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   K or M

3) Nintendo releases the 'Game Boy'. Their first portable game system with changeable cartridges. (1989)  
   H or G

4) Nintendo releases the 'Famicom' in Japan. Their first home video game system. (1983)  
   D or G

5) Nintendo releases the 'NES' with Super Mario Bros. in America. (1985)  
   E or C

   G or H

7) Nintendo releases 'Donkey Kong'. (1981)  
   B or K

8) Nintendo releases the 'Game & Watch' portable game system. (1980)  
   H or A

9) The 3D 'Virtual Boy' is released. It receives only 22 games before being discontinued. (1995)  
   D or J

10) Universal Studios unsuccessfully sues Nintendo over the name 'Donkey Kong' for being too similar to 'King Kong'. (1982)  
    C or M