<u>Gewandhaus Orchestra of Leipzig</u> Cancelled on the 2004/05 Season at Cal Performances

BERKELEY, August 10, 2004 – Cal Performances regrets to announce the cancellation of **Gewandhaus Orchestra of Leipzig** led by **Herbert Blomstedt** and featuring pianist **Garrick Ohlsson** scheduled for **Saturday, October 9** at **8 p.m.** in Zellerbach Hall. No replacement is announced.

Due to the orchestra's recent loss of a major tour sponsor, it no longer has sufficient support to sustain the upcoming October tour to North America in its entirety. The four California concerts in Berkeley, Davis, Costa Mesa and Escondido, which were to open the tour, have been cancelled. The orchestra will still perform concerts in Ann Arbor, Washington, D.C., State College, Newark, Purchase and New York City.

Please refer to the enclosed press release for additional 2004/05 event cancellation information.

CALENDAR EDITORS, PLEASE NOTE:

CANCELLED EVENT

Saturday, October 9 at 8:00 p.m.

Zellerbach Hall, UC Berkeley Campus Bancroft Way at Telegraph, Berkeley

Orchestra Gewandhaus Orchestra of Leipzig Herbert Blomstedt, conductor Garrick Ohlsson, piano

Tickets: Ticket holders for this event have been refunded and will be notified of such in a separate letter from the Ticket Office.

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