Information on OpenTV is available at [www.opentv.com](http://www.opentv.com).

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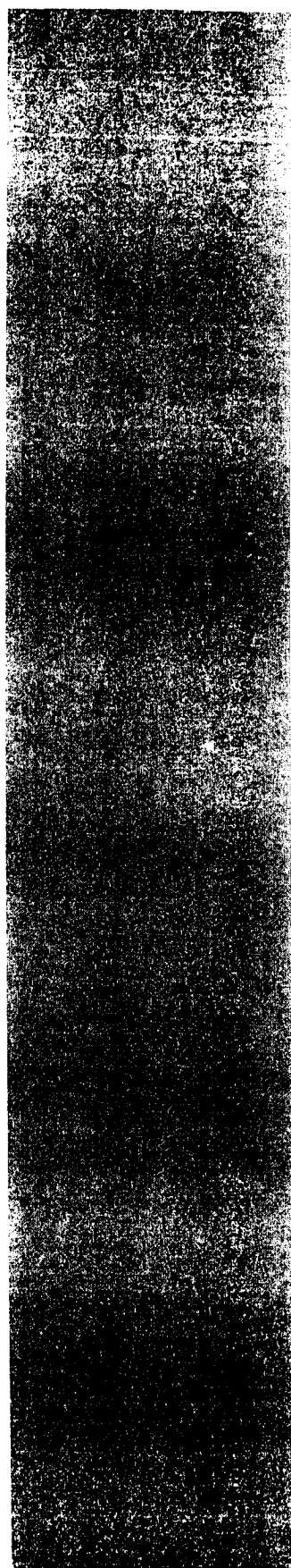
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