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Snap-on Drivers Briscoe and Castroneves Finish Solid Indy Racing Seasons

Briscoe Second and Castroneves Fifth in Final Race

KENOSHA, Wis. – October 12, 2009 – With a second-place finish at the season-ending Indy 300 in Homestead, Fla. on October 10, Snap-on IRL driver Ryan Briscoe finished third overall in the season points standings. His Team Penske teammate Helio Castroneves ended the year fourth in the points standings, finishing fifth at Homestead.

“We want to congratulate everyone associated with Team Penske, especially Ryan and Helio, on their terrific seasons,” said Alicia Smales, vice president of marketing for Snap-on Tools. “In addition to their great success on the track, Ryan and Helio are great representatives for Snap-on. We had several customer events during the season attended by Ryan and Helio and we received phenomenal feedback from our customers and franchisees about them. They both also visited our Milwaukee manufacturing plant in June and our associates are still talking about it. Snap-on has had a great partnership with Roger Penske and his racing teams since 1980 and we were honored work with them again in the 2009 season.”

Briscoe ended the 2009 campaign with three victories and eight-second place finishes while Castroneves season was highlighted by capturing his third Indy 500 championship. Castroneves also won at Texas and had two second-place finishes. Team Penske’s third driver, Will Power also showed championship form, winning one race in a limited schedule that was cut short due to injury.

To learn more about Snap-on tools and its racing program, visit www.snapon.com/racing.

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