

Ventas Accelerates Release of 2006 Fourth Quarter and Year-End Earnings and Conference Call

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LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 22 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Ventas, Inc. (NYSE: VTR) ("Ventas" or the "Company") announced today that it will issue its 2006 fourth quarter and year-end earnings release after the close of trading on Tuesday, February 20, 2007, one week earlier than previously scheduled. A conference call to discuss those earnings will now be held on Wednesday, February 21, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time (9:00 a.m. Central Time). The call will be webcast live by CCBN and can be accessed at the Company's website at http://www.ventasreit.com or at http://www.earnings.com .

Ventas, Inc. is a leading healthcare real estate investment trust. Its diverse portfolio of properties located in 43 states includes independent and assisted living facilities, skilled nursing facilities, hospitals and medical office buildings. More information about Ventas can be found on its website at http://www.ventasreit.com .

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