

Brussels, March 12, 2007

Opening of the Radisson SAS Hotel Marseille

The Rezidor Hotel Group has opened the new Radisson SAS Hotel Marseille. Located in the heart of the lively quarter Vieux Port (Old Harbour) – next door to the La Criée National Theater and close to the Opera – the first class property features 189 rooms. It increases the total number of new Rezidor-rooms opened in 2007 to 2.291. Between 2007 and 2009, Rezidor will add 20.000 rooms to its portfolio.

The hotel is part of Radisson's "new breed" generation – with a modern and contemporary design reflecting a relaxed Mediterranean atmosphere and the flair of the harbour. It comprises two buildings ("Vieux Port" and "Citadelle") with 189 rooms and suites in the distinct styles Provencal and African, with state-of-the-art technology such as flatscreen TV and free highspeed Internet access. The chic restaurant "Solaris" shows a modern Le Corbusier spirit; the young Executive Chef Jérôme Martens serves refined Mediterranean menus inspired by Spain, Morocco, Italy and Greece. The café "Terracotta" is a cosmopolitan brasserie, and the lounge bar "Scirocco" tempts with tapas, drinks and music.

Guests at the Radisson SAS Marseille benefit as well from an outdoor pool with fabulous views, a modern gym and a solarium. For those staying in the French city for business reasons, the hotel offers 11 meeting rooms spread over 672 square meters.

Facts & Figures:

Property:	Radisson SAS Hotel Marseille (new opening)
Contract:	Lease
Rooms:	189

Total number of new Rezidor-rooms opened in 2007: 2.291

For further information, please contact:

The Rezidor Hotel Group

Investor relations: Christiane Reiter, +49 172 454 9970, Christiane.Reiter@Rezidor.com

Media relations Scandinavia: Kristina Windset, +46 70 590 86 38, Kristina.Windset@Rezidor.com

Notes to Editors:

The Rezidor Hotel Group is one of the fastest growing hotel companies in the world. The group features a portfolio of 279 hotels in operation and under development with more than 57600 rooms in 47 countries.

Rezidor operates the brands **Radisson SAS Hotels & Resorts**, **Regent International Hotels**, **Park Inn** and **Country Inns & Suites** in Europe, Middle East and Africa, along with the goldpoints plusSM loyalty program for frequent hotel guests. Rezidor has signed a worldwide license agreement with the Italian fashion house Missoni, in order to develop and operate a lifestyle hotel brand of the same name: **Hotel Missoni**.

In November 2006, Rezidor was listed on the Stockholm Stock Exchange. With 35%, Carlson Companies currently is the main shareholder.

The Corporate Office of the Rezidor Hotel Group is based in Brussels, Belgium.

For more information on Rezidor, visit www.rezidor.com