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Howard Johnson Canada opens property in Hamilton, Ontario

Oakville, ON (April 30, 2009) – Howard Johnson Inn Canada announced today the opening of its newest franchise location in Hamilton, Ontario. The former Airport Inn has been undergoing renovations over the past 30 days to achieve Howard Johnson standards.

The property features 50 guest rooms, free wireless internet, free Rise & Dine continental breakfast, enhanced shower experience, onsite restaurants, Yuk Yuk's Comedy Club and free parking.

"We're thrilled to have the Howard Johnson Hamilton join our franchise family," said Glen Blake, president of Howard Johnson, "we know they will be an excellent choice for travellers looking for quality accommodations at great rates in the Hamilton area."

The property is located at 1187 Upper James Street, Hamilton, Ontario, directly off the Lincoln M. Alexander Parkway and minutes from the Hamilton Airport and Lime Ridge Mall.

"We're very excited to join the Howard Johnson Brand," stated Arya Kichi, General Manager of the new Howard Johnson Hamilton, "we're eager to differentiate ourselves in a competitive market place."

Howard Johnson is set to continue their expansion across Canada with an estimated 5 additional properties opening by June 30, 2009.

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For more information or to set up an interview with Glen Blake please visit www.IGOHJOJO.ca or contact Emily Kinread at: 905-829-4002 or ekinread@howardjohnson.ca

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