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Mr Peter A Knipp Peter Knipp Holdings Pte Ltd (Co-Organiser, World Gourmet Summit) 102F Pasir Panjang Road #05-06 Citibank Complex Singapore 118530

Dear Mr Knipp

## **WORLD GOURMET SUMMIT 2002**

Thank you for your letter dated 17<sup>th</sup> of April 2002, in which you expressed your appreciation and gratitude for Grand Hyatt Singapore's participation at the recent World Gourmet Summit (WGS) 2002.

I will certainly convey your appreciation to the employees whom you have singled out, as having worked dedicatedly during the Summit ie. Gottfried Bogensperger, Lavinia Lavan-Iswaran, Brian Cleere, Gottfried Schuetzenberger, David Isler, Daniel Chia and Arlene Berger-Tan.

I would also like to seize this opportunity to congratulate Peter Knipp Holdings and the Singapore Tourism Board in successfully organising the World Gourmet Summit 2002. It is very encouraging to see stand alone restaurants participating in this event, as these have become an integral part of the gastronomic scenario. Furthermore, the participation of internationally renowned guest chefs is an added attraction, and it has helped in no small measure in increasing the popularity of World Gourmet Summit. With Singapore Tourism Board as the business partner, WGS could be firmly ensconced in the national calendar, enticing residents in Singapore and tourists from the region to become connoisseurs during this event.

WGS has come a long way since its inception in 1997. Over the years it has increased the stature and profile of the food and beverage industry in Singapore. Grand Hyatt Singapore is proud to be associated with WGS and we will continue to fully support WGS in putting Singapore on the international food and beverage map.

With best personal regards

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