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GOLDEN PALM TREE BY SWISS-BELHOTEL SEA VILLAS AND SPA WELCOMES A NEW GENERAL MANAGER

Swiss-Belhotel International Chairman and President Gavin M. Faull is pleased to announce the appointment of **MR. BILL VINCENT** as General Manager of Golden Palm Tree by Swiss-Belhotel Sea Villas and Spa.

Mr. Vincent brings 34-years of managerial experience to his new role which he gained from working in China, Malaysia, the Philippines, Australia, and New Zealand.

Mr. Vincent has had experience in 5-star properties for Holiday Inn, Crowne Plaza and InterContinental. He especially has a strong background in the rooms division and food & beverage.

The New Zealander, most recently held the position of General Manager in Holiday Inn Nanjing, China.

Gavin M. Faull said, "With Mr. Vincent's vast experience, he will be a real asset to the Group and will make a substantial contribution to the success of Golden Palm Tree by Swiss-Belhotel Sea Villas and Spa. I welcome him to Swiss-Belhotel International."

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About Swiss-Belhotel International

Swiss-Belhotel International is a rapidly expanding management company. Headquartered in Hong Kong (SAR), it manages hotels in Asia and the Middle East including **CHINA:** *Changchun, Hefei, Wuhan (2 hotels)* • **VIETNAM:** *Halong Bay, Hanoi, Hoi An, Danang (2009), Bien Hoa (2010)*• **PHILIPPINES:** *Pasig City, Metro Manila, Quezon City (2009), Cagayan de Oro (2010), Makati (2011)*• **MALAYSIA:** *Selangor (2009), Kuantan (2010), Kota Kinabalu (2010), Kuala Lumpur (2011)* • **INDONESIA:** *Medan, Batam (2 hotels), Jakarta (1 operating hotel, 1 hotel will open in 2009), Bogor (2011), Bandung, Semarang, Surabaya, Banjarmasin, Samarinda, Balikpapan (2010), Palangka Raya (2010), Tarakan, Bali (2 operating hotels, 1 hotel will open in 2010), Manado, Palu, Kendari (2009), Ambon (2009), Manokwari, Jayapura*• **AUSTRALIA:** *Sydney* • **KUWAIT:** *Kuwait* • **JORDAN:** *Dead Sea (2010)*• **OMAN:** *Sohar, Masirah Island* • **QATAR:** *Doha* • **SAUDI ARABIA:** *Sharma (2010)* • **UNITED ARAB EMIRATES:** *Dubai (2009), Sharjah (2011)* • **YEMEN:** *Sana'a (2010)*

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