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Grace International acquires The Huntington Hotel, San Francisco

November 11, 2011 - Singapore-based hospitality group, Grace International, established in 2004, is pleased to announce the group's acquisition of the iconic Huntington Hotel, San Francisco on November 2, 2011.

The acquisition marks the company's expansion plans beyond Singapore with a focus on luxury properties. Grace International had set the trend of small, upscale boutique hotels with style and panache when it opened The Scarlet, the first luxury boutique hotel in Singapore in December 2004.

Located atop San Francisco's famed Nob Hill at California and Taylor streets where famed cable cars coast along, The Huntington Hotel is well known for its long-standing tradition of high standards, gracious service and quiet, understated luxury.

San Francisco presents an ideal platform for Grace International to introduce its unique brand of bespoke service. The city offers a picture-perfect environment, with its notable charm and fascinating diversified communities, innovation and entrepreneurship. Long known as home to the affluent and being one of San Francisco's signature neighbourhoods, Nob Hill is a true gem not to be ignored.

"This signifies the turn of a new era in our efforts to establish presence in the global market - the desire to redefine guests' experiences with our passion, creativity, style and recognize each guest as an individual. We are extremely delighted with this acquisition and excited about contributing to an intriguing mix of different cultures and vibes", says Executive Director, Geeson P. Lawadinata.

About Grace International

Grace International is a Singapore-based luxury hotel group that manages the acquisition, conceptualization and development of boutique hotels, backed by a team of highly dedicated professionals of foresight and creativity. www.grace-int.com. The group currently owns and manages The Scarlet, the first luxury boutique hotel, www.thescarlethotel.com and The Saff, www.thesaffhotel.com in Singapore. Grace International has embarked on a strategic expansion policy in North America and United Kingdom.

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