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To,

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Listing Compliance,
Department of Corporate Services,

**BSE Limited,** 

Floor 25, P. J. Towers,

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Mumbai - 400 001

BSE Scrip Code: 532699

To,

The Manager,

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**Department of Corporate Services,** 

National Stock Exchange of India Limited,

Exchange Plaza, Plot no. C/1, G Block Bandra Kurla Complex, Bandra (E)

Mumbai - 400 051

**NSE Scrip Symbol: ROHLTD** 

Dear Sir/Madam,

Sub: Press Release for Appointment of Mr. Philip Logan as Chief Operating Officer

Pursuant to Regulation 30 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed herewith Press Release for appointment of Mr. Philip Logan as Chief Operating Officer.

This is for the information and records of the exchanges.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

For ROYAL ORCHID HOTELS LIMITED

AMIT JAISWAL
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

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# Press Release Royal Orchid Hotels Ltd

Appointment of Philip Logan as Chief Operating Officer Marks ROHL's Strategic Move in Brand

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# Bengaluru, June 19, 2023:

Royal Orchid Hotels Limited, a leading hospitality company with over 90 operational assets and a robust pipeline of 20+ openings in 2023/24 across South Asia, has announced the appointment of **Philip Logan** as its Chief Operating Officer (COO). In this pivotal role, Logan will spearhead the next phase of growth for the company.

Based at the corporate office in Bangalore, India, Logan will report directly to **Chairman & MD Mr. Chander K Baljee**. His responsibilities will include overseeing the day-to-day operations of both owned brands, Royal Orchid Hotels and Regenta Hotels. Baljee expressed his enthusiasm for Logan's arrival, stating, "We are excited to have Philip join our team at this crucial moment in the expansion of our brands."

Logan brings extensive experience in the Indian hospitality industry to his new position. He has successfully contributed to prestigious projects such as Emaar Properties HICC - Novotel Hyderabad and pre-opening support to Pullman-Novotel Aerocity. Additionally, Logan has worked with multiple brands of Accor, including IBIS, Mecure, Novotel, Grand Mercure, and Sofitel, across various locations in India. His expertise lies in effectively managing new projects, particularly during the pre-opening phase. Logan is highly regarded for his ability to collaborate closely with owners, ensuring their goals and brand objectives are met. Furthermore, he is committed to nurturing and developing individuals for leadership roles, and his mentorship has positively influenced many prominent people in the Indian hospitality industry.

After spending seven years abroad in London, Sydney, and Ayers Rock Australia, Logan is excited to return to India. Reflecting on his previous 12 years in the country, he stated, "While my previous focus was on introducing international brands to the Indian market, my role with Royal Orchid and Regenta Hotels will revolve around providing distinctly warm Indian service to both national and international audiences."

# **About Royal Orchid & Regenta Hotels:**

Regenta & Royal Orchid Hotels is one of India's fastest-growing hotel chains. It primarily operates 5-star, 4-star, and resorts, enabling it to target discerning business and leisure travelers. It currently operates 90+ hotels across India. Promoted by Chander K Baljee, Royal Orchid Hotels has become one of India's most well-known names in hospitality. Royal Orchid is listed on the Bombay & National Stock Exchanges (BSE & NSE) and is governed by an independent board of eminent directors.

The group has bagged many awards including The National Tourism Award 2008-09 organized by the Ministry of Tourism, Top 50 Brands for 2014 and 2015 by Paul Writer and most recently, the following:

- Mr Chander K Baljee awarded **Best Contribution to the Hospitality Industry** by the South India Hotel and Restaurant Association (SIHRA) at Annual Convention 2022 in South India.
- Mr Chander K Baljee was featured into the **India Today's 10 successful business leaders** from India to look out for in 2022.
- Mr Chander K Baljee has been honored **Super Star of the Hospitality Industry** by AHPWI at Indian Hospitality Leadership Award 2022.
- Mr. Chander K Baljee, was inducted into Hotelier India's CEO Powerlist, 2021.
- Hotelier India conferred Mr. Chander K Baljee, CMD of Royal Orchid & Regenta Hotels with **Hall of Fame Award in 2021**.
- 'Lifetime Achievement Award' conferred by International Hospitality Council in Association with IIHM Bangalore, 2019.

Our vision is to be the Preferred Hotel Chain for the discerning global traveler. The brand 'Regenta' is an extension of the Royal Orchid Hotel Group. It is designed for travelers whose watchword is value and convenience. It is categorized into Regenta, Regenta Central, Regenta Resort, Regenta Place and Regenta Inn.

### Forward looking statement

We have disclosed forward-looking information so that investors can comprehend the Company's prospects and make informed investment decisions. This release and other written and oral statements that we make periodically contain such forward-looking statements that set out anticipated results based on the Management's plans and assumptions. We have tried, wherever possible, to qualify such statements by using words such as 'anticipates', 'estimates', 'expects', 'projects', 'intends', 'plans', 'believes' and words and terms of similar substance in connection with any discussion of future operating or financial performance.

We do not guarantee that any forward-looking statement will be realized, although we believe we have been diligent and prudent in our plan and assumptions. The achievement of future results is subject to risk, uncertainties, and validity of inaccurate assumptions. Should known or unknown risks or uncertainties materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove inaccurate, our actual results could vary materially from those anticipated, estimated, or projected. Investors should bear this in mind as they consider forward-looking statements. We undertake no obligation to publicly update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise.