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APPOINTMENT OF PIETER IDENBURG TO THE POSITION OF CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER AT SUNTEC SINGAPORE

Singapore, 18 January 2007 - Suntec Singapore International Convention & Exhibition Centre, Asia's leading convention centre, has appointed Pieter Idenburg to the newly-created position of Chief Operating Officer with immediate effect.

In his new role, Pieter Idenburg will assume responsibility for the day to day operation of the Centre. He will also oversee and provide direction and structure to the convention centre's food and beverage and banquet operations, the sales and marketing and operational initiatives of the centre, as well as implementing programs to ensure the development and enhancement of 'Suntec Singapore. Asia's Convention City'.

Pieter Idenburg is not new to the organisation, having been with Suntec Singapore since 2005 as the centre's Senior Director of Business Operations, and having helmed projects such as the building enhancement and the complex Suntec Singapore venue operations for the recent IMF-World Bank Annual Meetings 2006.

Prior to joining Suntec Singapore, Pieter Idenburg, a self-proclaimed global citizen, had worked in the United States, Europe and Asia in senior management positions in both the airline and hotel industry as well as in the entertainment industry.

“Pieter’s new appointment is part of our constant efforts to attract and also to retain good people, key to our continued strategy to further strengthen our position as a leading convention centre in Asia. “, says Warren J Buckley, CEO of Suntec Singapore.

Pieter Idenburg is originally from the Netherlands and is fluent in English, Dutch and German. He is married to a Singaporean and they have two children.

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About Suntec Singapore

Suntec Singapore is a world-class venue located in the heart of Asia's most integrated meetings, conventions and exhibitions hub. With 100,000sqm of floor space on six levels, this award-winning facility can cater to events from 10 to 12,000 persons. In addition, Suntec Singapore - Asia's Convention City offers direct access to 5,200 hotel rooms, 1,000 retail shops, 300 restaurants and the region's new 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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