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EASTIN HOTEL PENANG WINS THE NATIONAL EXCELLENCE OSH AWARD 2012 (HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS CATEGORY)

Penang, 30 October 2012, – A leading business class hotel in Malaysia, the Eastin Hotel Penang has won the best award in the National Excellence OSH Award 2012 (Hotels and Restaurants category) held at the Putrajaya International Convention Centre (PICC).

Organized by the National Council of Occupational Safety and Health (NCOSH), this award is presented to recognize organizations' excellence in work related health and safety performance.

According to Mary Ann Harris, General Manager of Eastin Hotel Penang," Winning this prestigious award is a matter of great pride for us. Our OSH team, led by Safety and Security Manager R. Anpualagan, has worked relentlessly to ensure a high level of safety and health for our guests and staff. We believe promoting a healthy and safe working environment gives our guests a greater sense of well-being. It also contributes towards higher productivity and cost savings among our staffs due to fewer accidents. This award is a testament to the fact that Eastin is a great place to work, play and stay."

The National Council of Occupational Safety and Health (NCOSH) is the highest forum in the Ministry of Human Resources where tripartite discussions are held about issues related to the direction, national policy and the implementation of occupational safety and health in Malaysia. NCOSH was formed by the Ministry of Human Resources in 1995 under the Section 8 of the Occupational Safety and Health Act 1994 (Act 514), as a product of the government continual efforts to make safe and healthy work practices as part of Malaysian culture.

Strategically located within the integrated waterfront development of Queensbay, Eastin Hotel Penang has won numerous awards since its opening in 2009 such as the



INPenang 2012 Award for Best Business Hotel, second runner up in the Malaysia Red Crescent First Aid Inter-Factory Competition 2012 and many others. Eastin Hotel Penang – where business meets leisure.

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