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Rendezvous Hotels and Resorts International to Manage Reef Terraces, Port Douglas

December 2005 –Rendezvous Hotels (Australia) Pty. Ltd. has been appointed to manage the Reef Terraces Port Douglas, to be re-named Rendezvous Reef Resort, Port Douglas. Rendezvous will assume management of the hotel on 8th December 2005. Rendezvous will undertake an upgrading program throughout the resort in 2006 including a refurbishment of guest rooms and villas, central facilities, restaurant, grounds and kids club.

Rendezvous CEO, Mr Alan Featherby, says, "Rendezvous is pleased to be adding this resort to its group in this beautiful part of Australia. We are very confident that under Rendezvous' guidance Rendezvous Reef Resort, Port Douglas will become an outstanding family resort in this exciting region, contributing strong growth and profitability to the group. This will bring to eleven the number of hotels and resorts operated by Rendezvous."

Rendezvous Reef Resort is located on Port Douglas Road, the major thoroughfare into the village of Port Douglas, approximately one kilometre from the central town area. The Resort is a spacious four star, garden resort complex spread out over 6 hectares and comprises 182 large 1,2 & 3 bedroom double story villas which feature two bathrooms, laundry and full size kitchen. The reception, tour desk, shop and restaurant are located in a central complex and guest facilities also include four swimming pools, a barbecue area and villa guest parking.

The Port Douglas region offers the tourist a wide range of attractions including the beach, fishing, gourmet food and great shopping, golf and access to the access to the Great Barrier Reef and wilderness areas of the Daintree region to the north. It has an atmosphere of casual exclusivity and relaxation in a picturesque tropical environment. Port Douglas is a popular domestic tourist destination with strong growth potential due to the unique attractions of the Tropical North Queensland region and abundant domestic airfares that offer value for money.

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Rendezvous Hotels (Australia) Pty Ltd is part of the Singapore listed public company Straits Trading Group (STC). The Rendezvous Hotels & Resorts International group currently operates 9 hotels in the Asia-Pacific region:

- *Rendezvous Observation City Hotel, Perth*
- *Rendezvous Sanctuary Resort, Broome*
- *Rendezvous Allegra Hotel, Adelaide*
- *The Marque Hotel, Melbourne managed by Rendezvous*
- *The Rendezvous Hotel, Melbourne*
- *Rendezvous Stafford Hotel, Sydney*
- *Rendezvous Hotel, Brisbane*
- *Rendezvous Hotel, Singapore*
- *Rendezvous Merry Hotel, Shanghai*
- *Rendezvous Baohong Hotel, Sanya*

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