



## Howard Johnson Canada recognizes top performers of 2006

*Nine properties receive new "Fresh Approach" Award*

Oakville, April 19, 2007 – Howard Johnson Canada recognized their top performers of 2006 during their annual awards ceremony, held Monday evening, at the Howard Johnson International conference in Orlando, Florida.

Howard Johnson Canada presented awards to eight of their properties recognizing outstanding performers and franchisee achievements.

"It is important that we recognize our top performers as they represent the experience and standards that we want our guests to have at all of our locations across Canada," said Glen Blake, President of Howard Johnson Canada.

Howard Johnson also awarded nine Canadian properties with their "Fresh Approach" Award which was introduced in 2006. This award was presented to properties which exemplify the company's new focus on a higher level of consistency, quality, service and support for their partners and guests.

The Howard Johnson Hotel downtown Vancouver was also awarded the International Property of the Year award for Canada, presented by Howard Johnson International.

Canadian awards winners included:

Greatest RevPar Increase Year Over Year:  
Howard Johnson Hotel, Edmonton

Highest TripRewards Enrollment:  
Howard Johnson Hotel, Vancouver

General Manager of the Year:  
Michael Rottboll, Howard Johnson Hotel, Victoria (West)  
Don Padley, Howard Johnson Inn, Timmins (East)

Most Improved Product:  
Ken Choch and Mike Sapozhnik, Howard Johnson Express Inn, Winnipeg

Marketing Award:  
Eric Marcon, Howard Johnson Hotel, Niagara Falls

Re-INN-ovation Project:  
Zahir Karim, Howard Johnson Inn, Regina

Franchisee of the Year:  
Ron Mundi

Howard Johnson "Fresh Approach Award":  
Howard Johnson Hotel, Aurora  
Howard Johnson Inn, Kamloops  
Howard Johnson Hotel, Niagara Falls  
Howard Johnson Inn, Regina  
Howard Johnson Inn, Rigaud  
Howard Johnson Plaza, Sudbury  
Howard Johnson Hotel, Vancouver  
Howard Johnson Hotel, Victoria  
Howard Johnson Express Inn, Windsor

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