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SKY Perfect JSAT Corporation

Takuya KIMURA new serial drama “HERO 2014”

to be TV Premiere in Southeast Asia!

Watch it Saturdays on WAKUWAKU JAPAN, starting August 16

SKY Perfect JSAT Corporation (Head Office: Minato-ku, Tokyo; Representative Director, President & Chief Executive Officer: Shinji Takada; hereinafter SKY Perfect JSAT) will air HERO 2014, which first aired on July 14 in Japan, will be shown on its WAKUWAKU JAPAN starting August 16.

WAKUWAKU JAPAN is a channel founded by SKY Perfect JSAT that began broadcasting in Indonesia on February 22, 2014, and offers the all Japanese content 24 hours a day in local languages. It is currently available in both Indonesia and Myanmar.

HERO 2014 was first broadcast by Fuji Television in Japan on July 14, and occupies the channel's most popular timeslot of 9 p.m. on Monday nights. WAKUWAKU JAPAN will begin airing HERO 2014 in Indonesia and Myanmar on August 16, and this will be the first broadcast of the series in Southeast Asia.

HERO 2014 is the second season of Fuji Television's hit serial drama, HERO which was originally broadcast in Japan in 2001, when it became a massive hit and was even adapted into a movie. It went on to achieve great popularity in Asia and the rest of the world as well. HERO received attention for its ensemble cast of popular and beloved characters. Iconic Japanese actor Takuya KIMURA, who also enjoys incredible popularity abroad, starred as an unconventional public prosecutor named Kohei Kuryu, working along with other distinctive members of the Josai branch of the Tokyo District Public Prosecutors Office. HERO 2014, continuing where the hugely popular first season left off and featuring a mostly new cast including popular actress Keiko KITAGAWA, is receiving a great deal of attention in Japan.

WAKUWAKU JAPAN will begin airing HERO 2014 on August 16. To help celebrate this broadcast, WAKUWAKU JAPAN will show the first season of HERO beginning on August 1. WAKUWAKU JAPAN hopes you enjoy these wonderful shows.

<Broadcast Information> All Broadcast schedules are subject to change

■HERO

Cast: Takuya KIMURA, Takako MATSU, Nene OTSUKA, Hiroshi ABE, Kiyoshi KODAMA, etc.

Time: Monday through Friday, from 19:00 (starting August 1)

■HERO 2014

Cast: Takuya KIMURA, Keiko KITAGAWA, Tetta SUGIMOTO, Norito YASHIMA, Fumiyo KOHINATA, Takuzo KAKUNO, etc.

Time: Saturdays from 20:00 (starting August 16)

* 『WAKUWAKU JAPAN』 official website : <http://www.wakuwaku-japan.tv/>