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**Delta Hotels and Resorts named one of Canada's 50 Best Employers**  
**Canada's leading hotel management company ranks in top 20 for 11<sup>th</sup>**  
**consecutive year**

**29/10/2010 – Kitchener, ON** – Delta Hotels and Resorts was ranked 14<sup>th</sup> on the “50 Best Employers in Canada” list by Aon Hewitt. This is the eleventh consecutive year Delta has placed on the list.

“We are honoured to once again join the ranks of Canada’s 50 Best Employers,” said Alan Boivin. “We have a special culture here at Delta Kitchener-Waterloo and that’s really because of all the people who work here. And that gets translated to the guests who stay at our hotel – our employees make them feel at home.”

The 50 Best Employers study measures employee engagement, not just satisfaction or benefits programs. Engagement is about employees’ level of commitment and accountability for improving business results.

“The great thing about the team here at Delta Kitchener-Waterloo is that we are all committed to not only making KW a great place to visit, but also a better place to live. We saw that with Habitat for Humanity volunteerism, Adopt-a-Road efforts and The Great KW Sandwich Race in support of St. Johns Kitchen this year,” said Alan Boivin. “They worked hard to raise money and awareness and continue to help strengthen our community every day.”

The list of the 50 Best Employers in Canada, along with highlights from the research findings, will be published in the November 8th issue of *Maclean’s* magazine, available on newsstands on October 28, 2010. La Presse will publish the list with editorial content approximately a week later.

**About Delta Hotels and Resorts**

A leading Canadian hotel management company, Delta Hotels and Resorts operates and franchises a diversified portfolio with 45 full-service, city centre and airport hotels and resorts under the Delta brand. Widely regarded as Canada’s “brand of choice” by guests and owners, Delta also distinguishes itself as an exemplary employer. It is the only hotel company to have been recognized for its sustained focus on business excellence by the prestigious National Quality Institute with three Canada Awards for Excellence, including the award program’s highest honour, the Order of Excellence (2007). The company also consistently ranks as one of the country’s best employers in The Globe and Mail’s Report on Business annual “50 Best Employers” list (2001–2003, 2005–2010). As well, its Corporate Social Responsibility platform, Delta Helps, includes a chain-wide commitment to the communities it serves through a national partnership with Habitat for Humanity Canada, participation in the Hotel Association of Canada’s Green Key Eco-Rating program, and work with various other charitable groups. For more information, visit [www.deltahotels.com](http://www.deltahotels.com).

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