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STAR GAS PARTNERS TO REPORT FISCAL 2003 THIRD QUARTER RESULTS, HOST CONFERENCE CALL AND WEBCAST AUGUST 6

Stamford, CT, July 15, 2003 -- Star Gas Partners, L.P. (the "Partnership" or "Star") (NYSE: SGU, SGH) announced today that it will release its fiscal 2003 third quarter financial results before the market opens on Wednesday, August 6. Star's Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Irik Sevin will host a conference call and webcast that morning at 11:00 a.m. EDT.

Conference Call:

Wednesday, August 6, 2003 at 11:00 a.m. EDT

Dial-in Number:

800/899-5685 (U.S. & Canada), 212/676-5416 (International)

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For the conference call, please call five minutes in advance to ensure that you are connected. Questions and answers will be taken only from participants on the conference call. For the webcast, please allow 15 minutes to register and download and install any necessary software.

Star Gas Partners, L.P. is a leading distributor of home heating oil, propane and deregulated natural gas and electricity. Star Gas Partners, L.P. is the nation's largest retail distributor of home heating oil and the nation's seventh largest retail propane distributor. Star Gas Partners. L.P., through its wholly owned subsidiary Total Gas & Electric, also sells natural gas and electricity in the Northeast, Mid-Atlantic and Florida.