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“WE GOT YOUR BAG” BRINGS HOLIDAY CHEER TO AIR TRAVEL
Kimpton Helps Guests Forget Fees and Ease Stress This Holiday Season

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., October 15, 2008 — The first hotel company to ease the pain of additional airline fees, Kimpton has extended the “We Got Your Bag” offer through December 31, 2008. At Kimpton hotels throughout the U.S. and Canada, guests simply need to show proof of a second checked baggage fee upon check in to receive a room credit in that amount, up to \$25. This money-saving offer comes just in time for holiday travelers hitting the road with bulky bags in tow.

“At a time when travelers need it most, we are extending our ‘We Got Your Bag’ offer, which helps guests save money and skip on stress,” said Mike Depatie, president and CEO of Kimpton Hotels & Restaurants. “Giving our guests relief from these new fees is how we hope to make the holidays a little happier.”

For more information about Kimpton visit www.kimptonhotels.com or call 1(800)-KIMPTON.

“We Got Your Bag” is offered now through December 31, 2008 at most of Kimpton’s 42 hotels; must show proof of airline charge for second bag at time of check-in; promotion limited to one bag only; valid only with Best Available Rate booking; additional taxes and fees may apply; credit card guarantee required; promotion cannot be combined with other rate/promotional offers; not valid for discounted or negotiated rates, groups or existing reservations; certain restrictions may apply; Kimpton Hotels reserves the right to cancel reservations booked with erroneous room rates and/or existing offers.

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ABOUT KIMPTON

San Francisco-based Kimpton Hotels & Restaurants is the first and leading collection of boutique hotels, throughout the United States and Canada. Founded in 1981 by Bill Kimpton, every Kimpton hotel features personalized guest services, comforting in-room amenities, specialty rooms and suites, and provides a range of exciting culinary experiences through affiliated top-rated destination chef-driven restaurants. Kimpton takes pride in its commitment to social responsibility and leads the hospitality industry in ecological practices through its innovative EarthCare programs. Privately held, Kimpton received the highest ranking in customer satisfaction scores by the Market Metrix Hospitality Index for the entire year of 2007, exceeding all other hotel companies, including those in both the luxury and upscale segment. Among the company's newest properties are the Hotel Monaco Alexandria and Jackson 20 restaurant in Virginia, which opened in January 2008, and the Hotel Palomar Los Angeles in Westwood and the adjacent BLVD 16 restaurant. Additional projects are underway in Florida, Philadelphia, Atlanta, Baltimore, Chicago and Virginia. For more information, please visit www.KimptonHotels.com or call 1-800-KIMPTON.