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## Andretti Finishes 16<sup>th</sup> at Infineon in NYSE Car

**SONOMA, Calif. (Aug. 26, 2007)** – Marco Andretti made a valiant effort to defend his title at Infineon Raceway but was involved in late-race contact at the Motorola Indy 300 and finished 16<sup>th</sup>.

The 2006 Infineon Raceway winner, who started eighth, was involved in contact on the opening lap in an effort to take seventh place. As Andretti settled into the race, the NYSE car was routinely turning the quickest laps of the race. On lap 34, Andretti passed Sam Hornish Jr. to move into sixth. As Andretti made his assault on the leaders, he was also able to conserve fuel. Following a pit stop on lap 45, Andretti's NYSE team gained him another position in the pits and he exited fifth.

Because he was able to save fuel, Andretti was one of the final drivers to make his last pit stop of the day. On lap 68, Andretti came in for a short stop and exited in the front of the field. As he exited the pits, contact was made between Andretti and Dario Franchitti. The contact ended Andretti's day.

Scott Dixon won the race. He was followed by Helio Castroneves and Franchitti.

The next event on the IndyCar Series schedule is the Detroit Indy Grand Prix. The next-to-last event on the 2007 IndyCar Series schedule will be broadcast live by ABC Sports at 3:30 p.m. (EDT) on Sunday, Sept. 2. The race can also be heard live on XM Satellite Radio channel 145.

### Marco Andretti, #26 NYSE Dallara/Honda/Firestone:

(ON THE INCIDENT WITH DARIO FRANCHITTI) "I feel like I left racing room so I don't know what else to say. It's tough when you bust your tail for 70 laps straight, finally get some track position and then that happens. I can't explain how hard it is to make that happen, especially in places where you can't pass. I was able to catch up to the leaders, while saving fuel, and then I caught them in the pits. It was a great day for the NYSE boys in the pits and our strategy was awesome. It's just unfortunate."

### Kyle Moyer, Race Strategist, #26 NYSE Dallara/Honda/Firestone:

"It's incredibly disappointing for the NYSE team today. Marco drove a fantastic race. He did everything we asked him today. He was able to stay with the leaders, while saving fuel and we were able to gain him some spots in the pits. It's just unfortunate how it ended."

2007 Motorola Indy 300 Results					
Pos.	Name	Laps	Pos.	Name	Laps
1	Scott Dixon	80	10	Kosuke Matsuura	80
2	Helio Castroneves	80	11	Buddy Rice	79
<b>3</b>	<b>Dario Franchitti</b>	<b>80</b>	12	Darren Manning	79
<b>4</b>	<b>Tony Kanaan</b>	<b>80</b>	13	Ed Carpenter	79
5	Sam Hornish Jr.	80	14	Scott Sharp	79
<b>6</b>	<b>Danica Patrick</b>	<b>80</b>	15	AJ Foyt IV	71
7	Dan Wheldon	80	<b>16</b>	<b>Marco Andretti</b>	<b>68</b>
8	Tomas Scheckter	80	17	Sarah Fisher	28
9	Vitor Meira	80	18	Ryan Hunter-Reay	5

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