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AUDITORS' REPORT ON CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

To the Shareholders of NH Hoteles, S.A.:

- We have audited the consolidated financial statements of NH HOTELES, S.A. AND SUBSIDIARIES comprising the consolidated balance sheet at 31 December 2009 and the related consolidated income statement, consolidated statement of recognised income and expense, consolidated statement of changes in equity, consolidated statement of cash flows and notes to the consolidated financial statements for the year then ended. The preparation of these consolidated financial statements is the responsibility of the Parent's directors. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole based on our audit work performed in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards in Spain, which require examination, by means of selective tests, of the evidence supporting the consolidated financial statements and evaluation of their presentation, of the accounting policies applied and of the estimates made. Our work did not include an examination of the financial statements of certain Group companies whose assets at 31 December 2009 and revenue in 2009 represented approximately 22% and 29%, respectively, of the Group's totals, and which contributed a net loss of approximately EUR 14 million to the consolidated net result for 2009. The financial statements of these companies were examined by other auditors, as indicated in Appendix I to the notes to the accompanying consolidated financial statements. Our opinion as expressed in this report is based, with respect to the ownership interests in these companies, solely on the reports of the other auditors.
- 2. As required by Spanish corporate and commercial law, for comparison purposes the Parent's directors present, in addition to the consolidated figures for 2009 for each item in the consolidated balance sheet, consolidated income statement, consolidated statement of recognised income and expense, consolidated statement of changes in equity, consolidated statement of cash flows and notes to the consolidated financial statements, the figures for 2008. Our opinion refers only to the consolidated financial statements for 2009. On 27 February 2009, we issued our auditors' report on the 2008 consolidated financial statements, in which we expressed an unqualified opinion.



- 3. In our opinion, based on our audit and on the reports of the other auditors referred to in paragraph 1 above, the accompanying consolidated financial statements for 2009 present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated equity and consolidated financial position of NH Hoteles, S.A. and Subsidiaries at 31 December 2009 and the consolidated results of their operations, the changes in the consolidated equity and their consolidated cash flows for the year then ended, and contain the required information, sufficient for their proper interpretation and comprehension, in conformity with International Financial Reporting Standards as adopted by the European Union applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.
- 4. The accompanying consolidated directors' report for 2009 contains the explanations which the Parent's directors consider appropriate about the Group's situation, the evolution of its business and other matters, but is not an integral part of the consolidated financial statements. We have checked that the accounting information in the consolidated directors' report is consistent with that contained in the consolidated financial statements for 2009. Our work as auditors was confined to checking the consolidated directors' report with the aforementioned scope, and did not include a review of any information other than that drawn from the Group's accounting records.

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