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CONNECTICUT CONVENTION CENTER NAMES NEW DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES

HARTFORD, CT --- The Connecticut Convention Center recently named David Goldstein as its new Director of Human Resources. In his role David will be responsible for staffing associates at all levels, working on benefit design and delivery, performance management, along with project management assistance at the Executive level.

David's prior experiences come from St. Vincent's Special Needs Services in Trumbull, CT where he was the Director of Human Resources. St. Vincent's Special Needs Services is a large non-profit organization providing specialized education, therapeutic services, adult day care programs, and adult and children's residential homes for children and adults who are developmentally disabled. Prior to his work at St. Vincent's, David was the Director of Human Resources for Bridgeport Machines; a world class leader in the manufacturing and distribution of metal cutting machines.

David has many years of experience with Human Resource responsibilities. From staffing and benefit representation; to employee relations, organization development and mentoring. With over 25 years of progressive, hands-on and strategic experience within multiple industries; we welcome David and all of his new and creative ideas as the newest member of our team!

About the Connecticut Convention Center

The Connecticut Convention Center in Hartford is the state's premier meeting venue and the largest full-service convention facility between New York and Boston. Overlooking the beautiful Connecticut River, it features 140,000 square feet of exhibition space, a 40,000-square-foot ballroom and 25,000 square feet of meeting space, as well as ample sheltered parking. The facility is served by more than 6,500 local area hotel rooms, including the 22-story Marriott Hartford Downtown, adjacent to the Convention Center. The venue is professionally managed for the State of Connecticut by Waterford Venue Services, an affiliate of Waterford Hotel Group. For more information, please visit www.ctconventions.com.

About Waterford Venue Services

Waterford Venue Services is a subsidiary of Waterford Hotel Group, Inc., with headquarters in Waterford, CT. Waterford Hotel Group currently manages 24 properties in 7 states, including the 540,000 square foot Connecticut Convention Center. Waterford Hotel Group has experience operating virtually every type of hotel property, including limited services properties, all-suite hotels, conference centers, and large full service and resort properties. The company's approach to hotel development and operations is hands-on, and features frequent site visits and constant communication with customers and partners. Additionally, Waterford Hotel Group offers centralized accounting, financial reporting, strategic marketing, human resources, and day-to-day operations management systems to increase market share and profitability at all properties. For more information, please visit the company's website at www.waterfordgroup.net

