



## **For Immediate Release**

### **Howard Johnson Canada celebrates the best of 2009**

Oakville, ON (June 16, 2010) – Howard Johnson Canada Franchise Systems Limited is proud to announce their 2009 top performers.

#### **Award winners include:**

Heroes of Hospitality – Best Practices - Howard Johnson Hotel – Nanaimo, British Columbia  
Highest Wyndham Rewards Enrolments - Howard Johnson Hotel Granville – Vancouver, British Columbia  
Property of the Year - Howard Johnson Hotel and Suites – Victoria, British Columbia  
General Manager of the Year – Al Samji, Howard Johnson Inn – Red Deer, Alberta  
Best Overall Quality Assurance Award - Howard Johnson Inn – Red Deer, Alberta  
Greatest RevPar Increase Year Over Year - Howard Johnson Inn – Yorkton, Saskatchewan  
Best Housekeeping Award - Howard Johnson Inn – Yorkton, Saskatchewan  
Best Overall Customer Satisfaction - Howard Johnson Inn – Tillsonburg, Ontario

These properties will be recognized for their achievements at the brand's International conference this September in Las Vegas, Nevada.

"We are pleased to recognize these properties for their dedication to quality," said Glen Blake, president of Howard Johnson Canada Franchise Systems Limited, "their commitment to the brand is unmatched and they continue to go above and beyond for their guests. We are thrilled that they are part of our franchise family."

Fourteen Howard Johnson properties will also be recognized for achieving the brand's Gold Medal status, which represents a commitment to quality, consistency and service, with high marks on their Quality Assurance inspections. Five additional properties will be recognized as President's Award winners, which is the highest recognition for Quality Assurance.

#### **President's Award Winners:**

Howard Johnson Hotel & Suites – Victoria, British Columbia  
Howard Johnson Hotel – Victoria, British Columbia  
Howard Johnson Hotel – Vancouver, British Columbia  
Howard Johnson Inn – Red Deer, Alberta  
Howard Johnson Stastny Plaza-Hotel & Golf Resort – St-Nicolas, Quebec

#### **Gold Medal Award Winners:**

Howard Johnson Inn – Kamloops, British Columbia  
Howard Johnson Hotel – Port Alberni, British Columbia  
Howard Johnson Plaza-Hotel – Vancouver, British Columbia  
Howard Johnson Express Inn – Winnipeg, Manitoba  
Howard Johnson Inn - Fort Erie, Ontario

Howard Johnson Inn – Gravenhurst, Ontario  
Howard Johnson Hotel – Niagara Falls, Ontario  
Howard Johnson Inn – Scarborough, Ontario  
Howard Johnson Plaza-Hotel – Sudbury, Ontario  
Howard Johnson Inn – Tillsonburg, Ontario  
Howard Johnson Express Inn – Windsor, Ontario  
Howard Johnson Inn – Rigaud, Quebec  
Hôtel Howard Johnson – Quebec City, Quebec  
Howard Johnson Plaza-Hotel – Fredericton, New Brunswick

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Howard Johnson Canada Franchise Systems limited is an Oakville, Ontario based company, dedicated to the development, support and success of our current and prospective Howard Johnson properties across Canada. Our success in attaining our collective goals is a result of our dedication to the quality and service within each of our Howard Johnson properties.

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