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### **Suntec Singapore International Convention and Exhibition Centre Conferred Heritage Award**

**Singapore, 29 May 2008** - Suntec Singapore International Convention and Exhibition Centre, Asia's leading convention centre, has been conferred Partner of Heritage Award 2007.

The Patron of Heritage Awards is set up by the National Heritage Board (NHB) to recognise the wonderful donations and contributions of selfless individuals and organisations who have given to heritage causes. The award was given out by the Minister for Information, Communications and the Arts Dr Lee Boon Yang at the Asian Civilisations Museum.

A long time supporter of the arts and heritage, Suntec Singapore, Asia's leading convention centre, has contributed generously towards the promotion and organisation of various activities relating to heritage and preservation.

"We are truly honoured with this award which recognises our efforts in providing a platform to further enhance the development of heritage in Singapore," said CEO Pieter Idenburg. "This city-state is evolving into a cultural hub and we are glad that Suntec Singapore has played its part in contributing to this effort."

The convention centre has been actively promoting heritage events through close partnership with the Singapore Art Museum since 2004.

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### **About Suntec Singapore**

Suntec Singapore is a world-class venue located at the heart of Asia's most integrated meetings, conventions and exhibitions hub. With 100,000sqm of versatile floor space over six levels, this award-winning facility can cater to events from 10 to 20,000 persons. In addition, Suntec Singapore - Asia's Convention City offers direct access to 5,200 hotel rooms, 1,000 retail outlets, 300 restaurants and the region's newest centre for the performing arts, Esplanade - Theatres on the Bay. While only 20 minutes from Changi International Airport, Suntec Singapore is conveniently located adjacent to the Central Business District and just minutes from the city's entertainment and cultural attractions.

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