Guns N' Roses return after nearly 20 Years to legendary London venue for a very Special Download Warm-up Show

London Hammersmith Apollo – Wednesday June 7th 2006 With special guests **Avenged Sevenfold**

The most exciting rock n' roll band in the world, **Guns N' Roses** are to play a special London show on June 7th at the London Hammersmith Apollo. **Guns N' Roses** are confirmed to headline at this years Download Festival on June 11th, with this being an unforgettable opportunity for fans to see them first in their warm-up show.

Hammersmith Apollo is an important part of the legendary band's history. They first performed there on October 8th 1987 as part of the Appetite for Destruction Tour. That was the last time they ever appeared in such an intimate venue in the UK after becoming one of the biggest and most exciting stadium acts ever. On the infamous 'Use Your Illusion/Get In The Ring' Tour of the early 90's, the band performed 92 shows in 27 countries over 26 months, playing to an incredible 7 million people. Getting tickets for this show is not going to be easy, so don't miss out!

This show is also going to make history for another reason. For the first time in the UK, **ticketrush.co.uk**, a mobile ticket platform, will be pioneering a new technology and offering music fans the chance to purchase tickets via their fully interactive mobile ticketing service. With this new technology, the ticket will be sent directly to your mobile phone and your phone will act as your ticket, which will entail being scanned on entry.

This performance will be Guns N' Roses first visit to the UK since they performed at the London Arena on August 26th 2002. The show was an instant sell out and the band performed new tracks alongside all of their greatest hits leaving the UK fans hungry for more. Guns N' Roses at Hammersmith is likely to be one of the most talked about gigs of the year.

Guns N' Roses will be joined by special guests, Californian rockers **Avenged Sevenfold**. Lead singer M. Shadows has publicly declared that the 'Use Your Illusion' albums are his favourite albums of all time.

Tickets are £37.50, plus booking fee and are available to the general public from 9:00am on Friday 19th May on the ticket hotline 0870 606 3400.